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## HELP SHAPE CYCLING'S FUTURE

Legacies left to CTC provide funds towards key campaigning and charitable work. Senior Fundraising Officer Lorraine Stone explains

**AS WE HEAD** into 2014, many of us will be thinking about our New Year's resolutions. Perhaps you want to get out on your bike more often or, like me, get fitter. Or maybe you're resolving to do some of the things you never seem to find time to do – like making a will.

Whilst it's not something most of us want to dwell on, making a will is vital. It's the

only way you can make sure that your wishes are carried out, and that your loved ones are looked after. It is also an opportunity to make a personal bequest to charities and causes you care about.

Gifts left in wills are an important source of income for the UK's charities, and CTC is no exception. Gifts like these have helped us develop and

extend our charitable activities over the last five years. The legacies CTC has received have been crucial in ensuring our vital work continues.

Each year, our campaigning and policy work demands that policy- and law-makers protect cyclists; encourages more people to get on their bike for transport and leisure; protects cyclists' rights of

### MY WILL & CTC

'I am a lifelong cyclist. CTC has done more for recreational cycling and cycling as a means of transport than any other national cycling organisation. It does a great job in influencing legislation and getting cycling into the media in a positive way. It is an effective organisation, and because we in the UK suffer probably the worst attitude and discrimination from motor vehicle drivers of any European country, the need for campaigning grows. Campaigning is without a doubt the most significant work of CTC.'

*Name and address supplied*



way; and supports a network of local volunteers to help them improve cycling in their local area. Our cycling development work breaks down those barriers to cycling that people encounter, by providing training or running guided rides to help them develop their skills and confidence. We also run inclusive cycling projects so that everyone can experience the joy of cycling, regardless of their ability.

Much of this work is only possible thanks to the generosity of supporters leaving a gift in their will. We know that you'll want to look after your family and friends in your will, but we hope that you might consider leaving a gift to CTC to help make Britain a cycle-friendly country.

If you are interested in leaving a gift to CTC in your will, please do have a look at our website for more information: [ctc.org.uk/legacies](http://ctc.org.uk/legacies), or use the form on this page to request more information. You can also call me, Lorraine Stone, on 01483 238 319, or email me at [lorraine.stone@ctc.org.uk](mailto:lorraine.stone@ctc.org.uk). If you have already included a gift to CTC in your will, please use the form on this page to let us know. We would love the opportunity to thank you.

## A CYCLING LEGACY

**LEAVING A GIFT** in your will is a personal matter so we don't expect you to tell us your intentions. However, we would love the opportunity to thank you, so we'd really appreciate it if you were able to tell us if you have remembered CTC in your will.

- Yes, CTC is remembered in my will.
- Please send me more information about leaving a gift to CTC in my will.

Name:

Address:

Postcode:

Membership number:

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