Types of giving

PLANNED GIVING

Choose from many giving options, including naming Hawai'i Nature Center as a beneficiary in your will. The sample language can be used as a guide; however, please consult with your estate planner for specific language to be used for your situation.

Types of Bequests

Specific Bequest: A gift that is to be used for a particular purpose.

"I give, devise and bequeath [identify here a specific sum of money, percentage or a specific asset] to Hawai'i Nature Center, a nonprofit 501(c)(3) charitable organization whose mailing address is 2131 Makiki Heights Dr. Honolulu, HI 96822, to be used for its general purposes [or identify a specific program at Hawai'i Nature Center, if desired]."

Residuary Bequest: A gift of any remainder after all other bequests have been paid.

"I give, devise and bequeath all [or a percentage – for example, fifty percent (50%)] of the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, both real and personal to Hawai'i Nature Center, a non-profit 501(c)(3) charitable organization whose mailing address is 2131 Makiki Heights Dr. Honolulu, HI 96822, to be used for its general purposes [or identify a specific program at Hawai'i Nature Center, if desired]."

Contingent Bequest: A gift that takes effect only if a primary intention cannot be met.

"In the event that [insert name of primary beneficiary] does not survive me, or shall die during the administration of my estate, then I give, devise and bequeath all of the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate or [identify here a specific sum of money, a specific asset or the percentage of the residual estate that would have been given to the primary beneficiary], to Hawai'i Nature Center, a non-profit 501(c)(3) charitable organization located whose mailing address is 2131 Makiki Heights Dr. Honolulu, HI 96822, to be used for its general purposes [or identify a specific program at Hawai'i Nature Center, if desired]