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for the South Dakota Department of South Dakota Game, Fish and Parks



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Everybody Outside!!!

It's our rallying cry! We exist to help people and wildlife enjoy South Dakota's great outdoor places.

The South Dakota Parks and Wildlife Foundation is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization working in partnership with Donors and the South Dakota Department of Game, Fish and Parks to maintain South Dakota's unique outdoor heritage. We provide and expand opportunities for outdoor recreation and education, and conserve our natural resources including our lands, waters, and wildlife.



In Fiscal Year 2009, the South Dakota Parks and Wildlife Foundation illustrated again the many ways in which it can address its mission. It also illustrated the breadth of its impact: in FY 2009 alone it conducted activities in 18 South Dakota Counties. This Report provides the public with an account of some of those activities over the past twelve months.

We hope it provides you, the outdoor enthusiast or civic leader, with ideas of how you, too, can become more committed to carrying on the special privileges we have as South Dakotans with so many varied Great Places.

Foundation Projects and Activities

Outdoor Recreation:

The Foundation can facilitate donations to any of the State's 13 parks or dozens of recreation, education, public use, or nature, historic, or game production areas. It can help create new public outdoor resources.



Healthy Lifestyles: The Foundation managed grants from the Department of Health to promote outdoor activities at several of the State's parks.

Girl Scout Cabin at Oahe Downstream: Cultural concerns expressed by Native Americans resulted in the removal of a Girl Scout cabin on GFP's Farm Island Recreation Area. The Foundation accepted a grant from the Girl Scouts to assist GFP with the cost of constructing a new cabin at Oahe Downstream. At the close of the fiscal year, the cabin was nearly completed. This is an example of how the Foundation can be helpful in facilitating the charitable solution to a natural resource problem.

Mickelson Trail: Each year, the Foundation helps to plan and conduct a three-day Trail Trek for hundreds of Trail enthusiasts who bike the entire 109 miles from Edgemont to Deadwood. The annual Trek celebrates the hundreds of gifts that made the Trail possible and the thousands who hike, ski, bike, or ride the Trail on horseback each season.

The Foundation holds funds in memory of Russ Vierman to benefit the Trail.



One of the Mickelson Trail Mileposts with its donors, the Capital City Bicycle Club. Mileposts with a plaque naming the donor can be purchased for \$500.

The Foundation also manages charitable funds for improvements to the Trail, including a proposed extension from near Hill City to Mt. Rushmore. The Foundation accepted gifts from the Mt. Rushmore National Memorial Society to help pay costs for the engineering study for the proposed trail extension. Potential routes have now been identified. The next step is an environmental study by the Forest Service, which will take at least a year. When a specific route is identified, the Foundation will seek funding to complete the project.

Many donations for the Trail, and for purchase of Trail Mileposts, were received in FY 2009.

Oakwood State Park: The Foundation received a grant from the Lee Larson Fund in the Sioux Falls Area Community Foundation to fabricate and install interpretive signs for the Park.

Richard Salzmann Life Estate: Upon the death of donor Dick Salzmann in June, the Foundation assumed ownership of 160 acres of land, which will be utilized for game production, fishing, hunting and recreation.

Tony Dean's Acres Memorial: Friends and family of the famed outdoorsman and broadcaster raised nearly \$50,000 through the Foundation toward their goal of \$125,000 to complete a project as a memorial to Tony. These gifts, along with funding from other partners will be used to purchase land in eastern South Dakota for public access hunting and possibly outdoor education opportunities.

Outdoor Education:

The Foundation supports the operation of several educational facilities and hundreds of outdoor education programs throughout South Dakota.

