

# Donor Love for Life





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### The Case for Planned Giving



- At an institutional level, planned gifts are often the most transformational gifts that an institution receives.
- ❖ For individuals, planned gifts are generally the largest gifts donors make and often eclipse their total lifetime giving.
- Moreover, research has consistently shown that donors who include a charity in their estate plans give more annually to that institution.

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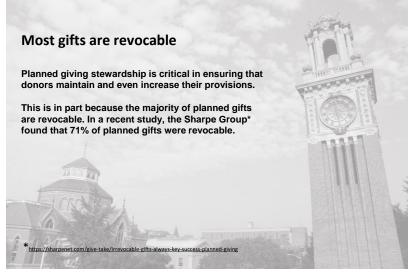
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### Brown University Planned Giving Stewardship:

Demonstrating Impact, Showing Appreciation, Recognizing Support



- **❖** Impact Report
- **❖** Virtual Events



- In Person Events
  - **❖** Philanthropic Leaders
  - ❖ Special invites to existing University events
- Donor Profiles

# Demonstrating Impact





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### **Showing Appreciation**





### Recordings of College Hill Society Virtual Events

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# **Showing Appreciation**





CHS Members were entertained by The Higher Keys, Brown University's beloved all gender a cappella group



# Recognizing Support Inspiring Others

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Inspiring Others

# But how do you know what to offer?





Easy... just ask!!!

Donor surveys are a goldmine of information and help guarantee success.

When you know what's most important to your donors you can provide them with what they really want.



# **Measuring Success**



❖ Increased Support for Current Use or Other Giving Priorities
 ❖ Growth of Planned Giving Pipeline
 ❖ Deeper Engagement
 ❖ Conversion

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Most importantly, it's the opportunity to create your own narrative. It's YOUR story to tell....



# Let's discuss!



What's your story?





