



Tax Credits for CASA Donors

CASA of South Mississippi has been approved through the Department of Revenue as a qualified charitable organization. This allows for CASA donors--both individuals & businesses to receive a tax credit for their donation.

Why This Matters Today

Despite recruiting an incredible 33 new CASA Volunteers who have been trained and sworn in, the number of children in foster care has increased over the last several months. Children on the waiting list must now wait longer to receive a CASA.



Children Are Waiting. And the Line Got Longer.



164

Children Still Need
an Advocate

What Keeps Us Up at Night

While we are encouraged by the support of the community & the dedicated service of our CASA volunteers, there is still work to be done. The number that keeps us up at night is **164 Children** who still need a CASA to advocate for their best interests.

The goal has not changed. Every child deserves a CASA. The way we *reach our goal* must include new approaches to fund this vital program for abused and neglected children.

Individual and business donors can use tax credits to help CASA reduce the number of children waiting for a CASA volunteer.

2026 YTD Impact



146

Volunteers



302

Children
Served



5,803

Hours of
Service
to the
Children



962

Advocates Made
Fact-Based
Recommendations
in Court



96%

of those
Recommendations
Became Orders of the
Court

Serving Hancock, Harrison, and Stone Counties