

# Sample language for including a gift in your Will to The YMCA of Southwestern Ontario

for the benefit of YMCA of Southwestern Ontario

## To give a specific amount

"I give to the YMCA of Southwestern Ontario, 165 Elmwood Ave East, London, Ontario, the sum of *fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000)* to be used for the benefit of YMCA of Southwestern Ontario."

### To give a percentage of the estate

"I give to the YMCA of Southwestern Ontario, 165 Elmwood Ave East, London, Ontario, twenty percent (20%) of the rest, residue and remainder of my estate to be used for the benefit of YMCA of Southwestern Ontario."

#### To give a specific asset, such as shares in a company

"I give to the YMCA of Southwestern Ontario, 165 Elmwood Ave East, London, Ontario, 500 shares of ABC Co. Inc, to be used for the benefit of The YMCA of Southwestern Ontario."

#### For a gift contingent upon a certain condition

"In the event that my brother does not survive me, I give \$100,000 to The YMCA of Southwestern Ontario to be used for the benefit of the YMCA of Southwestern Ontario ..."

## To designate your gift for a specific purpose:

"I give to the YMCA of Southwestern Ontario, 165 Elmwood Ave East, London, Ontario, the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) to be used in support of the Centre Branch YMCA Aquatics Department, 382 Waterloo Street, London." *We suggest that you add a "Power to Vary" clause, for example "If at the time of my death it is impossible, impractical or inadvisable to apply the gift to this purpose, the YMCA of Southwestern Ontario may at their discretion direct the gift to a similar purpose."* 

## Our official name and address

YMCA of Southwestern Ontario 165 Elmwood Ave East, London, Ontario N6C 0A8

Charitable Organization Number: 10764 1649 RR0002

For further information about planning an Estate gift contact Christina Harley at 519-907-5500 ext 1152 or christina.harley@swo.ymca.ca