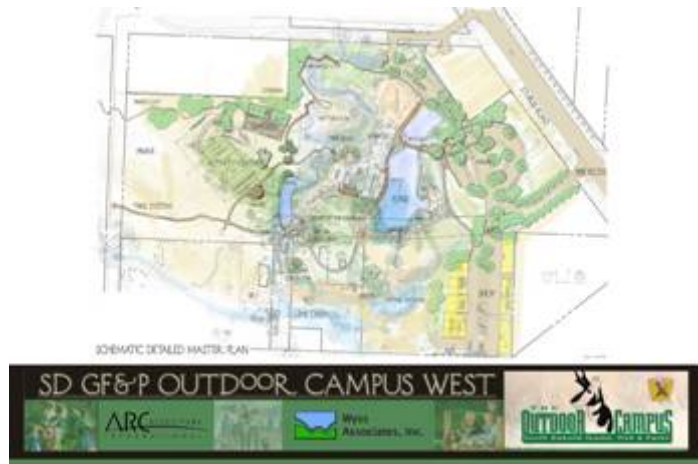
Adams Homestead and Nature Preserve: The Adams site is as much wildlife habitat, historic site and recreation opportunity as it is an educational resource. The Foundation manages about a third of the Adams property and completed several maintenance and improvement projects during the year. A grant was received from the Siouxland Community Foundation for maintenance of the trail system. Donations were received from others for education programs.



The Adams site was given to the Foundation and GFP by Maude and Mary Adams in several increments beginning in 1985. Maude died in 1995, and Mary died in August, 2009 just after the end of the Fiscal Year. Mary will be memorialized in the 2010 Annual Report as leaving a magnificent treasure of land and personal property to South Dakota through the Foundation.

Marcia Hawk Fund: This Fund supports the Becoming an Outdoors-Woman program of GFP. The annual weekend workshop focuses on providing women, ages 18 and over, with a wide assortment of outdoor experiences, including fishing, hunting, camping, backpacking, birding and other outdoor skills. Hawk was the sister of retired GFP Conservation Officer Bob Hawk.

Outdoor Campus West: The Foundation is planning a capital campaign to help build, equip and program the new Rapid City facility. The Foundation has been managing charitable funds in memory of Ronald Johnson and former GFP Commissioner and ex-officio Foundation Board member Owen Wipf which will be used for this purpose. Land for the facility was purchased with the help of donations from the Vucurevich Foundation and the Izaak Walton League, Rapid City Chapter, and with the cooperation and donation of previous landowner Northwest Engineering of Rapid City.



Ft. Sisseton State Historical Park: The Foundation manages charitable funds and grants for Ft. Sisseton. In FY 2009 the funds were used to make repairs and improvements and help market the Ft. Sisseton Festival, and other activities, which are educational and recreational in nature.

Conserving Natural Resources:

The Foundation is steward for over 3000 acres of land and conservation easements and is very experienced in the acceptance of such gifts. It helps protect existing public resources and expand these resources through its conservation activities.

Bear Butte State Park: The Foundation worked to gather the resources to purchase land and conservation easements around the Park to protect the tranquility and beauty of the site from encroaching development. The South Dakota Community Foundation committed itself to this effort. Other requests are still pending. The Foundation continues to seek additional support for this unique geologic site which is sacred to thousands of Native Americans.



Bird Books: The Foundation manages funds to help pay the costs of printing the popular GFP brochure series “A Birder’s Guide” and “Backyard Birds of South Dakota.”



Blood Run National Historic Landmark: The Foundation and GFP have a vision of a premier State Park for this 8500 year old Native American historic site southeast of Sioux Falls. A meeting was held with Sioux Falls business leaders in April to update them on the progress on turning this vision into reality. Another briefing will be scheduled this fall. GFP is working with the South Dakota landowner, identifying potential Federal funding sources, and calculating the expenses associated with developing the site. The Foundation will be involved in raising required matching funds for Federal funds in order to purchase the site.

Cedar Shore Conservation Easement: A 209 acre conservation easement adjacent to Cedar Shores Resort overlooking the Missouri River near Oacoma was donated to the Foundation by Oasis Motel Ventures. This perpetual easement protects a scenic view and wildlife habitat.

Big Horn Sheep: Gifts from Safari Club International’s Rapid City Chapter helped to support a U.S. Forest Survey of vegetation habitats occupied by the sheep.

Custer State Park: GFP continues negotiations with landowners along the eastern edge of the Park to purchase or secure donations of scenic conservation easements that will preserve scenic vistas along the Park road system. These easements will protect the wide open spaces that are home to many species of wildlife, including herds of Bison, from neighboring development. The Foundation will begin to gather funds to support this effort in 2010.



