

How Can I Get Involved?

Make a donation to the Foundation:

By Mail:

Make checks payable and send to:
Rock Island Parks and Recreation
Foundation
4303 24th Street
Rock Island, IL 61201

Online:

Visit riparksfoundation.org

Donate:

Consider donating an item to be auctioned at a Foundation fundraiser.

Volunteer:

Contact the Rock Island Parks and Recreation Department to inquire about volunteering at an event or serving on a Foundation committee.

Legacy:

Leave a lasting legacy as a bequest in your will.

Spread the word!



Foundation Members

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Enhancing the **QUALITY**
of Parks & Recreational
EXPERIENCES through
FINANCIAL &
VOLUNTEER
Support.



Our Mission

The mission of the Rock Island Park & Recreation Foundation is to enhance the Quality of Parks and Recreational Experiences through Financial & Volunteer Support.



Statement of Purpose

The Rock Island Parks Foundation is a 501(c)(3) organization, dedicated to future generations of citizens through efforts to preserve and expand our gift of parks and recreation in Rock Island. The Foundation will acquire financial resources through contributions and grants to make parks and recreation improvements. The resources of the Rock Island Parks Foundation are not intended to replace or substitute for tax revenues generated for the annual ongoing maintenance activities of the Rock Island Parks and Recreation Department.



Foundation Funds Support:

- Start up of new programming endeavors
- Construction of recreational buildings, facilities or parks
- Playground replacement
- Facility upgrades beyond normal budgeted maintenance
- Arts and music programs
- Community special events sponsored by the Department
- Provide scholarship funding to participants, instructors, or staff

