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The NC Pottery Center
Endowment

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for The NC Pottery Center Endowment.

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SPECIAL GIFTS: In Honor of In Memory of

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*If this is a matching gift, please enclose
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*Please make checks payable to:
The NC Pottery Center
Endowment/NCCF*

*And mail to: NC Community Foundation
4601 Six Forks Rd., Suite 524, Raleigh,
NC 27609*

Give Online:
www.nccommunityfoundation.org

About The NC Pottery Center

We are a nonprofit organization whose mission is to promote public awareness and appreciation of the history, heritage, and ongoing tradition of pottery making in North Carolina through educational programs, public services, collection and preservation, and research and documentation. To do so, the center represents all North Carolina potters, from Native Americans and exemplars of the old utilitarian tradition to the more than 1,000 potters working throughout the state today.

For more information about NC Pottery Center, visit www.ncpotterycenter.org

About the NCCF

The North Carolina Community Foundation is the single statewide community foundation serving North Carolina and has made nearly \$74 million in grants since its inception in 1988. With nearly \$200 million in assets, NCCF sustains 1,200 endowments established to provide long-term support of a broad range of community needs, nonprofit organizations, institutions and scholarships. The NCCF partners with 60 affiliate foundations to provide local resource allocation and community assistance in 67 counties across the state.

For more information about NCCF
Visit our website at:

www.nccommunityfoundation.org

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A FUND OF THE
NORTH CAROLINA
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

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OUR ENDOWMENT AND ITS MISSION

NC Pottery Center has established the NC Pottery Center Endowment to:

- Provide a sustainable and permanent source of support for the programs and outreach of NC Pottery Center.
- Expand the number of giving options available to our donors,
- Build capital for long-term goals and projects to enhance our services.

Gifts may be made in many forms, and gifts of all sizes are most welcome!

The NC Pottery Center Endowment is invested and administered through the North Carolina Community Foundation.

How can you support The NC Pottery Center Endowment?

You can ensure the continuation of our mission in many ways: your gift or pledge to the fund; your gifts in memory or in honor of friends and family; or your thoughtfully planned bequest. All contributions support our goal to build a strong endowment for the future. All gifts are tax-deductible to the

fullest extent allowed by law. Some types of gifts for you to consider include:

CASH GIFTS

The simplest and most convenient way of participating in the fund is through cash gifts, which may take the form of pledges over a period of years. All such gifts qualify for maximum income tax deductions.

SECURITIES OR REAL ESTATE

Gifts of appreciated securities and real property may provide important tax advantages to donors who have held assets for a long period of time. The full fair market value of such gifts may be deductible as a charitable contribution. In the case of restricted or closely held stock, real estate or other unusual assets, the proposed gift may require an appraisal, a review by the North Carolina Community Foundation counsel and approval of the NCCF Board of Directors.

WILLS OR BEQUESTS

There are many ways to remember The NC Pottery Center Endowment in a will. After providing for heirs, a donor can specify that some or all of the remaining assets be given to The NC Pottery Center Endowment, thereby achieving a lasting purpose and reducing the taxable portion of an estate.

LIFE INSURANCE

The NC Pottery Center Endowment may be named as the owner and beneficiary of

a previously existing or new life insurance policy. The donor receives an immediate tax deduction, which is generally equal to the policy's cash surrender value. All premium payments made by the donor thereafter are also tax-deductible.

RETIREMENT PLAN ASSETS

Assets held in qualified retirement plans or individual retirement accounts (IRAs) may be contributed to charity. The donor may name The NC Pottery Center Endowment as the designated beneficiary of retirement account assets upon his/her death or the death of family beneficiaries.

CHARITABLE REMAINDER TRUST

A donor may wish to make a contribution to charity but need all of his or her income for current expenses. The donor can leave property to The NC Pottery Center Endowment at death or give the assets now, subject to a retained income interest.

For more complete explanations of ways to give and types of gifts, contact the NCCF or visit nccommunityfoundation.org.