Bison along the eastern edge of the Park, where undeveloped private land nears the Wildlife Loop.

Sattler Property: Donald, Arnold, Vesta and Charles Sattler made multiple gifts of land to the Foundation in southeastern South Dakota and dedicated the area to their parents, Chris and Louise. An additional 80 acres of land has been donated to the Foundation through a life estate agreement with the Foundation. The Foundation's management of the property this year has focused on increasing the capacity of wetlands to assist in waterfowl production and increasing the productivity of lands for game production.

Spirit Mound: The Foundation manages funds for some of the maintenance and operation expenses for this historic site near Vermillion. The site was visited by the Lewis and Clark expedition.

Williams Ranch: The Foundation will own this Jackson County property near the Badlands for at least 20 years through a purchase leaseback agreement. Small game hunting access, fishing access and limited big game hunting access are available as a result of this agreement.

Expanding the Capacity of the Foundation to Serve its Mission:

Since its start 24 years ago, the South Dakota Parks and Wildlife Foundation has helped GFP acquire, develop and manage a number of public areas. As a result of these efforts, it serves as a manager of resources and property being given through the Foundation to the Department of Game, Fish and Parks. The Foundation has also conducted and facilitated fundraising campaigns for Foundation or GFP projects such as the Mickelson Trail, Outdoor Campus East, and the Adams Education Annex.

Considering the increasing need for public outdoor recreation and education in South Dakota, the Foundation adopted a strategic plan in FY 2009 that calls for expansion of the role of the Foundation to initiate a much more active resource development program. The Board of the Foundation also adopted a list of priority projects that require private support and subsequently hired the development team of Dick and Sue Brown to help implement most of the resource development plan.

The Board also began a membership program at the start of calendar 2009 to provide general support for the Foundation's mission. This program, Friends of Parks and Wildlife, was initiated in the spring of 2009 and has gained 200 annual members to date. These members include Foundation Board and staff members, GFP Commissioners and staff, the Governor and his family, members of our Congressional delegation, and scores of others across the country who value the unique outdoor heritage of South Dakota.

All members receive a "Friends of Parks and Wildlife" sticker and a year's free subscription to GFP's *Conservation Digest*. Members at higher levels receive additional values.



The Board also voted to establish an Unrestricted Endowment to benefit the Foundation in perpetuity. This small endowment is the first in the Foundation and illustrates the increasingly long-range view of the organization. Among other objectives, the Board hopes to attract gifts to the Endowment.

The Year Ahead

Bear Butte:

The Foundation will continue to seek funds to purchase conservation easements from willing landowners. Over \$300,000 is still needed to fund acquisition of priority easements.

Big Sioux Recreation Area:

GFP has a unique opportunity to purchase 100 acres of land north of the existing Big Sioux Recreation Area just west of Brandon. Approximately \$100,000 will be raised privately.

Custer State Park:

The primary fundraising objective for this public treasure is to secure \$200,000 for conservation easements along the Park's wildlife loop. These private funds will be matched by \$2,000,000 in Federal funds.

Park management is also interested in securing sculptures of the two Presidents who made the Park their "summer White House." Sculptures similar to those proposed for the Park are pictured to the right. This project will require about \$90,000 in private funding.



Management of Existing Resources:

The Foundation will continue to manage an ever increasing number of restricted funds and properties for the benefit of people and wildlife in South Dakota. These activities all help Donors achieve their outdoor education, recreation, or conservation objectives. Because the Foundation can facilitate any charitable vision associated with its outdoor mission, there is much it can do to help get everyone outside.

Mickelson Trail Extension to Mt. Rushmore:

The Foundation will continue to monitor the preliminary steps being taken before the Extension can be cleared by federal authorities. Alternative routes from Hill City to Mt. Rushmore will be considered in an environmental impact study.



Outdoor Campus West:

GFP is investing over \$12,000,000 in an office and outdoor education complex in Rapid City over the next year. A capital campaign will raise the additional \$500,000 in private funds needed for the campus, which will provide outdoor skills education for thousands of children and adults each year starting in 2012. A groundbreaking ceremony and campaign kickoff will be held some time in November 2009, and the facility will be open by 2011.

