Criteria For Charity Support

**First Steps**

* In line with our business values. Mission statement alignment.
* Find out what charities our members are supporting
* Check finances of charity (public information)
* Allow members to vote after selecting 3-5

**Picking A Charity**

* Criteria of charity
	+ Size of Charity
	+ Age of organization
	+ Local impact
	+ Collect donations
	+ Offer time and labor
* Charity should provide
	+ Name
	+ Proof of I.R.S status
	+ Local Programs
	+ Define local impact
	+ Ensure local impact
	+ Define its mission
	+ A representative to work with
	+ Involvement in the partnership
	+ Events or programs that we can volunteer for
	+ Easy incorporation of the association volunteers into charity programs
	+ Recognition of WIC-NM’s efforts
	+ Short term involvement