

# Honoring Silent Keys Through Equipment Donation

When a fellow ham becomes a Silent Key, their equipment represents more than radios and antennas - it's a legacy of connection, friendship, and exploration. If you've inherited amateur radio gear from a loved one, the Indianapolis Radio Club offers a meaningful way to honor their memory.

## Continuing the Legacy

Our club is dedicated to helping new operators, especially young hams, discover amateur radio. By donating equipment, you ensure it continues serving the community just as it did in your loved one's hands.

## How Your Donation Helps

**Working Equipment:** Our experienced volunteers inspect and refurbish donated gear, placing functional items directly with new hams - particularly young people beginning their radio journey.

**Auction Items:** Equipment that's outdated or non-functional is sold in our annual auction, raising essential funds for:

- New ham training programs
- Monthly exam sessions
- Community outreach initiatives

Every donation strengthens our ability to keep amateur radio vibrant and accessible.

## Tax Benefits

As a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit, your donation is tax-deductible, providing a practical benefit during a difficult time.

## Make a Donation

We're here to make the process simple and respectful. Your generosity will help new hams experience the same joy and connection your loved one found in amateur radio.

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