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# Accessing Home Equity to Gift to Family

Meet David (and his adult children)

#### **Client Profile**

Homeowner: Male, Age 74 | Widow

**Location:** Richmond Hill, Ontario

**Home Value:** \$1,400,000

**Home Type:**Single, Detached

Registered Investments: \$700,000

**Down Payment Needed:** \$200,000

**Equalization Payment Needed:** \$200,000



#### **Situation**

- David, a recent widow aged 74, is financially secure and is now considering ways to financially help his two adult children in their 40's by providing living inheritance benefits to them.
- David's daughter has recently separated and is struggling financially as the sole provider to his grandchild. She identified a modest \$600,000 condominium to purchase but needs help with the initial \$200,000 downpayment.
- A gift to David's daughter for a downpayment, for fairness, will require an **equalization payment** to his son, who equally shares in David's eventual estate.
- For tax purposes, David is **hesitant to cash in investments** too early, which may, in turn, jeopardize his retirement lifestyle.



# Recommended Approach for David to **Gift to Family**

#### **Traditional Options Available to David**



#### Option 1:

#### Deplete investments early



Large tax hit



Drains David's financial nest egg



#### Option 3:

## Seek conventional credit financing



No guarantee on qualification



Regular payments required



#### **Option 2:**

#### Sell the existing home and downsize



Emotionally and financially exhausting



Market dependent



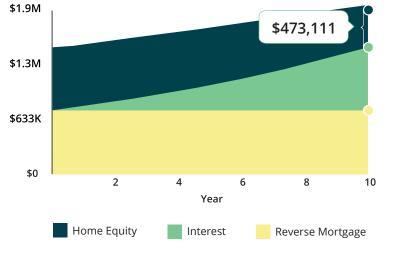
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