

FOOD. HOPE. DIGNITY. ISN'T THAT WHAT WE WANT FOR ALL AMERICANS—TODAY AND IN THE FUTURE?

Yet, in the Tampa Bay area, over 700,000 people still struggle to put food on the table and the demand for our services continues to rise.

Here at Feeding Tampa Bay, we know that philanthropy is a choice — and one that should not be made lightly. When you make a planned gift to us, you help ensure that there will be food available to your local food pantries, emergency shelters and soup kitchens. Your gift will put food on the table of individuals who could be your family, friends and colleagues. Your gift will bring us closer to a hunger-free Tampa Bay.

## YOUR LEGACY AND OUR FUTURE

Consider the values that you hold dear. Do you believe that no child should go to school on an empty stomach? Do you believe that no senior should have to skip meals to pay for medication? Planned giving can reflect these values, leaving a legacy that endures and helps individuals, your community and the world.

Tailored to your financial needs, these gifts can make a meaningful contribution to impacting hunger in Tampa Bay and offer many advantages as well:

- Allow you to make a much larger gift than you thought possible
- Support vital needs/programs of Feeding Tampa Bay, both now and in the future
- Reduce (or avoid) capital gains taxes
- Reduce estate taxes
- Receive a current income tax deduction

A growing number of our friends incorporate planned gifts into their financial and estate plans. Often these gifts benefit you and your family now, and Feeding Tampa Bay in the future. Whether you require a steady income now or wish to reduce the estate burden on your heirs, there is a planned gift to fit your needs.



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## CHARITABLE BEQUESTS

Charitable bequests are especially attractive if you want to support Feeding Tampa Bay hunger relief mission in the future, and for the long term. You can name Feeding Tampa Bay for specific assets of a portion of your estate, or of your residual estate. You can designate Feeding Tampa Bay as a beneficiary of any of the following assets:

- Retirement plans such as an IRA, 401(k) or 403(b)
- Life insurance policy
- Financial accounts, such as bank accounts, brokerage accounts, or CDs

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## LIFE INCOME GIFTS

Life income gifts are donations of cash, securities or real estate in exchange for a dependable source of income. These are an excellent way to accomplish both your personal financial and philanthropic goals. It is important to choose the life income gift that best suits your particular financial situation. Charitable gift annuities provide fixed, dependable income; charitable remainder trusts provide a variable income. Both provide an individual with a charitable income tax deduction and potential capital gains tax savings if you donate appreciated securities or real estate.

I have found that among its other benefits, giving liberates the soul of the giver.

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## EXPLORE PLANNED GIVING

Charitable bequests and life income gifts are very popular planned giving vehicles, but there are other options that may better fit your needs. We recommend that you consult your attorney or financial advisor when considering a planned gift. If you would like to speak to us about making a planned gift, please contact Karen Griffin, Director of Development, at [kgriffin@feedingtampabay.org](mailto:kgriffin@feedingtampabay.org) or 813-254-1190 ext. 215.

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