

2014 Emera Maine Charitable Giving Annual Report

\$250,000 2013-2017	Maine Winter Sports Center, Healthy Hometowns program, supports active, healthy, outdoor activities for Maine families.
\$250,000 2012-2017	The Foundation for Maine's Community Colleges, supports the development of mini split heat pump training programs at Northern and Eastern Maine Community Colleges.
\$100,000 2010-2014	Jackson Laboratory, New Investigators Program, supports instruction of undergraduate, post-graduate, and doctoral students conducting valuable research.
\$100,000 2011-2015	University of Maine College of Engineering, Power Systems Laboratory, supports maintenance of the lab and student projects.
\$50,000 2014-2018	Good Shepherd Food Bank, supports child hunger programs.
\$45,000 2014-2016	Challenger Learning Center of Maine, Challenger/Emera Science Circuit, supports hands-on exploration and discovery opportunities in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics.
\$35,000 2010-2014	Maine Coast Memorial Hospital, 2010 Capital Campaign, supports building the new emergency room.
\$25,000 2014-2018	Big Brothers Big Sisters of Mid Maine, supports school-based and community-based mentoring for Youth.
\$15,000 2014-2016	Maine Discovery Museum, supports 'Kids in Motion' exhibit.
\$43,082	United Way of Eastern Maine annual campaign, Emera Maine 1:1 company match.
\$24,000	<p>Emera Maine <i>Employee Charity of Choice/Believing in the Power of Holiday Giving</i> program</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bangor Area Homeless Shelter – a gift by Illinois Avenue employees• Caring Neighbors for Cancer Education & Recovery – a gift by Presque Isle Ops Center employees• Catholic Charities of Maine/Food Bank Caribou – a gift by Presque Isle Ops Center employees• Emmaus Homeless Shelter– a gift by Lamoine facility employees• Food and Medicine – a gift by Telcom and Veazie facility employees• Good Shepherd Food-Bank – a gift by Telcom Drive facility employees• Homeless Services of Aroostook, Inc. – a gift by Presque Isle Ops Center employees• J. Edgar Paradis Cancer Fund – a gift by Fort Kent facility employees• Lincoln Regional Food Cupboard – a gift by Lincoln facility employees• Make A Wish Foundation of Maine – a gift by Lamoine facility employees• Ronald McDonald House of Bangor, Inc. – a gift by Lower Main Street, Bangor employees• The Salvation Army – a gift by Key Plaza facility and System Operations employees• United Cerebral Palsy of Northeastern Maine/Washington County Children's Program – a gift by Machias facility employees

"We are so incredibly grateful for the generosity and kindness of the Emera Maine employees for remembering us this way. Somehow, some way, please convey our sincere appreciation to everyone at Emera Maine. This donation will help us in so many ways to continue to serve families and children in crisis. Thank you!"

*Steve D. Eyster, Executive Director
Homeless Services of Aroostook*



\$13,801	United Way of Aroostook annual campaign, Emera Maine 1:1 company match.
\$12,500	Sarah's House of Maine, purchase of heat pumps for cancer hospitality house.
\$10,000	Bangor Y, Annual Campaign, supports maintenance and programming.
\$5,000	Bangor Land Trust, Discovering Bangor's Wild Back Yard, supports the protection and upkeep of Penjajawoc Marsh for public benefit.
\$5,000	Bangor Symphony Orchestra, Know Your Orchestra! (KYO!) Voucher Program, supports opportunities for students to become acquainted with classical music.
\$3,465	Mizpah Inc., Mizpah Electric, in-kind donation consisting of 300' of primary extension plus labor at a fifteen acre retreat for cancer survivors in Grand Isle.
\$2,940	Emera Maine Employee Match Program (program matches funds raised by employees for projects with which they are involved): <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ark Animal Sanctuary• Alzheimer's Association - Walk to End Alzheimer's• Bangor Humane Society - Paws On Parade• Bangor Y• Big Brothers Big Sisters - Bowl for Kid's Sake• March of Dimes Maine Chapter - March for Babies• Ronald McDonald House of Bangor bowl-a-thon• The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, Inc.
\$2,500	Eastern Maine Community College, Maine Trivia Tournament, supports student scholarships.
\$2,500	Helen's Restaurant, recovery fund, supports rebuild from fire in July 2014.
\$2,500	Penobscot Theatre Company, Dramatic Academy, supports camp scholarships and two summer camp sessions held at the Bangor Opera House.
\$2,500	The Nature Conservancy of Maine, supports conservation in Maine.
\$2,500	United Way of Eastern Maine, supports 211 Program.
\$1,500	Camp CaPella, Camp CaPella Camperships, supports camping scholarships for children and adults with disabilities in Northern and Eastern Maine.

