



## Columbia, Illinois Memorial Bench Donation Program

### About the Program

The Memorial Bench Donation Program allows groups or individuals to donate a park bench to commemorate a special event or remember a loved one. The City has identified locations along the GM&O Heritage Trail (12 available) and at Admiral-Trost Park (6 available) where benches may be placed.

### Cost

The cost to donate a bench is \$1775.00 and is tax deductible. This cost includes the bench, concrete, labor and a memorial plaque. Plaques can accommodate a limited amount of wording. Installation depends on the time of year received and the number of preceding orders. The City makes every effort to install benches within three to six months of your order.

### Ordering Your Bench

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Location: 

GM&O Trail		Admiral-Trost Park	
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**Make check payable to:** City of Columbia

**Return this form and payment to:**

City of Columbia  
Bench Donation Program  
208 S. Rapp Ave.  
Columbia, IL 62236