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The Will to help animals

Leave a lasting legacy in the form of a bequest by nominating FOUR PAWS Animal Welfare Foundation as a beneficiary in your Will.
By bequeathing an amount of your estate to FOUR PAWS, you gift animals a second chance, and better quality of life that will continue beyond your lifetime. Planning a gift guarantees that your donation will go towards a cause you support, or always wanted to, but was unable to do so in your lifetime.

Where there's a Will, there's a way

It is often a common public perception that only the rich and famous bequeath money, property, and assets to charities. The truth is, that those who give generously includes masses of ordinary, hardworking people. Those who care about humanity, animals and our environment, and give irrespective of the value of their donations are true legends. Without the generosity and support of our legends and donors, we will not be able to do the work we do.

How to make a bequest to FOUR PAWS

It is as simple as nominating FOUR PAWS Animal Welfare Foundation South Africa as a beneficiary in your Will and by stating our NPO and PBO registration numbers and the amount or assets you wish to bequeath. You can easily amend your existing Will through a Codicil, instead of re-writing it entirely. A codicil is a legal testamentary document that allows for specific amends to a last Will and Testament but leaves all the other previous provisions the same. We would love to know if you left us a bequest or intend leaving us one. By leaving a bequest your name will be added to Our Wall of Legends in honour of your living commitment, and in memory when you leave us. We would also love the opportunity to visit and meet you personally, to get to know you better during your lifetime, and share stories of our work with you. FOUR PAWS has built relationships with specialist attorneys who offered their services at a reduced rate should you decide to leave a bequest to FOUR PAWS. During National Wills Week held in September each year, certain attorneys across South Africa offer the drafting of Wills at no cost.

A bequest will reduce your estate duty fees

FOUR PAWS Animal Welfare Foundation is a registered non-profit (NPO), and public-benefit (PBO) organisation. When you leave a bequest to a registered PBO, it allows you to save up to 20% on your estate duty fees payable to the South African Revenue Services (SARS). Estate duty fees are applicable and payable to SARS if the net value of your estate exceeds R3.5 million (applicable to South African Law). It is advisable to have your Will professionally written by an attorney, professional financial advisor, bank or registered accountant.

You can bequeath any of the following:

- A specified sum of money
- A specified percentage of your estate
- Fixed assets such as land/property
- Moveable assets such as vehicles, machinery, and items of value
- Specified stocks and shares
- Nominate FOUR PAWS South Africa as a beneficiary of your life insurance policy.