

How to Find CDFW's Voluntary Contribution Funds in TurboTax for Tax Year 2017

If the **California Contributions** page doesn't appear as you prepare your state income tax return, follow these steps to open it.

1. Click **STATE TAXES** tab near top of page.
2. Click the blue **Continue** button at lower right.
3. Select **California** on the "Your State Returns" page and click **Start**.
4. Click **Forms** near top of screen. It should open to the **California Information Worksheet**. (Information entered here will automatically be copied on Form 540.)
 - a. Scroll down to **Part VIII – California Contributions**.
 - b. Enter whole dollar amounts you wish to donate on the following lines:
 - Line 4: Rare and Endangered Species Preservation Program
 - Line 9: California Sea Otter Fund
 - Line 24: Native California Wildlife Rehabilitation Voluntary Tax Contribution Fund

If you'd rather skip the worksheet and go straight to **Form 540**, look in the far left column and

1. Scroll down past the **California Individual** header to the **Contributions** section.
2. Enter the whole dollar amounts you wish to donate on the following lines:
 - Line 403: Rare and Endangered Species Preservation Program
 - Line 410: California Sea Otter Fund
 - Line 439: Native California Wildlife Rehabilitation Voluntary Tax Contribution Fund

Save your entries and know you've done something to benefit California's native wildlife and the habitats they need to survive. Thank you very much!

