

As a business owner,

Doug Cummings has long understood the integral role the arts have on the growth and quality of life of a community.

But when he was asked in the 1980s to serve on the board of what was then the Oklahoma Symphony Orchestra he wasn't sure he was the right man for the job. "I had attended a country school; really I had no background in this type of thing," he explains. Mr. Cummings did join the board and his wife Peggy became an active member of the Orchestra League. The couple are strong supporters and fans of the Oklahoma City Philharmonic.

"After joining the board I soon developed a greater appreciation for the orchestra," he says. "It is an important contributor to the arts in Oklahoma City and truly serves as an anchor for the arts in the area."

The Cummings recommend gifts from their advised fund at the Oklahoma City Community Foundation to support the Philharmonic and other nonprofit organizations.

"I was working with John Kirkpatrick when he and others were putting the Community Foundation together," he says. "I quickly saw through their actions the benefits to be gained and that it had real potential. The Oklahoma City Community Foundation makes it easy and convenient and brings real credibility to charitable giving."

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