



Lower Chippewa Invasives Partnership, Inc.
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Spread the Word, Not the Plant!

Dear financial partner,

We want to thank you in advance for dedicating valuable time and resources to being a crucial financial partner to LCIP. We appreciate that you are dedicated to the awareness, education, and control of invasive species within Chippewa, Dunn, Eau Claire, Pepin, and Pierce counties. With your support, LCIP will be able to sustain its efforts in reaching citizens of all ages and backgrounds. By supporting LCIP you help connect individuals that give back to their community by being conscientious of their decisions to preserve our land and water. Your support directly bridges gaps between community partners and environmental efforts by building lasting relationships. Every year invasive plants negatively impact three million acres of U.S. soil and the U.S. economy to the tune of \$35 billion. If we work together, we can reduce those impacts as we support the volunteers who play a vital role in our community.

We value your business or organization and the support you give us. By partnering with LCIP, we can provide you with some unique benefits. These include being part of a network of community-minded, environmentally conscious entities that are unique to our work. We will seek to engage your members or employees to collaborate with us seeking to improve local ecosystems. We hope you will prioritize supporting LCIP; a partnership that promises to continue building our community and sharing resources to provide the best outreach and education on controlling invasive species that are rapidly spreading. Our staff will use your funds wisely to reach our goals that support the common good of our communities. We hope you will consider this partnership as a continued part of your yearly budget. Your continued support will allow our staff to focus their efforts on the most urgent tasks at hand.

This is a closer look at what unique benefits your yearly financial contribution will give you:

- ✓ LCIP website advertisement which has over 2,750 visitors and over 7,000 views per year
- ✓ LCIP Facebook page advertisement which has over 700 likes and 800 followers
- ✓ LCIP annual meeting where our 26 partners from around the region gather and network
- ✓ LCIP presentations around the Midwest where partners will always be fully acknowledged
- ✓ LCIP booth exhibits at various local, regional, and national conferences
- ✓ LCIP invasive tours and workshops where partners you will be fully acknowledged

We remain open to innovative ideas on how to strengthen our community's knowledge of natural resource management. Since LCIP's inception, there has always been a focus on being completely transparent, building up community knowledge of sustainable land management, and actively organizing through the Civic Organizing model (activecitizen.org). We look forward to serving our community together with you!

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Spread the Word, Not the Plant!

Support outreach, education, and control of invasive plants throughout the Chippewa, Mississippi, and Red Cedar watersheds

Your financial support improves our livelihood and enjoyment of the natural resources that make up our unique West Central Wisconsin community. By partnering with Lower Chippewa Invasives Partnership (LCIP), you are contributing to building those foundations that sustain our community's ability to tackle these large-scale issues. See the partner levels below that reflect the current LCIP budget as a starting point. With your support additional staff will allow us to accomplish even more!

2021 FINANCIAL PARTNER LEVELS

\$102,000 YEARLY SUSTAINER

Includes your business name and logo listed on our website as a key partner, a free booth at our annual meeting/workshops, recognition in media articles, 2-foot square business logo on our enclosed trailer, LCIP organized event for your business, and recognition at all our major events and projects

\$51,000 SEMI-YEARLY SUSTAINER

Includes your business name and logo listed on our website as a key partner, a free booth at our annual meeting/workshops, recognition in media articles, 1-foot square business logo on our enclosed trailer, and recognition at all our major events and projects

\$17,000 BI-MONTHLY SUSTAINER

Includes your business name and logo listed on our website as a key partner, a free booth at our annual meeting/workshops, recognition in media articles, and recognition at all our major events and projects

\$8,500 MONTHLY SUSTAINER

Includes your business name and logo listed on our website as a key partner, a free booth at our annual meeting/workshops, and recognition at all our major events and projects

\$2,250 WEEKLY FUNDER

Includes your business name and logo listed on our website as a key partner at all our major events and projects

\$1,000 CONTRIBUTOR

Includes your business name listed on our website as a key partner at all our major events and projects

DONATOR

Want to help in any other way? Venues, supplies, equipment, labor, transportation, or other resources lent or given

LCIP is a charitable organization exempt from taxation under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Donations are tax-deductible to the extent permitted by law. LCIP's EIN Number: 47-3567439

First Name _____ Last Name _____ Business _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____ Email _____ Partnership Level _____

Please check here if you like to remain anonymous and decline business partner benefits

The LCIP fiscal year follows the calendar year. Ask about reoccurring online giving as well.

Please make checks payable to Lower Chippewa Invasives Partnership, Inc. at the address listed above.

You can also send us an email to lcinvasives@gmail.com to submit your financial partnership in other forms.

*Thank
you*