

Connect your Passion to our Mission

Create a Kinder Community with a Gift in your Will

Thank you for your consideration to leaving a gift in your will to the Edmonton Gleaners Association (129185310 RR0001), which is commonly known as Edmonton's Food Bank.

If you are preparing a will for the first time, or making major changes to your current will, please discuss your intentions to include Edmonton's Food Bank (Edmonton Gleaners Association) with your lawyer or financial planner. This document should not be construed as legal advice from Edmonton's Food Bank.

If you wish to make a change in your current will, ask your lawyer to prepare a codicil. A codicil is a notation that keeps your existing will intact and alters or adds items that you wish to change. A codicil requires two witnesses to be valid.

Edmonton's Food Bank (Edmonton Gleaners Association) can also be named as a beneficiary for RRSPs, life insurance, or gifts of securities/stocks. Transferring securities or stocks to a charity removes any capital gains taxed to the donor. Contact us to discuss how you can donate stocks and securities to Edmonton's Food Bank.

The Wording of your Bequest is Important

Your charitable bequest should be directed to "Edmonton Gleaners Association (Edmonton's Food Bank)" in your will. For your reference, the Canada Revenue Agency charitable number of the Edmonton Gleaners Association (Edmonton's Food Bank) is 129185310 RR0001.

Sample wording for a legacy gift without restrictions:

"I bequeath to Edmonton Gleaners Association (Edmonton's Food Bank: 129185310 RR0001) [state share or percentage of estate or specific amount]."

"I give to Edmonton Gleaners Association (Edmonton's Food Bank: 129185310 RR0001) [a description of the property or asset] for its charitable purposes."

Note: Property here refers to real estate, jewellery, works of art, or other items. Unless the property is of use to Edmonton's Food Bank, any property bequeathed will be sold, and the proceeds, less any appraisals or selling costs, applied to the terms of the bequest.

Sample wording for a legacy gift to projects:

“I give Edmonton Gleaners Association (Edmonton’s Food Bank: 129185310 RR0001) *[state share or percentage of estate or specific amount]*. I direct this money be used to help a priority project at the time my bequest is realized.”

Sample wording for a legacy gift to benefit Edmonton Gleaners Association in perpetuity:

“I give Edmonton Gleaners Association (Edmonton’s Food Bank: 129185310 RR0001) *[state share or percentage of estate or specific amount]*. I direct this money to be invested and the income generated used to benefit their mission.”

Note: Funds will be allocated to Edmonton Gleaners Association Endowment Fund established with the Edmonton Community Foundation.

Sample wording for a legacy gift of the rest and residue of your estate:

“I give to Edmonton Gleaners Association (Edmonton’s Food Bank: 129185310 RR0001) the sum of all residue *[or a stated percentage]* of the rest or remainder of my estate for its charitable purposes.”

Thank you for helping Edmonton’s Food Bank create a kinder community,
relieve hunger today, and prevent hunger tomorrow.

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