# What do "FRIENDS" members do?

### **Dearborn Symphony Orchestra:**

- Sponsor one concert each season, for \$20,000 to \$30,000 per year totaling about \$300,000 for the past 15 years
- Underwrite the Principal French Horn Chair
- Provide Dress Rehearsal Hospitality (refreshments for musicians)

# **Support Dearborn Symphony Special Projects:**

Partner / assist with:

- Children's concerts
- Annual Gala fundraiser
- Concert afterglows
- Variations on a Violin fundraising raffle during the 2003-2004 season

## **Dearborn Symphony Endowment Fund:**

(Provided seed money for the DOSEF in 1992)

- Contributions through June 2004 total more than \$100,000
- Assisted with "Starry January Night" (fundraiser)

### With our members:

- Membership Open House (September)
- Holiday Social (December)
- Annual Meeting and Luncheon (June)
- Fundraising Projects such as the Annual Symphony Home Tour, Taste of Music, Precious Collections Sale, Entertainment Book sales, Bridge-arama, and other special projects.

### To keep our members informed:

# Allegro!

Our newsletter is mailed each month to remind us of events, request help with our projects and to recognize our efforts.

### **Community at large:**

- Taste of Music (An experience in exciting eating and musical entertainment, donated by generous hosts and musicians; fundraiser)
- Youth Scholarships (individually awarded)
- Dearborn Youth Symphony Scholarships
- Instrumental & Vocal Clinics (partner with Dearborn Public Schools)
- Symphony Home Tour, fundraiser; showcase different neighborhood each year
- Participation in civic and community events

### Other proud accomplishments:

- Active support for the Ford Community and Performing Arts Center
- Commissioned "Detroit Through the River of Time," an original piece for the Dearborn Symphony and the Dearborn Public Schools' Youth Choir, performed in November 2001

### Member of:

• Dearborn Community Arts Council

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Life Membership	\$350		Mail to:
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Questions? Call Shirley 734-266-3106 or the Symphony office 313-565-2424

\*Includes spouse and unmarried children up to 18 years of age.

# Please complete membership level info other side and mail as directed. Thank you

# Friends of the Dearborn Symphony Membership Form

to appear in the membership directory: you would like it

Your Name as

Spouse's Name:

Address

(apply mail labels, answer phone, take (docent, home chair, publicity, etc.)

reservations, etc.)

Home Phone

Alternate Phone:

Friends of the Dearborn Symphony is an organization of more than 200 women and men who join in May be able to help with the following support of the Dearborn Symphony Orchestra! "Friends" strives to create a supportive atmosphere, encouraging members to contribute their time and talents. We foster and celebrate friendship and community spirit among our members.

# **FRIENDS** OF THE **DEARBORN SYMPHONY**



Founded 1962 – Incorporated 1983

### STATEMENT OF **PURPOSE:**

The purpose of Friends of the Dearborn Symphony, formerly WADOS, is to provide financial support for the Dearborn Symphony, build knowledgeable and supportive audiences, and provide educational opportunities for students, members and adults. By so doing, we enhance the quality of life in Dearborn and surrounding communities.