

Rural Hospital Investment Program (RHIP) Tax Credit Board Approved Third Party Entities

- **Alabama Health Research and Education Foundation (AlaHA)**
 - 0% admin fee*
 - Donations will be distributed based on the Board's undesignated donation distribution formula shown below. For information regarding donations and AlaHA's distribution methodology, please contact Stephen McCormick at smccormick@alaha.org.
- **Alabama Rural Hospital Foundation**
 - 5% admin fee*
 - Donations will be distributed to eligible rural hospitals based on the Foundation's specified criteria. For more information regarding donations and the Foundation's distribution methodology, please contact Charlie Taylor at ctaylor@rosstaylorassociates.com.

**An eligible rural hospital may retain a person, third party, or an organization to solicit or manage the qualified donations it receives for a percentage fee of the qualified donations solicited or managed, but the total fees shall not exceed five percent of the total amount of qualified donations received during the calendar year.*

Undesignated Donation Distribution Information

The Rural Hospital Investment Program Board provides the ranking of eligible rural hospitals according to their level of financial need. The ranking is organized into tiers, with each lower-numbered tier indicating a higher level of financial need. Accordingly, hospitals classified in Tier 1 demonstrate the greatest financial need, while those in Tier 5 reflect the least level of financial need.

The undesignated funds will be distributed equally within each tier. The undesignated funds will be divided among the tiers in the following manner:

Tier One - 30%
Tier Two - 25%
Tier Three - 20%
Tier Four - 15%
Tier Five - 10%

If a hospital within a tier has reached its individual cap, the remaining undesignated funds will be distributed amongst the others in the tier.