- \$1,500 *Emera Maine Employee Choice Awards*, given annually to employees who best exemplify the five guiding principles of the company. A donation is made in honor of the awardees to a charitable organization of their choice. 2014 winners selected the following:
- Ark Animal Sanctuary
 - Bangor Area Homeless Shelter
 - Dana Farber Cancer Institute
 - Homeless Services of Aroostook
 - Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation



“Your annual corporate sponsorship for our Paws on Parade event not only helps us fulfill our ongoing mission to champion the humane treatment and adoption of companion animals, provide quality care for homeless pets, and promote animal welfare through education and advocacy, but it helps us do our life saving work every single day.”

Thank you for all you do for the Bangor Humane Society!”

*Stacey R. Coventry
Director of Development and Public Relations
Bangor Humane Society*

- \$1,500 Old Town – Orono YMCA, supports Open Doors Scholarship Program.
- \$1,500 Special Olympics Maine, Summer Games, supports dental, hearing, feet and physical fitness screenings for athletes.
- \$1,250 Alzheimer’s Association, Eastern Maine Walk to End Alzheimer’s, supports research.
- \$1,000 American Red Cross - Aroostook County Branch, 16th Annual Real Heroes Breakfast, supports disaster relief funding.
- \$1,000 Ark Animal Shelter, in memory of employee David Keep.
- \$1,000 Aroostook Aspirations, Heidi’s Hope, supports community service projects in the Aroostook County Community.
- \$1,000 Aroostook House of Comfort, in memory of employee Joseph Rockwell.
- \$1,000 EMMC Foundation, EMMC Champion the Cure Challenge, supports CancerCare.
- \$1,000 EMMC Auxiliary, Winter Beach Ball, supports patient care and the healthcare community.
- \$1,000 Hancock County Technical Center SkillsUSA, SkillsUSA National Conference and Competition, supports training and development for competing students.
- \$1,000 Katahdin Area Council BSA, supports for expansion of science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) at day camp.

- \$1,000 Komen Maine Affiliate, Komen Race for the Cure, supports education, medical treatment, support services and research for the fight against breast cancer.
- \$1,000 Literacy Volunteers of Bangor, supports free English language tutoring to Bangor area adults.
- \$1,000 Lubec Schoodic International Sculpture, supports sculpture project in Stockford Park.

“All dollars donated and raised help fund programs including the NICU Family Support Program at Maine Medical, Healthy Babies are Worth the Wait, Centering Pregnancy, and educational materials that are sent out to hospitals, clinics, and OB-GYN offices.”

*Catherine Tanous, Community Director
March of Dimes, Maine Chapter*



Emera Maine employees and their families at the 2014 March for Babies walk-a-thon.

- \$1,000 March of Dimes - Maine Chapter, March for Babies, supports research, education, advocacy and community programs.
- \$1,000 Make A Wish Maine, Walk For Wishes, supports funding wishes for children living with life-threatening medical conditions.
- \$1,000 Ronald McDonald House of Bangor, 30th Anniversary Celebration and Silent Auction, supports operations for the house and families.
- \$1,000 The Animal Orphanage, in memory of employee James Russell.
- \$750 Maine VisionWalk, supports research for the blind and visually impaired.
- \$500 American Foundation for Suicide Prevention, Out of the Darkness Suicide Prevention Week, supports suicide prevention programs and support services.
- \$500 Cary Medical Center, Ride Aroostook, supports camper scholarships to Camp Adventure, a summer camp for children ages twelve to seventeen with Type 1 Diabetes.
- \$500 Limestone Rotary Club, 63rd Annual Auction, supports educational and social needs for underprivileged members of the community.
- \$500 Manna, Thanksgiving turkey drive.
- \$500 United Technology Center SkillsUSA, supports scholarships for national competition.
- \$500 Rape Response Services, Annual Auction, supports services, training, education and school based prevention programs.

\$500	Special Olympics Aroostook, supports Snow Dogs basketball team.
\$500	The Salvation Army, supports Thanksgiving gift cards for families.
\$500	United Cerebral Palsy of Northeastern Maine, Pumpkins in the Park, supports services for children with disabilities, including autism, cerebral palsy, behavioral health diagnoses, spina bifida, and mental health issues.
\$300	112 th Medical Company Maine Army National Guard, supports medical assistance funding for Veterans.
\$125	Presque Isle Rotary Club, 9 th Annual 3-Person Golf Scramble, supports Aroostook County Chapter of Junior Achievement.
\$100	Central Aroostook Humane Society, Fifth Annual Toast for the Animals, supports the animal shelter.
\$100	Eastern Maine Medical Center, HA Hoops for Hope 2014, support program funding.

Note: Charitable contributions are paid for by company shareholders and are not included in electricity rates.

Charitable Giving Mission

Emera Maine believes in contributing where we can truly make a difference - both with our time and our financial resources. We choose causes where we believe our impact will be a source of pride for our employees. We give where we live. And we want our employees to see the difference our contributions are making in the communities in which we live, work and play.

The Emera Maine Charitable Giving Program provides meaningful support to organizations and causes which have one of these focuses:

- Educational
- Health and Wellness
- Humanitarian
- Cultural

Learn more by visiting www.emeramaine.com and click on "Community".