Tony Dean's Acres Memorial:

The family and friends of Tony Dean will achieve their fundraising goal within the year and begin seeking appropriate land that meets their objectives. [Information about these projects and activities is updated www.parkswildlifefoundation.org.](http://www.parkswildlifefoundation.org)

Leadership

Board:

The Board is comprised of business and professional leaders who are also outdoorsmen and women. They are proud to lead a dynamic organization that can respond quickly to opportunities that will enrich the lives of South Dakotans and their guests.



Nettie Myers of Pierre served seven years on the Board before retiring at the beginning of the Fiscal Year.

Nettie Myers is presented with a Board retirement gift by immediate Past President Kitty Kinsman.

The Board added four new members to its roster. These new members include:

Sarah Larson, a Partner in the Davenport Evans Hurwitz & Smith Law Firm in Sioux Falls

Larry Ness, CEO and Board Chair, First Dakota National Bank, Yankton

Dennis McFarland, Dennis McFarland Law, Sioux Falls

Jeff Scherschligt, President & CEO of Howalt-McDowell Insurance, Sioux Falls

Other Board members are:

Ev Hoyt, President

Ken Barker, Vice President

Jay Frink, Secretary/Treasurer

Katherine Kinsman, Immediate Past President

Dick Behl

Brian Boyer

Tom Lillibridge

Dr. Morris Radack

Duane Thurow

Rapid City

Belle Fouché

Beresford

Rapid City

Scotland

Custer

Bonesteel

Yankton

Aberdeen



Jeff Scherschligt considers a property near Sioux Falls with GFP Parks Division head Doug Hofer and the landowner.

Ex Officio Members

Jeff Vonk, Secretary, Department of GFP Pierre
Randy Kemink, Vice Chair, GFP Commission Gettysburg



Kitty Kinsman and husband Steve Zellmer stop along the Mickelson Trail during the Trek.

Chair Ev Hoyt enjoys sharing one of his favorite outdoor activities with a young friend.



Board members deliberate during a recent meeting near Pierre. Meetings are held several times a year across the State.

Board Committees:

Audit

Ken Barker, Chair
Dennis McFarland
Ev Hoyt

Finance & Investment

Jay Frink, Chair
Dick Behl
Morris Radack
Tom Lillibridge

Resource Development

Ev Hoyt, Chair
Ken Barker
Dick Behl
Brian Boyer
Sarah Larson
Dennis McFarland
Jeff Scherschligt

Executive

Ev Hoyt, Chair
Ken Barker
Jay Frink
Jeff Vonk
Randy Kemink

Governance

Kitty Kinsman, Chair
Tom Lillibridge
Duane Thurow
Jeff Vonk

Staff:

*Dick Brown, Development Director,
Wayne Winter, Executive Director,
and Sue Brown, Development Director
as they consider the 109 mile Mickelson
Trail Trek*



Assets

Land	\$2,634,000	2816 acres in 4 properties
Equipment	\$ 111,000	Related to land
Investments		
Restricted	\$1,104,000	Must be used for designated projects, facilities, etc.
Unrestricted	\$ 73,000	Endowment: only a portion may be used each year
Unrestricted	(\$ 11,000)	Operating funds
Total Assets June 30, 2009	\$3,911,000	

In Memory

Tony Dean

In October, 2008, conservation lost one of its foremost leaders. Tony Dean, 67, was an early Board member and officer for the Foundation, serving for ten years. He was a champion for fish and wildlife resources and an avid sportsman. He was committed to preserving these resources for future generations. He was an environmental educator and advocate.

For over two decades, Tony reached more than 200,000 people each week with his award-winning *Tony Dean Outdoors* TV Show and *Dakota Backroads* Radio Program. He also wrote many articles for regional magazines and newspapers.

Tony was also a dedicated family man. His family and friends are working to conserve his legacy by raising funds to purchase provide wildlife habitat, provide for public outdoor recreation, and carry on his commitment to environmental education.



