

## Sample Bequest Language

The following are examples of three outright gift provisions. The sample language illustrates how a bequest or a gift through a living trust can be accomplished and is intended to be used for educational purposes rather than as advice. We encourage donors to share this information with their legal counsel and recommend that anyone undertaking estate planning do so with the consultation of an attorney.

- Specific bequest of an asset to Funding Arts Broward, Inc.

"I give \_\_\_\_\_ (describe asset) to Funding Arts Broward, Inc., a Florida non-profit corporation, EIN# 59-0151317, 1350 E. Sunrise Blvd., Suite 110, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33304, to further the objectives and purposes of the organization and its mission."

- A cash bequest provides Funding Arts Broward, Inc. with a specified sum of money from a donor's estate.

"I give \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars (\$\_\_\_\_\_) to Funding Arts Broward, Inc., a Florida non-profit corporation, EIN# 59-0151317, 1350 E. Sunrise Blvd., Suite 110, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33304, to further the objectives and purposes of the organization and its mission."

- A residuary bequest is made from the residue, or what remains in a donor's estate after specific cash bequests, taxes, settlement costs and debts are satisfied. This type of bequest is sensitive to changes in the size of the estate over time.

"I give the residue (or \_\_\_\_\_ percent of the residue) of my estate to Funding Arts Broward, Inc., a Florida non-profit corporation, EIN# 59-0151317, 1350 E. Sunrise Blvd., Suite 110, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33304, to further the objectives and purposes of the organization and its mission."