



## 2018-19 Hazleton Rotary "Service Above Self" Community Grant Program

To: All Local Organizations & Agencies

From: Hazleton Rotary Project Committee

Hazleton Rotary is pleased to announce the 2018-19 "Service Above Self" Community Grant Program. These grants are intended to benefit nonprofit organizations in the Greater Hazleton community. The total amount of funding requested from Hazleton Rotary cannot exceed \$3,000 per application. The proposed project must be completed within 12 months of receipt of the grant funds, which will be available in early 2019.

**Requests for funding of salaries will NOT be considered.**

Preference will be given to applications that address at least one of Hazleton Rotary's four goals:

- Helping children of all ages in our area to grow educationally and socially
- Supporting disadvantaged youth
- Helping veterans and first responders
- Providing support for area seniors

### Guidelines for Funding Projects

#### Objectives:

Although no one project can meet all of the following guidelines, Hazleton Rotary is looking for projects that accomplish one or more of the following objectives:

- Focus impact in the Greater Hazleton Area
- Support the ideals and objectives of our club and Rotary International by:
  - Helping children
  - Assisting our senior community members
  - Assisting the underprivileged
- Support one of Rotary International's six areas of focus:
  - Peace & Conflict Resolution
  - Disease Prevention & Treatments
  - Water & Sanitation
  - Maternal & Child Health
  - Basic Education & Literacy
  - Economic & Community Development

**Attributes:**

Attributes of the projects that Hazleton Rotary will support include:

- Project is well planned
- Project shows a direct, preferably measurable, impact to the grantee organization and our community
- Funding is designated for a specific project or a program. We will **not** fund an organization's routine operating expenses and we will **not** fund salaries. Applications asking for this type of funding will **NOT** be considered
- Project makes a significant impact regardless of the amount of money spent
- Project enhances the identity/visibility of Hazleton Rotary within our community

PLEASE PROVIDE DETAILED SPECIFIC INFORMATION. YOU NEED TO ANSWER THE QUESTIONS WHO? WHAT? WHEN? WHERE? WHY? HOW? An additional page may be attached to the application if needed.

Fund recipients must attend a Rotary meeting to accept their funds and report to the Club members about their particular project.

**The attached 2018-19 Hazleton Rotary "Service Above Self" Community Grant application must be submitted no later than November 1, 2018 via email or mail to Kim McNulty at [kmcnulty@mmiprep.org](mailto:kmcnulty@mmiprep.org) or Attn: Kim McNulty, MMI Preparatory School, 154 Centre Street, Freeland, PA 18224. Please direct any questions regarding your project to Kim McNulty via email or by calling 570-636-1108. Project Applications not completed and received by November 1, 2018 will not be considered.**