

How to Help ANR colleagues and other California fire victims

Here is a list of organizations we identified with established funds for fire victims in California. When donating, make sure to mention the community and/or the name of the fire, so that your gift goes specifically to assist victims in that area. At the bottom of the page is information about giving directly to victims rather than to an organization.

Shasta County

- Salvation Army – Helps evacuees and fire responders, collects monetary donations from the public which will go directly toward relief efforts.
- American Red Cross – Accepts monetary donations which directly go towards relief efforts.
- United Way of Northern America – a coalition of charitable organizations to pool efforts in fundraising and support.
- Shasta County Fire Relief Fund – www.norcalunitedway.org/CARRfire
- The Haven Humane Society – Rescues and houses hundreds of lost and injured animals (cats, dogs, goats, horses, livestock)
- Shasta Regional Community Foundation – Funds will be collected and placed to local nonprofits and disaster relief organization.

Lake County

- Fire Relief Fund – www.ncoinc.org - 100% goes to those affected by the fires.
- Wildfire Relief Fund - seeks to assist those facing hardship by providing direct monetary aid to people who have suffered a direct loss as a result of the fires.
- Rebuild Northbay Foundation – represents Napa, Sonoma, Mendocino, and Lake Counties. Help rebuild the region better, safer, greener, and faster.
- Salvation Army & American Red Cross

Mendocino County

- ✓ Community Foundation of Mendocino County – www.communityfound.org/for-donors/donate-today/community-funds/disaster-fund-for-mendocino-county
- ✓ North Coast Opportunities Inc. 2018 Wildfire Relief Fund – Assists with the following counties: Del Norte, Humboldt, Lake, Mendocino, Solano, and Sonoma.
- ✓ United Way of the Wine Country – unitedwaywinecountry.org/servlet/eAndar.article/54/DisasterFire-Relief
- ✓ Salvation Army & American Red Cross

San Diego County

- ◆ Ready San Diego – emergency preparedness, SD County emergency updates, & recovery resources <http://www.readysandiego.org/>

Other charitable organizations assisting all around California

- The California Community Foundation – Grants from the Wildfire Relief Fund have supported those who were displaced or lost housing, belongings and/or employment, or suffered physical or mental health problems. www.calfund.org/wildfire-relief-fund/
- Wildland Firefighter Foundation – Wildland Firefighter Foundation's main focus is to help families of firefighters killed in the line of duty and to assist injured firefighters and their families. www.wffoundation.org
- CNN Impact Your World – www.cnn.com/2018/07/30/us/iyw-how-to-help-carr-fires

How to Help ANR colleagues and other California fire victims

- California Fire Foundation – Providing emotional and financial assistance to families of fallen firefighters, firefighters and the communities they protect. www.cafirefoundation.org
- Sonoma County Fire Relief Fund – support and contributions will provide relief to those in need in the greater Sonoma County Area. All monetary donations will be used to provide immediate and long-term support for local families in need.
- Humane Society – Finding homes for homeless animals, providing veterinary care for those in need, enforcing/protecting animal rights, adopting out animals, etc.

Giving directly to victims

- ❖ Go Fund Me—You can search for someone, for a particular fire or for a community. You can also set up a GoFundMe account for someone. <https://www.gofundme.com/>