



## CREATE A LASTING IMPACT

Planning your estate is a thoughtful process, and it's a wonderful time to reflect on what truly matters to you. By including Butte Humane Society in your planned gifts, you're making a powerful statement about your commitment to animal welfare. There are many ways to leave a gift and you should work with your attorney or financial advisor to determine what is best for you and your family. Here are just a few examples with sample language.

## • Bequest by Will or Trust

- Percentage of your estate
  - [Sample language: I give and bequeath \_\_\_% of my estate to Butte Humane Society, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization whose principle office is currently located at 13391 Garner Ln, Chico CA 959793, Tax I.D. # 94-1580621.]
- Specific dollar amount
  - [I give and bequeath the sum of \$\_\_\_ to Butte Humane Society...]
- Gift of property
  - [I give my property located at \_\_\_ to Butte Humane Society...]
- Residuary bequest
  - [I give and bequeath all (or \_\_\_%) of the residue of my estate to Butte Humane
    Society...]
- Contingent gift
  - [If (name of beneficiary) does not survive me, I give the residue of my estate to Butte Humane Society...]
- Donor Advised Fund | If you have a Donor Advised Fund established, you may recommend a donation to Butte Humane Society.
- **Gift of Retirement Benefits** | If you are at least 70 ½ years old, you may direct your required minimum distribution from your IRA to Butte Humane Society. Qualified charitable distributions are not taxed.

\*Please note this is not tax advice. You should always consult with your tax advisor to determine tax implications before making a gift.

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## IMAGINE WHAT YOUR GIFT WILL DO

Your gift will cover essential operating expenses, from providing food and shelter to maintaining our facilities, giving the freedom and resources to respond to urgent needs and seize opportunities to help more animals.

You can provide dedicated funds for life-saving medical treatments for animals in need. These funds allow us to say "yes" to the most complicated cases, before they even arrive at our door.

Your gift could extend beyond our shelter walls and into the community, funding programs like:

- Low-cost spay/neuter services
- Educational workshops
- Pet food pantry

It's about the enduring impact of your compassion. It's about the joy of knowing that your planned gift will create a lasting legacy of kindness, ensuring that your generosity will continue saving lives and bringing joy to animals and the families who adopt them. Let's plan for a future where every animal has a chance.