

**Bequest Language** - In order to make a bequest, you should speak with your attorney. Your attorney can help you include a bequest to Four County Community Foundation in your estate plan. We have provided some basic bequest language to assist you and your attorney.

**1. Specific Bequest**

**a. Bequest of a Specific Dollar Amount**

I hereby give, devise, and bequeath *SPECIFIC DOLLAR AMOUNT* dollars to Four County Community Foundation, a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization located at 231 E. St. Clair – PO Box 539, Almont, MI, Federal Tax ID 382736601 for the Foundation's general use and purpose.

**b. Bequest of Specific Personal Property**

I hereby give, devise and bequeath *DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY* to Four County Community Foundation, a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization located at 231 E. St. Clair – PO Box 539, Almont, MI 48003, Federal Tax ID 382736601, for the Foundation's general use and purpose.

**c. Bequest of Specific Real Estate**

I hereby give, devise and bequeath all of the right, title and interest in and to the real estate located at *ADDRESS OR DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY* to Four County Community Foundation, a nonprofit organization located at 231 E. St. Clair – PO Box 539, Almont, MI 48003, Federal Tax ID 382736601, for the Foundation's general use and purpose.

**2. Percentage Bequest**

I hereby give, devise, and bequeath *SPECIFIC PERCENTAGE* percent of my total estate, determined as of the date of my death, to Four County Community Foundation, a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization located at 231 E. St. Clair – PO Box 539, Almont, MI 48003, Federal Tax ID 382736601, for the Foundation's general use and purpose.

**3. Residual Bequest**

I hereby give, devise, and bequeath to Four County Community Foundation, a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization located at 231 E. St. Clair – PO Box 539, Almont, MI 48003, Federal Tax ID 382736601 *ALL OR A PERCENTAGE* of the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate to be used for the Foundation's general use and purpose.

**4. Contingent Bequest**

If *PRIMARY BENEFICIARY* does not survive me, then I hereby give, devise, and bequeath to Four County Community Foundation, a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization located at 231 E. St. Clair – PO Box 539, Almont, MI 48003, Federal Tax ID 382736601, *DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY* to be used for the Foundation's general use and purpose.

**5. Restricted Bequests**

If you are making a restricted bequest, we recommend that your attorney include the following provision to give Four County Community Foundation flexibility should it no longer be possible for the Foundation to use your gift as you originally intended:

*If, in the judgment of the Board of Trustees of Four County Community Foundation, it shall become impossible for the Foundation to use this bequest to accomplish the specific purposes of this bequest, Four County Community Foundation may use the income and principal of this gift for such purpose or purposes as the Board determines is most closely related to the restricted purpose of my bequest.*