



## Legal Language for Wills and Trusts

If you wish to name the East Coast Greenway Alliance (ECGA) in your will or estate plan, we should be named as designated below:

*East Coast Greenway Alliance, Inc., a nonprofit corporation, organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, with principal business address of: 5826 Fayetteville Road, Suite 210, Durham, NC 27713.*

Tax Identification Number: 04-3326812

Date of Incorporation: 10/24/1995

**The East Coast Greenway Alliance is tax exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and further described in section 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).**

All unrestricted charitable gifts made to the East Coast Greenway Alliance are used strategically to support top programmatic priorities. If you have a more specific purpose in mind, please contact our Development Manager, Debbie West, at 919-797-0619 x5 or [debbie@greenway.org](mailto:debbie@greenway.org) to ensure that we can meet your wishes. Your support will help develop the East Coast Greenway for future generations to enjoy.

### Sample Language for Bequests

Specific Bequests allow you to designate a percentage of your estate, a dollar amount, or specified assets as a gift to the East Coast Greenway Alliance.

**Sample language for specific bequests:** I give, devise and bequeath \_\_\_\_\_ [state a % or \$ amount, or specific property or other asset] to the East Coast Greenway Alliance, Inc., located in Durham, North Carolina, to be used for its general purposes [or for a particular program or purpose].

Residual Bequests allow you to designate the remaining residue of your estate as a gift to the East Coast Greenway Alliance, after the payment of all expenses and specific bequests to other beneficiaries have been made.

**Sample language for residual bequests:** I give, devise and bequeath to the East Coast Greenway Alliance, located in Durham, North Carolina, all [or state a percentage] of the rest and residue of my estate to be used for its general purposes [or for a particular program or purpose].

***This document is not and should not be construed as legal advice. State laws vary. Consult an attorney when preparing your estate and other long-term planning documents.***

If you have included the ECGA in your estate plans, please let us know at [debbie@greenway.org](mailto:debbie@greenway.org) or contact us at 919-797-0619 x5 so that we can thank you for your generous commitment to the future of the East Coast Greenway and welcome you as a member of our Legacy Circle.

### Contact Information

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