

The Easiest Way to Empower Girls

By including a **charitable bequest** to **Girl Scouts of Hawaii** in your will or living trust, you are ensuring that we will be here to empower girls for generations to come. Gifts to Girl Scouts can also entitle your estate to an unlimited federal estate tax charitable deduction.

Here's some Sample Gift Language - Share the following language that matches your goals with your estate planning attorney to easily complete a gift in your will or trust.

Unrestricted Gift

An unrestricted bequest is for our general purposes, to be used at the discretion of our governing board: [Girl Scouts of Hawaii] to receive [the sum of __specific amount__ or __percentage__ percent of the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate]. This bequest is unrestricted, and the board or other governing body may use and expend the bequest in any manner it deems appropriate.

Residual Gift

A residual bequest comes to us after your estate expenses and specific bequests are paid: I give to Girl Scouts of Hawaii, all (or state a percentage) of the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate, both real and personal, to be used for its general support (or for the support of a specific fund or program).

Specific Gift

Naming Girl Scouts of Hawaii as a beneficiary of a specific amount from your estate is easy: I give to Girl Scouts of Hawaii, located in Hawaii, the sum of \$_____ to be used for its general support (or for the support of a specific fund or program).

Contingent Gift

Girl Scouts of the Hawaii can be named as a contingent beneficiary in your will or personal trust if one or more of your specific bequests cannot be fulfilled: If (insert name) is not living at the time of my demise, I give to Girl Scouts of Hawaii, located in Hawaii, the sum of \$_____ (or all or a percentage of the residue of my estate) to be used for its general support (or for the support of a specific fund or program).

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Retirement Plan Beneficiary

You may name Girl Scouts of Hawaii as a beneficiary of your IRA or other qualified retirement benefits. You should consult with your tax advisor regarding the tax benefits of such gifts.

Naming Girl Scouts of Hawaii as the beneficiary of a qualified retirement plan asset such as a 401(k), 403(b), IRA, Keogh or profit sharing pension plan will accomplish a charitable goal while realizing significant tax savings. Making a charitable gift from your retirement plan is easy and should not cost you any attorney fees. Simply request a change-of-beneficiary form from your plan administrator.

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