Richard Salzmann

Dick Salzmann died in June, 2009 at the age of 93. He left South Dakota a legacy of his 160 acre property near Iona. The land will be utilized for wildlife production, hunting and public fishing.



Salzmann's work and hobbies reflected his respect for the great outdoors, its flora and fauna. He was a graduate of South Dakota State University in 1941. His degree in Soils-Agronomy led first to a position with the Federal Land Bank in eastern South Dakota. He then accepted an appointment with the U.S. Department of Agriculture as a Soils Scientist and spent the next thirty years mapping and classifying soils in the western US.

When he retired, he moved back to the family farm. At Dick's Rifle Shop in Iona, he did quality work repairing and building hunting and target rifles.

An avid conservationist, Dick planted thousands of trees and created a wildlife habitat area on his land. Pheasants were his favorite wild guests. He was a friend to many of the employees of Game, Fish and Parks in the Chamberlain area.

Legacy Donors:

These donors value a South Dakota Department of Game, Fish and Parks or Foundation outdoor program or great place so much that they make the Foundation part of their estate planning. They are also willing to allow the Foundation to publish their names to encourage others to follow their example. The Foundation started the Legacy program in FY 2009.

Dick and Sue Brown, Custer, SD
Roe and Pat Eidsness, Sioux Falls, SD
Donald and Arnold Sattler, Avon, SD

Contributions

Thank you to the more than 500 business, organizations, individuals and families who contributed in FY 2009 to conserve South Dakota's lands, waters, and wildlife. Whether you gave to a Park or the Friends program or a memorial fund, we are grateful for your help. We are especially appreciative that so many people who live outside our state love our Great Places and honor the wonderful people we enjoy.

To South Dakota Parks, Recreation Areas, Fisheries, Nature Preserves, Outdoor Campuses, and Programs:

Adams Homestead and Nature Area

Connie Bosse	Jefferson, SD
Joan Christiansen	North Sioux City,
Marilyn Christianson	Dakota Dunes, SD
Wade & Martia Huebsch	Morgantown, WV
Stephen & Karrie Mullenburg	Sioux City, IA
Todd Roerig	Lawton, IA
Stephanie Samenus	Anthon, IA
Siouxland Community Foundation	Sioux City, IA
Siouxland Trails Foundation	Sioux City, IA
William & Janet Thayer	McCook Lake, SD
Tudogs Computing	Elk Point, SD
James & Alice Vilone	Sioux City, IA

Bear Butte Conservation Easements

John & Anne Barlow	Rapid City, SD
South Dakota Community Foundation	Pierre, SD
Pre Trial Diversion Account	Pierre, SD

Custer State Park

Tony & Eileen Hayman	Bollingbrook, IL
Justin Kiefat	Wright, WY
Ralph & Constance Newberg	Canyon Lake, TX

Mickelson Trail

Gary L. Cornette	Goshen, SD
Edward Corwin	Rapid City, SD
Brad Exton	Hot Springs, SD
Tom & Donna Haber	Sioux Falls, SD
Mark & Sharon Hasvold	Rapid City, SD
Barbara Horton	Sioux Falls, SD
Craig & Carol Kjar	Custer, SD
Anne & Grant Gormley	Pierre, SD
Loretta Gunderson	Rapid City, SD
Linda Mickelson-Graham	Sioux Falls, SD
Mickelson Trail Affiliates	Hot Springs, SD
Mt. Rushmore National Memorial Society	Keystone, SD
Douglas & Sue Ann Oines	Northfield, MN
Jeff Parker	Sioux Falls, SD
Donald & Gloria Siekmeier	Denver, CO
Chuck Terry	Centennial, CO
Ronnie & Roxanne William	Rapid City, SD

Ft. Sisseton State Park

Emerald & Marilyn Peters
Britton, SD

Newton Hills Caretakers House

Larry & Esther Afdahl	Aberdeen, SD
John & Terry Cornelius	Alamo, CA
C.A. & Julie Crawford	Canton, SD
Guy & Kathleen Dirkson	Sioux Falls, SD
Robert & Karen Evanson	Hudson, SD



