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BottleDrop Hosts 6th Annual Earth Week Give event for Oregon Nonprofits

Participating organizations will earn 20% more on funds raised through BottleDrop April 15 - 26

CLACKAMAS, Ore. – The Oregon Beverage Recycling Cooperative (OBRC), which operates the BottleDrop network, launched its [6th Annual Earth Week Give](#) campaign today. During this special period, more than 1,000 [participating nonprofits](#) will earn a 20% match on all funds raised through beverage container redemptions with BottleDrop. The event runs April 15 through April 26.

“We are thrilled to host Earth Week Give once again this year to celebrate Earth Day, Earth Week and the incredible groups who fundraise with [BottleDrop Give](#) Blue Bags year-round,” said Liz Philpott, Public Relations & Philanthropic Programs Manager at OBRC. “We love seeing local organizations and their communities rallying together to recycle their bottles and cans while also raising funds to support their important work.”

New this year, participants also had the opportunity to apply for a special \$500 [Earth Week Give](#) grant. Grant recipients will be announced on BottleDrop’s website and social channels throughout the event.

Nonprofits that fundraise with BottleDrop support a wide range of causes that are important to Oregonians. Participants include organizations across the state that support K-12 schools and PTOs, veterans, sporting and recreation activities, scout troops, libraries, animal rescues, churches, food banks, and environmental conservation groups.

How to Support Participating Nonprofits

Supporters can participate in two ways: donating containers or donating online from a BottleDrop Green Bag account. Interested supporters can connect directly with a participating nonprofit to request one (or more!) of their pre-tagged Blue Bags. After filling the bag with their eligible OR-10 cent bottles and cans, the bag can be returned to any [BottleDrop bag drop location](#) across the state.



BottleDrop Green Bag customers can also [donate online](#). After logging into their online account, customers can view the list of [participating nonprofits](#) and click on the nonprofit's name to learn more and access each nonprofit's custom donation link. Customers can enter how much of their available account balance they would like to donate. There is no minimum or maximum amount required – all donations made through BottleDrop will go directly to the nonprofit. The customer will also receive a confirmation email for each donation.

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About BottleDrop and the Oregon Beverage Recycling Cooperative

The Oregon Beverage Recycling Cooperative is the industry steward of Oregon's nationally recognized beverage container redemption system and the operator of the BottleDrop network. On behalf of the beverage industry, OBRC helps Oregonians conveniently redeem and recycle more than 2 billion containers every year, dramatically reducing litter in Oregon's special places and boosting the state's recycling outcomes. To learn more, visit [BottleDrop.com](#) or [OBRC.com](#).

About Earth Week Give

Launched in 2021, Earth Week Give has helped thousands of nonprofits participating in the [BottleDrop Give](#) Blue Bag program raise more than \$1 million, by redeeming and recycling eligible bottles and cans. During Earth Week Give 2024, 1,117 nonprofits raised over \$290,000 including BottleDrop's match and prizes.

Photos and graphics

Visual assets are available [here](#).