

Bequest Language

You may leave an unrestricted or restricted bequest of cash, property, or a portion or the entire residue of your estate. The following language illustrates these options:

1. "I give to Goodwill Heritage Foundation the sum of \$_____ (*or description of property)."
Add in your wishes here, eg. It is my wish that this gift be used to support youth initiatives.
2. "I give, devise, bequeath to Goodwill Heritage Foundation, 714 S 27th St, Tacoma WA 98409, EIN 68-054847 (insert sum, percentage, description of property). This gift is intended to be distributed where the Goodwill Foundation Board of Directors determines the need is greatest."
3. "All of the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate, both real and personal, of every kind and description, wherever situated and whether now owned or hereafter acquired, including any property with respect to which I may have power of appointment, I give, devise, bequeath to Goodwill Heritage Foundation, 714 S 27th St, Tacoma WA 98409, EIN 68-054847 to be held, invested, and reinvested in perpetuity and the income therefrom used to (insert wish of how gift to be used, eg. to support adult emergency needs)."

4. Safeguard language:

"If in the future, there is no longer a need or circumstance should render this bequest impossible or impractical so specified in the opinion of Goodwill Heritage Foundation Board of Directors, to use the gift for the purposes above set forth, then the Board of Directors may in their discretion use the gift for other programs, keeping in mind the original wishes of the donor."

This language is merely provided to you as an example of more common bequest commitments. We encourage you to have further dialogue with our staff to discuss giving options, as well as personal consultation with your attorney in all matters related to your Will and Estate Planning.

