

Endowment Giving and DAF Giving

When you want to invest for greater impact is Endowment Giving or DAF Giving better for you?

Endowment giving is the option chosen by donors who want to create a named fund for lasting support of the KGH Foundation (KGHF).

An Endowment Fund is a permanent or long-term gift made with a formal agreement at a minimum gift-level. The Fund can be started with a single donation, in pledged amounts, or through an estate. An endowment can be created with funds through a DAF.

Held by the KGHF, a full gift is retained and grants are made using the investment income to provide enduring support as intended by the donor(s). To show how grants are being used, donor(s), their Trustees, or executors receive grant reports annually.

The Endowment Wall in KGH recognizes and memorializes named funds. Friends and family can contribute to Endowment Funds, thereby increasing its impact.

DAF Giving works best for donors who want flexibility, simplicity, the ability to support different projects at KGHF over time, and to involve future successors if they wish.

A DAF offers donors flexible timing and continuity for their charitable giving. DAF giving is quite simple: grants from DAFs are facilitated by the DAF holder with donor input. And unless funds from a DAF are used to create a named Endowment Fund at KGHF, there is not need for further paperwork.

DAF gifts can be used for current priorities, a specific area of care, or general needs. They can be used for monthly giving, to create an endowment, and to align your current and future giving plans. When successors are named, we encourage their involvement in the Foundation's events, and activities to keep up to date with our current priorities and future projects.

