



Sample language to use in your will or trust

General bequest

If you intend to leave an outright gift of cash, securities or other property by designating a specific dollar amount, a particular asset or a fixed percentage of your estate to Mary Bridge Brigade to be used for general purposes:

"After taking care of all expenses, debts and other provisions, I give, devise and bequeath ___ percent of the rest and residue [or \$___ if a specific amount] to Mary Bridge Brigade, a Washington-based charitable organization [Tax ID# 91-6030192] currently with administrative offices at 311 S L Street Tacoma, WA 98405."

Specific bequest

If you intend to make an outright bequest for a specific purpose, such as to support advocacy or homeowner education:

"I, [name], of [city, state, ZIP], give, devise and bequeath to Mary Bridge Brigade [written amount or percentage of the estate or description of property] for its charitable purposes, including but not limited to _____ use and purpose."