Sample Language for Your Will

The following are examples of language that you can use to name the Foundation as a beneficiary of your assets by bequest or codicil to a will. Please share this with your attorney, who can adapt it to suit your needs. The Foundation's tax ID number is 52-1389646.

Simple Bequest in a Will I hereby give, devise, and bequeath to Brightpoint Community College Foundation, Inc., Chesterfield, Virginia, ____ percent of my net residuary estate (or the sum of \$____/the rest and residue of my estate after payment of the foregoing bequests). This is an unrestricted gift and may be used to further the objects and purposes of Brightpoint Community College Foundation. Suggested Form of Codicil to a Will

I, (donors name), a resident of _____, declare this to be a codicil to the Last Will executed by me on _____, 20___, this codicil being as follows: I hereby give, devise and bequeath to Brightpoint Community College Foundation, Inc.____ percent of my net residuary estate (or the sum of \$___/the rest and residue of my estate after payment of the foregoing bequests). This is an unrestricted gift and may be used to further the objects and purposes of the Brightpoint Community College Foundation, Inc. Except insofar as said Will is expressly or by necessary implication changed by this codicil, I do hereby ratify, republish, and reaffirm my said will and each and every part thereof.

Gift Restrictions

Should you wish to restrict your gift, we ask that you add the following text to your will to ensure we will be able to honor your intent given future priorities:

"If at some future time it is no longer practical to use the income or principal of this bequest for the purposes intended, Brightpoint Community College Foundation, Inc. may use the income or principal for whatever it deems necessary and most closely in accord with the intent described herein."