Sample Language for your Will

The following language may help you and your attorney when drawing up a bequest that meets your needs.

• **General Bequest.** If you intend to leave an outright gift of cash, securities, or other property by designating a specific dollar amount, a particular asset, or a fixed percentage of your estate to Concerns of Police Survivors to be used for general purposes:

“I, [name], of [city, state, ZIP], give, devise and bequeath to Concerns of Police Survivors, Inc. [written amount or percentage of the estate or description of property] for its unrestricted use and purpose.”

• **Specific Bequest.** If you intend to make an outright bequest for a specific purpose, such as to support survivor programs, special events, scholarships, etc.:

“I, [name], of [city, state, ZIP], give, devise and bequeath to Concerns of Police Survivors Inc. [written amount or percentage of the estate or description of property] for its charitable purposes, including but not limited to ___________ use and purpose.”

• **Contingency Bequest.** If you wish to make a contingency gift, so that Concerns of Police Survivors, Inc. will receive a portion of your estate if your named beneficiary does not survive you:

“If any of the beneficiaries named in this will should die before becoming entitled to receive their distributive share of my estate, I direct my trustee to pay or transfer the share to which such beneficiary would otherwise be entitled, to Concerns of Police Survivors, Inc. for its unrestricted use and purpose.”

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION TO KNOW TO MAKE A GIFT**

**Legal Name:** Concerns of Police Survivors, Inc.  
**Tax ID:** 52-1354370  
**Incorporated in:** Maryland

Consult with your financial advisor, tax advisor, and attorney to determine which planned gift strategy is best for you.