



Itemized Deductions - Contributions

Cash Contributions:

You cannot deduct a cash contribution, regardless of the amount, unless you keep as a record of the contribution a bank record (such as a canceled check, a bank copy of a canceled check, or a bank statement containing the name of the charity, the date, and the amount) or a written communication from the charity. The written communication must include the name of the charity, date of the contribution, and amount of the contribution. Clothes and household items donated must be in good, used condition or better in order to be deductible unless the item donated is worth more than \$500 and you have the item's value appraised. Attach a copy of the appraisal. Include any vehicles donated to charity. Attach Forms 1098-C received from the charity.

TSJ	Organization or Description of Contribution	2009 Amount	2008 Amount

TSJ	Conservation Real Property	2009 Amount	2008 Amount
	100% limit		
	50% limit		

TSJ	Description	2009 Miles	2008 Miles
	Number of miles traveled performing volunteer work for qualified charitable organizations		

Noncash Contributions Totaling Less Than or Equal to \$500:

TSJ	Description of Donated Property	2009 Amount	2008 Amount

Noncash Contributions Totaling More Than \$500:

TSJ _____

Description of the donated property _____

Donee organization name _____

Donee organization address _____

Date the property was acquired by the taxpayer (Mo/Da/Yr) _____

Date the property was donated (Mo/Da/Yr) _____

Cost or basis of the donated property

Fair market value of the donated property

Which of the following methods was used to determine the fair market value? CAUTION: Generally, contributions in excess of \$5,000 of similar property will require an appraisal (does not apply to marketable securities)

- Appraisal
- Thrift shop value
- Catalog
- Comparable sale

Other - please explain _____

Which of the following describes how this donated property was acquired?

- Purchase
- Gift
- Inheritance
- Exchange