

# WE CARE WE COUNT

faculty and staff giving campaign

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

**Q:** What is a pledge?

**A:** A pledge is a commitment to support UNT in the amount that you choose to support a fund that you designate. Pledges may be fulfilled in one installment or can be fulfilled in monthly installments for up to twelve (12) months.

**Q:** What is a recurring gift?

**A:** Recurring gifts include gifts to be fulfilled by debit/credit card, payroll deduction or automatic bank draft that are debited by UNT each month. Recurring gifts have no specific end date.

**Q:** What is a payroll deduction gift?

**A:** Payroll deduction gifts are those made using the WCWC 2017 Gift Form which requests the gift be fulfilled by deducting the funds from your paycheck.

**Q:** I already work here; why should I give?

**A:** Support from faculty and staff—above and beyond your day-to-day duties as an employee—is a strong vote of confidence in UNT. A financial contribution is an important way to demonstrate your investment in UNT and UNT students.

**Q:** Is this the same as the State Employee Charitable Campaign (SECC)?

**A:** No. Gifts made through SECC are to support local/community charitable organizations external to UNT. Leveraging We Care We Count allows you to:

- direct your gift to any one of UNT's scholarships, departments or programs
- ensure 100% of your gift supports UNT students

**Q:** What are the tax benefits of giving to UNT?

**A:** Your gift is tax deductible as allowable by law and you will receive a physical receipt for each contribution. Gifts fulfilled via payroll deduction will receive one tax-ready statement in January 2018. Monthly information about your gift will be summarized on your paycheck stub.

***\*Important information regarding Payroll Deduction:***

Faculty and staff can expect to see any requested payroll deductions or cancellations two months subsequent from the month in which the request is received by the Division of Advancement. For example, if you submit the cancellation form in April, you can expect to see the changes reflected on your June paycheck.

This is with the exception of payroll cancellation requests and pledges for Mean Green Club memberships, which will take effect on September 1, 2017.

More FAQs can be found online at [www.unt.edu/wecarewecount](http://www.unt.edu/wecarewecount)