

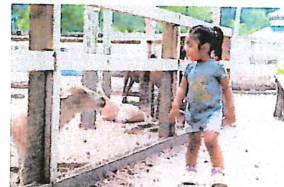
# POTAWATOMI ZOO

## ZOO IMPROVEMENTS

### Deferred Maintenance: \$2.2 Million

To meet AZA accreditation, the zoo will be completing deferred maintenance such as:

- Repaving guest pathways
- New carnivore containment for leopard and lion that meets current carnivore containment standards
- New roofs
- New HVAC and electrical systems
- New, safer patron fence throughout zoo
- New animal containment all throughout East Barn
- New fencing throughout Zoo Farm
- Repairs to several buildings
- New decking at alligator
- Repairs to the tiger exhibit





## Potawatomi Zoo Entrance

A \$3 million capital project, the first phase of the Zoo's master plan is a true community partnership.

- Leveraging \$450,000 in Regional Cities funding for the project, the Potawatomi Zoological Society raised \$1.5 million in private funding for the entrance, a combination of grants and individual gifts, including a landmark \$500,000 naming gift.
- The Zoo's new entrance is designed to accommodate more guests per year and improve the flow of entry to the Zoo.
- Since 2014, the Society has raised over \$3.5 million in funds for new capital projects and is currently planning the next capital campaign for giraffes and a redesigned North America area.





## Zoo Entrance: \$1.5 Million

The entrance project also includes:

- ADA-compliant bathrooms and thoroughfares
- Family bathroom
- New point-of-sale system
- Improved gift shop experience
- Twice as much space for education and classes
- Dedicated group and field trip entrance

