How an Endowment Works

An endowment is a fund held in perpetuity for charitable benefit. As the fund grows, returns are used to support the designated beneficiary organization, field of interest, etc. An endowment can be funded by a variety of assets such as cash, property or securities.

Through the power of permanently endowed funds, donors achieve their philanthropic goals and nonprofit organizations receive stable incomes to support their efforts in perpetuity.

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