

Here is the suggested wording you need in order to include the RSPCA in your Will:

Unrestricted gifts

Many people choose to leave an unrestricted or general gift. It's the most helpful because it allows us to use your gift wherever the need is greatest for animals. You can leave an unrestricted gift, which can be either residuary or pecuniary, using the words below:

"I give the sum of £ ______ (or specify percentage of estate) to the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals of Parkside, Chart Way, Horsham, West Sussex RH12 IGY (registered charity number 219099) for its general purposes and I declare that the receipt of the honorary treasurer or other proper officer of the said Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals for the time being shall be a full and sufficient discharge for the said legacy."

Restricted gifts

You can also specify how or where you'd like your gift to be used by leaving a restricted gift. If you'd like to leave a restricted gift, please contact us to discuss the area of our work you'd specifically like to support, using the contact details on the back page. To leave a restricted gift, use the wording below:

"I give the sum of £ ______ (or specify percentage of estate) to the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals of Parkside, Chart Way, Horsham, West Sussex RHI2 IGY (registered charity number 219099) for its general purpose and I express the wish but without creating any binding trust that this legacy be used in the (specify) areas and I declare that the receipt of the honorary treasurer or other proper officer of the said Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals for the time being shall be a full and sufficient discharge for the said legacy."

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Gift to a specific RSPCA branch

You can choose to remember a specific RSPCA branch. These are separately run organisations to the main RSPCA charity. Here's the wording you'll need:

"I give the sum of £ _____ (or specify percentage of estate) to the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (specify) Branch (specify registered charity number for that Branch) and I declare that the receipt of the honorary treasurer or other proper officer of the said Branch shall be a full and sufficient discharge for the said legacy. In the event the aforesaid Branch shall no longer exist at the date of my death I give the legacy to the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals of Parkside, Chart Way, Horsham, West Sussex RH12 IGY (registered charity number 219099) for its general purposes."

Overseas Fund

You might choose to leave a gift to our Overseas Fund, enabling us to support the rescue of animals abroad or to promote better welfare standards and stronger laws to protect animals. Here's the wording you'll need:

"I give the sum of £ _____ (or specify percentage of estate) to the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals of Parkside, Chart Way, Horsham, West Sussex RH12 1GY (registered charity number 219099) for its Overseas Fund. I further direct that the receipt of the honorary treasurer or other proper officer of the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals shall be a full and sufficient discharge for the said legacy."