Oakwood State Park

Service First Credit Union	Sioux Falls, SD
Sioux Falls Area Community Foundation – Lee Larson Fund	Sioux Falls, SD

Outdoor Campus East

Katherine & Steve Sanford	Sioux Falls, SD
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Outdoor Campus West

Northwest Engineering	Rapid City
Izaak Walton League – Rapid City Chapter	
The Vucurevich Foundation	Rapid City

Richmond Lake Fisheries

Wal-Mart Foundation	Bentonville, AR
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To Memorial Funds

<u>Tony Dean's Acres Memorial</u>		
James Ackerman & Charlene Lund	Pierre, SD	Duane & Darlene Davis
Agronomics, Inc.	Watertown, SD	Garretson, SD
Alaska Wilderness League	Washington, DC	Jeremiah Davis
Roger Albright	Huron, SD	Rapid City, SD
Gerald & Jeanette Ament	Apple Valley, MN	Thomas & Sylvia DeChandt
Carl Anderson	International Falls, MN	San Diego, CA
Myril Arch	Pierre, SD	Delta Waterfowl Foundation
Vivian Asmussen	Pierre, SD	Bismarck, ND
Judith Atkinson	Pierre, SD	Richard & Geraldine Dendinger
AudubonNationalWildlifeRefugeStaff	Coleharbor, ND	St. Cloud, MN
Sebastian & Carole Axtman	Pierre, SD	Devils Lake Visitor's Committee
Michael and Glenda Baker	Sioux Falls, SD	Devil's Lake, ND
Robert Baker	Minneapolis, MN	Darwin Dixon
Tony Baker	Watertown, SD	Sioux Falls, SD
Brett Balk	Sioux Falls, SD	Dennis Doerr & Judith Payne
James Barnett	Sioux Falls, SD	Sioux Falls, SD
Baseball Revocable Living Trust	Morgan, MN	Donald & Nancy Doll
Paul & Lucrece Bauer	Roseville, MN	Brainerd, MN
Beadle County Sportsman's Club	Huron, SD	Mary Sue Donohue
Bipartisan Policy Center	Washington, DC	DeerfieldBeach, FL
Tom Birath	Marshall, MN	Michael & Mary Dott
Irdene Bonzer	Mesa, AZ	Sioux Falls, SD
Robert & Cindy Bowe	Austin, MN	Ducks Unlimited
Day Breitag	Pierre, SD	Memphis, TN
<i>In memory of Floren Hemminger</i>		Harold Duebbert
Brian's Glass & Door, Inc.	Watertown, SD	Fergus Falls, MN
Brookings Wildlife Federation	Brookings, SD	Karen Dunlap
Dick & Sue Brown	Custer, SD	Ironwood, MI
Budget Host Inn	Pierre, SD	Elk Point, SD
James A. Burg	Wessington Springs, SD	Denise Eckert
Dawn Burns	Deadwood, SD	Rodney & Carolyn Eisenbeisz
John & Kara Burt	Fargo, ND	Aberdeen, SD
Jenelle Busse	Pierre, SD	Dennis & Shirley Eisnach
Thomas Carey	Burnsville, MN	Pierre, SD
Carlson Enterprises	Arlington, SD	Shane A. Ellwein
Blake & Candace Carlson	Mound, MN	Ft. Pierre, SD
Jim Carlson	Sioux Falls, SD	Watertown, SD
Cattleman's Club, Inc.	Pierre, SD	Pierre, SD
Century 21 Fischer-Rounds	Pierre, SD	Kathryn & Randy Englund
Bob & Pat Clark	Pierre, SD	Pierre, SD
John & Vera Cooper	Pierre, SD	Jon & Jean Erichson
James Cox	Cologne, MN	Austin, MN
Roscoe & Marilyn Crowell	Gardnerville, NV	Watertown, SD
Dakota Outdoors	Watertown, SD	John Erickson
		Michael & Carol Erickson
		Pierre, SD
		Troy & Amy Erickson
		Salem, SD
		Joseph & Claire Exner
		Morris, MN
		Gerry Faller & Lucinda Foss-Faller
		Maple Grove, MN
		Jerry & Jack Fitzgerald
		Hackensack, MN
		Kelly & Elizabeth Fleissner
		Duluth, MN
		Bill Fleming
		Rapid City, SD
		Joseph & Patricia Fournier
		Maple Grove, MN
		Michael Frome
		Maple Grove, MN
		Kevin Fuerst
		Sioux Falls, SD
		Thomas Fuller
		Sioux Falls, SD
		Donald & Donna Gallimore
		Pierre, SD
		Nick & Charon Geigle
		Wall, SD
		Don Gerber
		St. Peter, MN
		Michael Gilbertson
		Wilmot, SD
		Gilbert Gimbel
		Hazelton, ND
		Jerry & Lisa Gjerde
		Brandon, SD
		Warren Gollither
		Spearfish, SD
		Anne & Grant Gormley
		Pierre, SD
		Steven W. Green
		Horace, ND
		Arthur Dean Gretschmann
		Pierre, SD
		Walter & Frances Gronert
		Des Moines, IA

