

Notice of Certification

Qualifying Charitable Organization

This is to certify that

Cottonwood Lions Club Foundation

Meets all requirements to be considered a Qualifying Charitable Organization. **This certification does not apply to or exempt the above organization from Arizona transaction privilege and use taxes.** The Organization has provided written statement attesting that it:

- has provided verification of its 501 (c) (3) status or verification that it is a designated community action agency per ARS § 43-1088.G.2. As a qualifying charitable organization, it is exempt from federal income taxation under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code or is a designated community action agency that receives community block grant program monies pursuant to 42 United States Code, Section 9901;
- has spent at least fifty percent of its budget on services to Arizona residents who receive Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) benefits or to Arizona resident low-income households or to chronically ill or physically disabled children who are Arizona residents per ARS § 43-1088.G.2. As defined in ARS § 43-1088.G.3, "Services means cash assistance, medical care, child care, food, clothing, shelter, job placement and job training services or any other assistance that is reasonably necessary to meet immediate basic needs and that is provided and used in this state";
- has provided financial statements indicating its budget for the prior operating year and the amount of its revenue spent on services to Arizona residents who receive Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) benefits or to Arizona resident low-income households or to chronically ill or physically disabled children who are Arizona residents;
- has attested that it plans to continue spending at least fifty percent of its budget in the future on services to Arizona residents who receive Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) benefits or to Arizona resident low-income households or to chronically ill or physically disabled children who are Arizona residents; and
- has attested that it does not provide, pay for, or provide coverage for abortions; nor does it financially support any other entity that provides, pays for, or provides coverage for abortions.

This Notice of Certification is accurate as of January 1, 2015, and in effect until the Arizona Department of Revenue periodically requests recertification from this Organization.

**IN CASE OF INCONSISTENCY OR OMISSION IN THIS CERTIFICATE,
THE LANGUAGE OF THE ARIZONA REVIVES STATUES WILL PREVAIL.**



Authorized person providing certification:

Jaelyn AaronsCooke, Economist

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Signature

Dated: Feb. 13, 2015