

How to Find CDFW's Voluntary Contribution Funds in TurboTax for Tax Year 2018

If the **California Contributions** page doesn't appear as you prepare your state income tax return using TurboTax 2018, please follow these steps to open it.

1. Click the **STATE TAXES** tab near the top of the page.
2. Click on **VIEW** near the top-left of the screen. Then click **FORMS**. That should open the **California Information Worksheet 2018** in the right column. (Information entered there will automatically be copied on Form 540.)
 - a. Scroll down to **Part VIII – California Contributions**.
 - b. Enter the 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 and click **Form 540**. The form will appear in the right column.
2. Scroll the right column down to the **Contributions** section. 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 return and know you've done something to benefit California's native wildlife and the habitats they need to survive. **Thank you very much!**

