

## Mountain Foundation FAQs

### FOR DONORS

#### **Why should I donate?**

It is an investment in the future of the ski industry and an opportunity to “pay it forward” to the next generation of leaders. We all know how important networking and education are to the development of our careers. Empowering our staff to get out and meet their peers at conferences and seminars is crucial. Attending these events and spending time with industry leaders can inspire and motivate our scholarship recipients to continue to make positive impacts in the ski industry. Whether you are able to donate \$5 or \$5,000, every penny is greatly appreciated and important to the overall cause.

#### **Where does my donation go?**

Your donation will help make ski industry education accessible to the next generation of industry leaders. In the future, it is possible that a portion of funds from the Mountain Foundation will be used for research and education efforts to benefit all of our members. A very small amount will go toward administrative costs. NSAA will outline all of these expenditures in an annual report during the National Convention and Tradeshow.

#### **Is my donation fully tax-deductible?**

Yes – the Mountain Foundation is a 501(c)3 charitable organization. You will receive a receipt via email after your donation is processed.

#### **What do I get as a Mountain Foundation donor?**

You will receive a receipt of your donation verifying your tax-deductible contribution. Donors receive recognition in The Mountain Foundation’s annual report and will receive feedback on the foundation’s efforts, including follow-up reports from scholarship recipients.

***Have a question that’s not listed here? Email us at [mountainfoundation@nsaa.org](mailto:mountainfoundation@nsaa.org).***