

# Conservation for Tax Credits Program

*What you need to know to help your business save money through tax credits and, at the same time, support conservation leadership development for Pennsylvanian youth.*

## How the Program Works

Businesses and Industries donating money, personal property, or services to support the Pennsylvania Institute for Conservation Education (PICE) can receive a tax credit equal to 75% of its contribution up to a maximum of \$200,000 per taxable year; the credit can be increased to 90% of the contribution, if the business agrees to provide the same donation for two consecutive tax years. These tax credits can be used offset your corporate tax liability levied by the Pennsylvania Department of Revenue.

## What are the Costs?

When making a contribution to PICE's Conservation for Tax Credits Program, you may be able to receive your entire donation back through the tax credits and federal charitable deductions (PICE is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization).

## How to Participate

As a business all you need to do is believe in our mission and have a desire to assist the organization by making a contribution. The PICE staff will coordinate and guide your business through the application process.

## Expected Outcomes

Funds from the Conservation for Tax Credits Program will support the *Wildlife Leadership Adventures*, a program providing High School students with training in wildlife ecology knowledge and leadership skills development. By selecting high achieving students and mentoring them over multiple years as they engage in conservation outreach and service in their communities, the Wildlife Leadership Adventures enables youth to become active citizens and to take on the challenge of conservation leadership. Your financial contribution will help secure the long-term sustainability of this program.

## **FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:**

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