

Friends of Maltby Lake Watershed Society
Fundraising Code of Ethical Principles and Standards of Practice:
Appendix – Donor Bill of Rights
December 2015

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The board of the Friends of Maltby Lake Stewardship Society declares that all donors have these rights:

- I. To be informed of FMLWS's mission, of the way FMLWS intends to use donated resources, and of its capacity to use donations effectively for their intended purposes.
- II. To be informed of the identity of those serving on the FMLWS's governing board, and to expect the board to exercise prudent judgment in its stewardship responsibilities.
- III. To have access to the FMLWS's most recent financial statements.
- IV. To be assured their gifts will be used for the purposes for which they were given.
- V. To receive appropriate acknowledgement and recognition when requested.
- VI. To be assured that information about their donation is handled with respect and with confidentiality to the extent provided by law.
- VII. To expect that all relationships with individuals representing the FMLWS will be professional in nature.
- VIII. To be informed whether those seeking donations are volunteers, employees of FMLWS or hired solicitors.
- IX. To have the opportunity for their names to be deleted from mailing lists that the FMLWS may intend to share.
- X. To feel free to ask questions when making a donation and to receive prompt, truthful and forthright answers.

If you have comments or questions about the FMLWS donor privacy policy or wish to be removed from our mailing list please email maltbylakefriends@gmail.com

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