<u>Tony Dean's Acres Memorial (continued)</u>			
James & Melissa Grover	Baxter, MN	Bob & Ginny La Fortune	Huron, SD
John & Sharon Grover	Hannaford, ND	Ron & Linda La Fortune	Holabird, SD
Harland & June Halverson	Kennebec, SD	Michael Larsen	Morgan, MN
Steve Halverson	Pierre, SD	Ellen & Thomas Lee	Pierre, SD
Diane Halvorson	Kenmare, ND	Jerry & Corrine Leidholt	Pierre, SD
Eric Hammar	Mankato, MN	Ken & Janna Leidholt	Pierre, SD
Hansen Family Foundation	Sioux Falls, SD	Leidholt, McNeely & Leidholt	
Fred & Coleen Harner	Tolstoy, SD	Heating & Cooling	Pierre, SD
Peter & Jeanne Harriman	Sioux Falls, SD	James Lemonds	Sioux Falls, SD
Alfred & Darlene Hauglid	Fairmont, MN	Paul Lepisto & Donna Leslie	Pierre, SD
Scott Hed	Sioux Falls, SD	Arlo & Paulette Levisen	Wilmot, SD
Jim Heeren	Elk Point, SD	Darrell Lilliberg	Mobridge, SD
<i>In memory of Velma Heeren</i>		Kenneth & Debbie Lindblad	Huron, SD
William & Nancy Henke	Detroit Lakes, MN	Dr. Brent & Elizabeth Lindbloom	Pierre, SD
Robert Hess	Terril, IA	John & Patricia Lindquist	Evansville, MN
Darwin & Carmen Heyd	Pierre, SD	Marty & Lisa Link	Aberdeen, SD
Jim & Shirley Hoag	Madison, MN	Joseph & Helen Linnertz	Bismarck, ND
Home Depot Foundation	Stuart, FL	James Litch	Glyndon, MN
Don Hoseth	Medina, MN	Margret Logan	Pierre, SD
Douglas Huberty	Elk River, MN	Steven & Dawn Lunde	Apple Valley, MN
Kent & Frances Hutcheson	Pierre, SD	Dennis & Joni Luxem	Woodbury, MN
International Feed	Loretto, MN	James & Barbara Madsen	Watertown, SD
David Jacobson	Pierre, SD	Madsen Gardens	Brookings, SD
Myron Jakober	Missoula, MT	Wendy & Royce Madsen	Sioux Falls, SD
MJ & Shirley Javurek	Pierre, SD	Terry Makepeace	Appleton, MN
Bob Jensen	Sheffield, IA	Gene & Charlotte Ann Brooker	
Thomas & Roxanne Jes	Plymouth, MN	Mammenga	Maplewood, MN
Michelle Jezeski	Bismarck, ND	Dennis & Marlene Marso	Harrold, SD
B. James & Gail Jockerst	West Glacier, MT	Herbert McClellan	Mobridge, SD
Harris Johnson	Beresford, SD	John & Coleen McCormick	Dassel, MN
William & Emily Johnston	Pierre, SD	John McGinn	Parkers Prairie, MN
Veryl Julson	Sherman, SD	D. A. McKinley	Wooland Park CO
Larry & Jo Kallemeyn	Spearfish, SD	Al & Connie McNeely	Pierre, SD
Keith Kappenman	Madison, SD	Mark & Judith Mierhenry	Dallas, SD
Dennis & Darlene Kassube	Big Stone City, SD	Kim & Penny Mendel	Chancellor, SD
Kemnitz MRest Motel, Inc.	Mobridge, SD	Rodney Mendel	Sioux Falls, SD
Jerome & Karen Kern	Pierre, SD	Steve & Kathryn Miedziak	Cheyenne, WY
Mark Kilen	Duluth, MN	Curt & Judy Miller	Bismarck, ND
Kingbrook Pro Pheasant	Arlington, SD	Larry & Twyla Miller	Huron, SD
Robert Klumb	Pierre, SD	Robert & Gerri Miller	Pierre, SD
Marv Koep	Breezy Point, MN	Minnesota Duck & Goose Callers	
Walter Kosec & Theresa Fraser-Kosec	Red Wing, MN	Association	White Bear Lake, MN
Gordon Krantz	Sioux Falls, SD	Missouri Sedimentation	
Kathryn Kubal & Philip Hannay	Buffalo, MN	Action Coalition	Pierre, SD
Mike & Debra Kuchera	Mitchell, SD	Mobridge Chamber of Commerce	Mobridge, SD
Kuck Enterprises	Pierre, SD	Barry & Kathleen Monfore	Pierre, SD
Pat & Billie Kuck	Pierre, SD	Moody County Sportsmen's Club	Flandreau, SD
Gary & Sarah Kulm	Sioux Falls, SD		

