



Diamond Way Buddhist Retreat Center Project

STEPS ON THE WAY
WALK-A-THON 2007

Please join DWBC NA for the
3rd Annual STEPS ON THE WAY WALK-A-THON
Saturday, September 15th, 2007

A coast-to-coast fund raising event for the North American Retreat Center!

On Saturday September 15th in cities across the US and Canada, people will be walking 10+ miles as part of the STEPS ON THE WAY fundraiser. With your support, Diamond Way Buddhist Centers (DWBC) will build our first North American Retreat and Study Center. This center will preserve and continue the teachings of the Karma Kagyu Diamond Way school of Tibetan Buddhism. It will be a place where the teachers, methods, and traditions of this authentic 1,000 year-old Tibetan Buddhist lineage can continue to be studied and practiced.

We have found beautiful property in Westcliffe, Colorado. This land, a 188 acre parcel and an additional adjoining 58 acre parcel, is perfect for building and creating a Diamond Way Buddhist Retreat Center. This discovery provides us a unique opportunity to make these teachings more accessible to Buddhist, friends of Buddhism, and all who wish to grow spiritually.



To purchase this land, we need to raise \$200,000 by November 1, 2007. Your generous donations will make this retreat center a reality. All funds raised for the **3rd Annual STEPS ON THE WAY WALK-A-THON** will go to purchase this land and for the construction of the retreat center facilities.

How to Help: Sponsor a STEPS Participant. Support a Walker and pledge or a make **general donation** Diamond Way Buddhist Centers USA is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization and all of your generous contributions are fully tax-deductible.

Donations can be made online at:

<https://ssl4.westserver.net/diamondway.org/retreatcenter/3donor.php>.

To make a general donation, in the Comments section enter, "STEPS-ON-THE-WAY."

To sponsor a STEPS participant, in the Comments section enter, "STEPS-ON-THE-WAY donation for [STEPS participant name] in [STEPS participant city]."

For more information go to the Diamond Way Retreat Center Web site:

<http://www.diamondway.org/retreatcenter/>

Thank you so much!