

ENDOWMENT SERVICES & GIFT COMPLIANCE

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INTRODUCTION

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What we do:

- Review current purpose gift agreements of \$100,000 and higher
- Oversee and facilitate the naming process
 - 50-70 proposals a year
- Oversee and facilitate the endowment creation process
 - Around 300 new and 50 amended endowments annually
- Perform compliance on endowments
 - 8,570+ endowments – review 20% annually and other activities
- Deliver annual endowment principal account financial statements
 - 8,000 statements to 5,100 households (email or regular mail)
- Prepare specialized endowment reports, as required

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What we do:

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Our purpose is to ensure that donor intent, as documented, is fulfilled.

Compliance begins when a potential donor and gift officer start discussing the philanthropic hopes, dreams and expectations held by the donor.

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ENDOWMENTS - BASICS

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