



## **SECURING THE FUTURE OF AUSTRALIAN WILDLIFE YOUR LEGACY- THEIR FUTURE**

Leaving a charitable Bequest to Currumbin Wildlife Hospital Foundation in your Will is a very special way to help Australia's native wildlife. Whether your Bequest is large or small, it will help us fund the veterinary treatment of sick, injured and orphaned native wildlife for release back into the wild.

Your legacy will be a lasting one, as these animals are released back into the wild to breed and produce future generations of wildlife.

All Bequests the Foundation receives over the sum of \$1,000 will be provided with a complimentary memorial Walkways for Wildlife engraved paver, which will be permanently installed in the pathways leading to the Wildlife Hospital as a lasting legacy of your generous contribution.

### **A gift in your Will can help us:**

- Continue to provide veterinary treatment to sick, injured and orphaned native wildlife
- Find a cure to devastating wildlife diseases such as those affecting koalas
- Provide education to school children and the public about conservation and caring for wildlife.



## **You have a choice of where your Bequest is best utilised:**

**1. Leaving a Bequest to our Perpetual Fund** – The Currumbin Wildlife Hospital Foundation Capital Fund. Once released, your Bequest will be invested in the Currumbin Wildlife Hospital Foundation Capital Fund and held in perpetuity. The income earned from donations and Bequests invested will go directly to the critical veterinary treatment of sick, injured and orphaned native wildlife at Currumbin Wildlife Hospital. In effect your Bequest will last forever, continuing to save lives well into the future from the investment earnings.

**2. Leaving a Bequest to General purposes** – Once released your Bequest will be used for the immediate critical veterinary treatment of sick, injured and orphaned native wildlife at Currumbin Wildlife Hospital.

### **How do I word my Will?**

There are many options to consider when you prepare your Will; we recommend that you seek legal advice to ensure the wording of your Will is appropriate for your wishes.

## **A gift of a specific sum of money**



This is a common form of Bequest, however with inflation the value of your gift may change and you may need to revise your Will on a regular basis.

I give the sum of (\_\_\_\_) units of (nation) (currency) to the Trustees of the Currumbin Wildlife Hospital Foundation (“the Foundation”) [either

1. to form part of the Currumbin Wildlife Hospital Foundation Capital Fund OR

2. for Currumbin Wildlife Hospital Foundation General Purposes]

and to apply in accordance with the Trust Purposes as defined in the Foundation’s Trust Deed. The receipt of the Chairman of the Board of Trustees or of any of the Trustees of the Foundation will be a sufficient discharge to my executor/trustee.

### **A gift of a specific asset**

A gift of a specific asset such as property, shares or items of value, allows you to have full use of your assets during your lifetime.

I give (specific asset e.g. property) to the Trustees of the Currumbin Wildlife Hospital Foundation (“the Foundation”) [either

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### **A gift of a nominated percentage of your estate**



A gift of a percentage of your estate will allow the amount of your Bequest to vary with the value of your estate.

I give \_\_\_\_\_ % of my Estate to the Trustees of the Currumbin Wildlife Hospital Foundation (“the Foundation”) [either

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and to apply in accordance with the Trust Purposes as defined in the Foundation’s Trust Deed. The receipt of the Chairman of the Board of Trustees or of any of the Trustees of the Foundation will be a sufficient discharge to my executor/trustee.

**A gift of a nominated percentage of the remainder of your estate**

A gift of the remainder of your estate allows you to make specific gifts to your family and friends and leave the whole or part of what remains to Currumbin Wildlife Hospital Foundation.

I give \_\_\_\_\_ % of the residual of my Estate to the Trustees of the Currumbin Wildlife Hospital Foundation (“the Foundation”) [either

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and to apply in accordance with the Trust Purposes as defined in the Foundation’s Trust Deed. The receipt of the Chairman of the Board of Trustees or of any of the Trustees of the Foundation will be a sufficient discharge to my executor/trustee.