

Sample Will Wording

A planned gift is a meaningful way to support the Assiniboine Park Conservancy Inc. in our mission to enhance the Assiniboine Park experience for present and future generations. Thank you for your consideration as you plan this legacy gift.

If you are preparing a will for the first time, or are making changes to your current will, please discuss your intentions of including the Assiniboine Park Conservancy Inc. in your will with your lawyer or financial planner.

If you wish to make a change in your current will, check with your lawyer or financial planner about preparing a codicil. A codicil is a notation that keeps your existing will intact and alters or adds items that you wish to change.

For a gift without restrictions, to be used in the area of greatest need at Assiniboine Park:

"I give to Assiniboine Park Conservancy Inc. _____ (state amount, percentage of estate, or "the residue of my estate remaining") for the purpose of supporting the highest priority needs as determined by the Assiniboine Park Gift Acceptance Committee.

For a gift of a specific asset, such as shares in a company:

"I give to Assiniboine Conservancy Inc. 500 shares of AnyCompany, for the purpose of supporting the highest priority needs as determined by the Assiniboine Park Gift Acceptance Committee."

For a gift to be endowed to benefit Assiniboine Park Conservancy Inc. in perpetuity:

"I give to Assiniboine Park Conservancy Inc. _____ (state amount, percentage of estate, or "the residue of my estate remaining") to be invested in an endowment and the income generated used to benefit a priority project on an annual basis."

**All endowments are held at The Winnipeg Foundation*

For a gift designated to support an area of the Park that is of interest to you:

"I give to Assiniboine Park Conservancy Inc. _____ (state amount, percentage of estate, or "the residue of my estate remaining") for the purpose of supporting _____ " (sample options):

- capital redevelopment
- operations:
 - Assiniboine Park Zoo
 - Gardens
 - Programming/Education
 - Park refurbishment
- research and conservation efforts

When making a designated gift, if it should become impossible, inadvisable, or impractical to use this gift for the purpose stated in your will, the Gift Acceptance Committee of Assiniboine Park Conservancy Inc. may at its discretion use the gift for the highest priority needs of Assiniboine Park Conservancy Inc., keeping in mind the spirit and original intentions of your gift.

Thank you for your support.

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