

# **Corporate Membership Plan**

Rotary is first and foremost a fellowship organization. Our motto of "Service Above Self" is fueled from our strong ability to count on each other to work toward common goals and gather together in multiple ways to accomplish beneficial work in our communities and around the world. In order to do good work, we must expand our membership and continue to diversify.

With a corporate membership, the corporation itself is not the member.

A corporate membership allows multiple individuals belonging to one company (including from multiple branch locations) the opportunity to affiliate with the Waterville Rotary Club at a more attractive cost of membership compared with multiple individual memberships. Attendance and service participation are also shared among those under the corporate membership, allowing for more flexibility.

## Membership Description

Under a Corporate Membership Plan, up to four individuals can become part of our Rotary club. The Corporate Membership baseline dues of \$500 will cover two individual club memberships (a Primary Corporate Member and one Additional Corporate Member). Up to two extra Additional Members may be enrolled at an additional cost of \$150 per membership. The annual membership will be billed at \$500 (plus \$150 each for extra Additional Memberships) and may be paid semi-annually or annually. The weekly meeting fee is already included in the membership dues.

The roster will list the individuals' names with the designation as a Corporate Member.

Any Corporate Member will have voting rights and may serve on the Board of Directors or hold office. The Corporation will enjoy a complimentary year-long listing on our website as one of our corporate members.

# Membership Application

A Corporate Membership application is available on the Club's website, which requires information for each Corporate Member under the plan.

For board and club consideration, the company name and all the members' names applying for membership will be known for voting purposes. Once membership is approved the application will be processed by the Membership Committee and the Board of Directors. No club vote is necessary.

### Membership Materials

- All members under the Corporate Membership Plan are eligible for the swearing in ceremony.
- Each Corporate Member will receive a new member kit and membership pin.
- Each new member will be assigned a mentor.
- Each new member will be eligible for the orientation program.

### Change Among Membership Types

At any time, if Corporate Member wants to become an Individual Member, he or she can make a request to do so. A new application will need to be filled out for records and billing purposes. It will be expected that this application type will be fast tracked from the Membership Committee to the Board.

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