Tony Dean's Acres Memorial (continued)			
Dallas & Eloise Moon	Rapid City, SD	Richard Reed	Huron, SD
Glen Moravek	Pierre, SD	Darrel & Darlene Reinke	Ft. Pierre, SD
Jean Morris	Pierre, SD	Reinke-Gray Wealth Management, Inc.	Pierre, SD
Curt Mortenson	Ft. Pierre, SD	Bradley Riba	Battle Lake, MN
Nettie Myers	Pierre, SD	Gary & Marlys Richter	Brandon, SD
National Wildlife Federation	Reston, VA	Richter Anchors, Inc.	Plymouth, WI
Bernard Nelson	Wadena, MN	<i>In memory of Ray Richter</i>	
Wayne Nelson-Stastny	Yankton, SD	Riverfront Broadcasting, LLC	Pierre, SD Alton &
William & Margie Newling	Pierre, SD	Beverly Rogen	Sherman, SD
Jeff & Becky Nodsle	Corona, SD	Michael & Laurie Roll	Winsted, MN
Blaine & Sally Nordeng	Janesville, WI	Jay Ronning	Brooklyn Park, MN
Northern Chautauqua		L. & J. Root	Rapid City, SD
Conservation Club	Dunkirk, NY	Albert Rostello	Spring Valley, IL
Northern Prairies Land Trust	Sioux Falls, SD	Tom Roster	Klamath Falls, OR
Roger & Nila Novotny	Ft. Pierre, SD	Roy Lake Resort	Lake City, SD
Dave & Jeanne Ode	Pierre, SD	Daniel & Donna Ryan	Prior Lake, MN
Steven & Rebecca Olmstead	Glencoe, MN	Terry Sampson	Watertown, SD
Roger Oltmans	Sioux Falls, SD	Gonzalo & Tiffany Sanchez	Ft. Pierre, SD
Craig Ost	St. Paul, MN	Harold & Evelyn Sand	St. Louis Park, MN
Roy & Mary Overton	Des Moines, IA	Max & Stephanie Sandlin	Brookings, SD
Don Palmer	Aberdeen, SD	Gary Sandness	Woonsocket, SD
Palmer's Mo Rest, Inc.	Mobridge, SD	Howard & Lorraine Sauter	Mandan, ND
Kerry Parcel	Sioux Falls, SD	Charles & Dorcas Scalet	Brookings, SD
Scott & Beth Parr	Yankton, SD	Ronald Schnoor	Minneapolis, MN
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