



**GREATER
HARTFORD
GIVES
FOUNDATION**

**Black Point Beach Club
Endowment Fund**

Who Is Greater Hartford Gives Foundation?

Greater Hartford Gives Foundation is a community foundation dedicated to strengthening the Greater Hartford region and Connecticut by connecting generous individuals, families, businesses, and organizations with opportunities to make a lasting impact. As a community foundation, Greater Hartford Gives helps donors and organizations achieve their charitable goals by establishing and managing charitable funds, providing expert philanthropic guidance, and ensuring gifts are invested and distributed responsibly by combining local knowledge, sound financial stewardship, and a century of experience serving the region.

What We Do in Community

Through strategic grantmaking, scholarships, nonprofit support, and community partnerships, Greater Hartford Gives works to address the region's most pressing challenges and expand opportunities for residents. We invest in the ecosystems behind lasting change—strengthening networks of service providers, filling gaps beyond traditional grantmaking, and serving as a stable resource for funding, capacity building, and shared learning. Our mission is to inspire philanthropy, steward charitable resources, and invest in initiatives that build stronger, more vibrant, and more equitable communities across Greater Hartford and Connecticut.

Why Give to the Black Point Endowment Fund?

The Black Point Beach Club Endowment Fund, held at Greater Hartford Gives Foundation, provides a permanent source of financial strength for the Black Point Beach Club, helping preserve the traditions, facilities, and sense of community that generations of families have enjoyed. Gifts are professionally invested, allowing the endowment fund to grow over time while providing annual support for the Club.

- **Protect Black Point's future** Endowment gifts create a permanent financial resource that helps ensure the Club remains vibrant and resilient for years to come.
- **Create a lasting legacy** Contributions honor the families who have shaped the Black Point community and offer a meaningful way to leave a legacy for future generations.
- **Professional investment management** Assets are managed by Greater Hartford Gives using a disciplined, long-term investment strategy designed to preserve and grow charitable funds.
- **Responsible stewardship** Greater Hartford Gives provides experienced administration, financial oversight, reporting, and compliance, freeing Club leadership to focus on serving members.
- **Annual support** The endowment generates distributions that can help fund projects, maintenance, and capital improvements while preserving the fund's long-term value.

Ways to Give

- **Cash** The simplest way to give—via check, wire, ACH, or online with a credit card. Fully tax-deductible.
- **Appreciated Securities** Transfer stocks, bonds, or mutual funds. Avoid capital gains taxes while receiving a charitable deduction for full fair market value.
- **IRA Qualified Charitable Distributions** Donors 70½ and older can transfer up to \$110,000 annually from an IRA directly—satisfying required minimum distributions without increasing taxable income.
- **Planned Gifts** Bequests in wills or trusts, retirement asset beneficiary designations, charitable gift annuities, and life insurance policies.
- **Real Estate** Donate property—homes, vacation properties, or land—to eliminate capital gains taxes while supporting Black Point's future.

A strong foundation for all

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