



Give an Alternative Gift

-The Gift of Nature-

to the

Welty Environmental Center

**This Holiday Season ... or Wedding Anniversary
... or Birthday ... or Just Because!**

- * Do you have people on your gift list who already have almost everything they need and want? Are they interested in the environment? In natural history? In outdoor education? In minimal consumerism? In connecting children with nature?
- * When a relative or friend asks you, “What do you want for Christmas... Hanukkah ... your birthday, etc.,” do you wrack your brain to come up with a suitable gift they might give you?

An Alternative Gift to the Welty Environmental Center is the perfect answer for all these occasions, and many others!

What is an Alternative Gift?

It is the gift of money given to a charitable organization in the name of another person.

Choose a Donation to Welty as your Alternative Gift!

You could give money on behalf of a relative, friend or associate to the Welty Environmental Center in order to support its work of “connecting people with nature” and “fostering a sustainable world.”

On the other hand, you could suggest that, rather than receiving a material gift this year, you would be delighted if other people gave you an alternative gift by donating to Welty.

How much money should I give?

That’s entirely up to you; however, we suggest you donate the amount that you would otherwise have spent on a material gift for that individual.

What happens next?

When the Welty Environmental Center receives the alternative gift donation, it will send the giver an attractive gift card, or several cards if you are gifting several people. Inside the card is information about Welty’s work, and the inscription:

*A donation has been made in your name
to the*

Welty Environmental Center

You may then add your own personal message, and send it to the recipient to arrive at the appropriate time.

How can I find more information about the Welty Environmental Center and its programs?

- * Visit the website: www.weltycenter.org
- * Contact the Center at 608-361-1377 or info@weltycenter.org