



DISTRICT 7870 SIMPLIFIED GRANT APPLICATION 2012 -2013 ROTARY YEAR

1) PROJECT DESCRIPTION

A) Describe project and how it meets the needs of the community.

KILI Radio is an independent, Lakota owned and operated, 100,000 watt FM radio station located at Porcupine Butte on the Pine Ridge Reservation in southwestern South Dakota. On the air 20 hours a day, seven days a week, KILI's broadcast area covers 30,000 square miles and includes the Pine Ridge, Cheyenne River and Rosebud Reservations, Rapid City, the southern Black Hills and the panhandle of Nebraska. KILI's programming includes news and information, public affairs broadcasting, cultural celebration and entertainment with a variety of music formats including traditional, Indian contemporary, country, rock and roll, rap, blues and jazz. KILI is a very unique community radio station working hard to meet the needs of individuals and groups throughout the listening area.

From 1993 to 2010, KILI Radio printed up a poster calendar for distribution throughout the listening area and beyond. The poster featured a 12-month calendar with the months in Lakota and English with artwork from a Lakota artist. The calendar was functional with the 12-months but celebrated the Lakota culture and KILI Radio as well. The artwork was striking enough that the calendar was oftentimes still hanging up well past the calendar year. Not only was the calendar seen hanging up at homes, businesses and offices throughout the listening area but also it was seen in places from LA to New York and Washington DC. Since the station receives donations from many places around the country, the calendar helps to give visibility way beyond our local broadcast area.

For the past two years, KILI hasn't had enough money to print the poster calendar. This grant will be used to print the calendar.

B) Define how Rotarians will actively participate in this project.

The Brattleboro Rotary Club will be working to help upgrade this important communication vehicle for the Lakota Sioux located on the Pine Ridge Reservation in South Dakota; described as one of the poorest counties in the United States. Enhancing the radio station will not only help the Lakota Sioux keep informed about current events but also celebrate the language, culture, history and tradition of this once proud nation.

The Brattleboro Rotary Club is planning to not only raise monies but also organize work trips to the Pine Ridge Reservation to physically help KILI Radio renovate its facilities.

C) Club size: 90 Number of members expected to participate: 90

2) COOPERATING ORGANIZATION

A) Name of Organization or Community Government: KILI RADIO

B) Describe contribution of this organization.

KILI RADIO will coordinate the production and distribution of the calendar.

C) Is this project dependent on prior completion of work by contributing organization? Yes No

3) PROJECT BUDGET

Item(s) to be purchased	Cost
Calendar artwork	\$ 250
Calendar graphic production	\$ 250
Printing 2000 calendars	\$ 2,500
Postage / distribution	\$ 750

Budget Total \$ 3,750

4) PROPOSED FINANCING

Source of funds	Amount
Sponsoring Rotary Club	
Supporting Rotary Club (If any)	
Cooperating Organization (If any)	
WILL	\$ 750
Re-member (http://www.re-member.org/)	\$ 1,000
Oglala Sioux (Lakota) Housing Authority (http://oslh.org/)	\$ 1,000
District Simplified Grant Request	\$ 1,000
Other (Define)	

Financing Total \$ 3,750

NOTE: *Project budget must equal proposed financing*

5) PROJECT COMMITTEE CONTACTS

Sponsoring Club President:

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City Porcupine **State** SD **Zip** 57772

Secondary Grant Contact:

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City **State** **Zip**

6) AGREEMENTS

SPONSORING ROTARY CLUB

This agreement is entered into between the Sponsoring Club and District 7870. In applying for and accepting project funding from District 7870, the Sponsoring Club agrees:

- ❖ Funds requested and received from District 7870 will be used exclusively for the project described in Section 1 of this agreement.
- ❖ This project and its' implementation meet all of the guidelines and restrictions of The Rotary Foundation for District Simplified Grants.
- ❖ Every effort will be made to complete this project within the 2012-2013 Rotary year. If it becomes evident that this will not be possible, Sponsoring Club will promptly contact the District Simplified Grants Committee and request an extension not to exceed an additional 6 months.
- ❖ Sponsoring Club and any supporting Rotary clubs, cooperating organizations and/or other contributing parties shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless Rotary International (RI), The Rotary Foundation (TRF), Rotary District 7870 (District), their respective Directors, Trustees, Officers, employees and committee members (collectively RI, TRF, District) from any and all damages, losses, judgments, costs, fines, awards,

liabilities and/or expenses, including without limitation reasonable attorney's fees and costs of litigation, asserted or recovered from RI/TRF/District, that result and/or arise directly or indirectly from the implementation of this project. It is the responsibility of the Sponsoring Club to ensure that all participating parties have been advised and have accepted all terms and conditions contained herein.

- ❖ This agreement may be cancelled without notice upon the failure of participants to abide by the terms and conditions set forth herein, including TRF reporting requirements. If this agreement is cancelled prior to the district having made payment of any or all of approved funding, District shall have no further obligation of any kind including payment of any amounts thereafter. If a portion or all of the district funding has been made, such amount plus any interest accrued shall be promptly returned to the district.
- ❖ The Sponsoring Club accepts responsibility for submission of Interim and Final Reports to District 7870 in accordance with TRF reporting requirements.

Acknowledged and accepted by:

Martin Cohn, **President**

Rotary Club of Brattleboro, Vermont



President's Signature

Date: July 14, 2012

COOPERATING ORGANIZATION

By signing below, Cooperating Organization confirms:

- ❖ They have been fully advised of any and all terms and conditions of this agreement that extend beyond the Sponsoring Club to such organization and acknowledge their acceptance of said terms and conditions.
- ❖ They are in possession of and can supply upon request verification of reputable standing in the community and any appropriate registration or licensing necessary to work within the community.
- ❖ They are willing and able to work with Rotarians in the implementation of this project in accordance with the extent of participation agreed upon with the Sponsoring Club.
- ❖ They will cooperate as necessary to a fair and reasonable extent with any financial review of activities associated with the project.

Acknowledged and accepted by:

Name: Tom Casey

Title: Director

Organization: KILI Radio



Authorized Signature

Date: July 14, 2012

Please return completed application to:

**Cassandra Bradley, Chair
District Grants Committee
PO Box 523
Center Harbor, NH 03226**

E-mail applications will be accepted for consideration by the DSG Committee, but a signed original Agreement page must be provided before a grant can be awarded. Awards will be made on a first come, first serve basis until funds are gone. E-mail to: cbradley@nhcdfa.org