

## The Historic Lincoln Theatre

Built in 1926, generations of patrons hail the historic Lincoln Theatre for its originality and beauty, and return to the Lincoln year after year to enjoy movies, live performances, and community events.

The Lincoln is a 490-seat shoebox style theatre whose original Spanish-Moorish style architecture, with original murals and proscenium, draws attention.

Hosting over 30,000 attendees per year, the Lincoln serves as an important regional performing arts venue and as the cultural cornerstone of historic downtown Mount Vernon.

Owned by the City of Mount Vernon, the Lincoln Theatre Center Foundation leases the Lincoln Theatre for \$12 per year and manages the historic facility and diverse performing arts programming with a small, highly dedicated staff, a large body of invaluable volunteers and an intensely loyal group of members and sponsors.

Built in the heyday of vaudeville troupes and silent films, the Spanish style decor of the historic Lincoln Theatre still envelopes audiences in a bygone era, the original Wurlitzer still plays before films, and the boards still reverberate with the sounds of drama and music.



*The mission of the Lincoln Theatre Foundation is to entertain, inform and inspire our diverse Skagit County community through cinema, live performance and educational programs while preserving the historic Lincoln Theatre.*

# LINCOLN THEATRE

## Lincoln Theatre Center Foundation Endowment

### Preserving the Legacy of the Historic Lincoln Theatre

*You're invited to make a  
lasting commitment to the  
Lincoln Theatre with a planned gift*



## Lincoln Legacy Circle

We invite you to become part of the Lincoln Legacy Circle, and join other supporters in making a lasting commitment to the historic Lincoln Theatre through the Lincoln Theatre Center Foundation Endowment.

As a citizen of our local community, you can contribute to the restoration, maintenance and operation of this local treasure.

Through donations and planned giving, you will join in achieving the goal of \$500,000 in the Lincoln Endowment. The Endowment will then become a reliable source of income in perpetuity, ensuring the continued preservation and operation of the historic Lincoln Theatre and providing funding for theatre arts programming for generations to come.



## Ways to give to the Endowment

Direct cash donations may be sent at any time to the Lincoln Theatre with the designation of Lincoln Theatre Center Foundation Endowment.

With planned giving, you decide what to give, how to give and when to give. Many planned gifts offer advantages to both the donor and the recipient. In consultation with your financial advisor or lawyer, you determine a gift plan that best fits your charitable interests, family needs and financial situation.

### Planned Giving Opportunities

- Donation of publicly traded securities - stocks or mutual funds
- IRA or retirement plan distributions
- Bequest in your will or living trust
- Beneficiary designations in vehicles such as a life insurance policy, retirement plan or other asset
- Personal property
- Real property
- Charitable lead or remainder trusts
- Charitable Annuities

## Leave Your Legacy for Generations to Come

If you have already included a commitment to the Lincoln Theatre Center Foundation Endowment in your planned giving, please let us know. We would like to express our appreciation and include you in the Lincoln Legacy Circle.

### Designation Information:

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The Lincoln Theatre Center Foundation Endowment is managed by the Skagit Community Foundation, [www.skagitcf.org](http://www.skagitcf.org).

The purpose of this publication is to provide general gift giving information. For advice and assistance in specific cases, the services of an attorney or other professional advisor should be obtained.

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