



**Supporting  
your community,  
organizations,  
and causes you  
care about is an  
important part of  
your life and  
core values.**

What if you could continue to provide donations to those organizations after your lifetime? What if you left something meaningful to the charities that you are most passionate about?

**To learn more  
about giving  
through your will  
to support causes  
you're passionate  
about, contact  
your professional  
advisor or call us  
at 785-823-1800.**



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Planning Today to  
**Give Tomorrow**





**When you leave a gift to the community foundation through your will, your life's work and what you care about most live on forever, creating your legacy.**

**Your gift will leave the world better than you found it and inspire others to do the same.**

## Create your legacy through your will!

Including the community foundation in your will or trust is a simple, significant way to support one or many causes close to your heart, forever.

When you make a planned gift to the community foundation, you plant an investment that will continue to **grow over time** and benefit your community, far beyond your lifetime!

## It's easy and anyone can do it.

Giving through your will is easy and you don't have to be wealthy to do it. Whether your nest egg is large or small, your gift will ensure the good work of charitable organizations continues in your name (or anonymously).

Whether it's naming the community foundation in your will or trust for a modest amount, a gift of a house or property, stocks, or business holdings, there are many options that can be tailored to best fit your needs.



Retirement  
Accounts



Stocks, Bonds,  
Mutual Funds



Farmland  
& Property



Life  
Insurance

## Easy process. Big impact!

**Your professional advisor will help you document your charitable wishes in your will.**

Gifts in your will can exist side-by-side with other beneficiaries and family priorities. Once you have provided for your loved ones, we work with you and your advisor to document your charitable wishes and carry them out as you intend.

**We will take special care to honor your wishes and protect your gift's value.**

You can use a planned gift to either create your own "fund for the future" or add to an existing fund at the community foundation. We'll help you and your professional advisor find the best fit for your gift so it creates permanent impact for the causes you love!

**Your favorite organizations will receive annual support from your gift, forever.**

If your favorite causes change, we can easily make updates without revising your will. If a charity you support ever closes or changes its mission, rest assured that even after your lifetime, we will work diligently to preserve your original intent.