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Principal Activity of the Firm	

Personal and Family Information

Home Mailing Address

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Home Telephone Number Home Fax Number Spouse's Name Home Email Address Date of Birth Previous Rotary Member? Yes No **Rotary Club** Membership Dates **Rotary Club** Membership Dates Rotary Office/Achievement Membership Dates Prior Rotary Club(s) Classification(s) **Community and Civic Involvement** Dates Community and Civic Involvement Dates

Short Biography

Statement to be Signed by the Proposed

I hereby certify that I am qualified for membership both by the current/former executive position and by having a place of business or residence within the club's territorial limits, adjoining territory, or the same city in which the club is located.

If elected, I understand that it will be my duty to exemplify the "Object of Rotary" in all my daily contacts and activities and to abide by the constitutional documents of Rotary International and the club.

For new members to Rotary there is an administrative fee of \$100.00 payable with this application. The fee will be refunded if the applicant is not approved by the Board of Directors. Upon induction, I agree to pay quarterly dues, approximately \$150.00 and 2 pre-paid quarterly meal charges (\$60 per quarter). Community Service Fund and Rotary Foundation donations are optional but encouraged.

I understand I will receive a quarterly invoice dated the first day of July, October, January, and April of each year. As a new member, I will receive a prorated charge for the quarterly dues and meals expense on the initial invoice.

I hereby give permission to the club to publish my name and proposed classification to the membership.

Signature of Applicant	Date
Sponsor Name (Print)	Date
Orientation Completion Date	
Board Approval Date	

Member Assimilation Completion Date

The Object of Rotary

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster: the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise; the development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service; high ethical standards in business and professions; the application of the ideal of service by every Rotarian to his or her personal, business, and community life: the advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world of fellowship of business and professional persons united in service.

Service Above Self

The Rotary Club of Colorado Springs

The Rotary Club of Colorado Springs received its charter on May 1, 1916. It was the very first service club in the Pikes Peak Region. At that time, there were forty four charter members of the Club consisting of the most prominent businessmen in Colorado Springs which then had less than 30,000 people. Today the Club has approximately 135 men and women members.

Throughout the years, the Rotary Club of Colorado Springs has devoted itself to community and international service. Our club members have made significant contributions to the improvement of life in the Pikes Peak reigion and throughout the world through the Community Service Fund (CSF), the Pikes Peak Area Rotary Endowment (PPARE), and the Rotary Foundation (RTF).

Mission Statement

The Rotary Club of Colorado Springs creates a meaningful fellowship of business and professional leaders dedicated to making a positive difference in our local, national, and international communities through service.

Club Meetings

The Rotary Club of Colorado Springs meets every Friday at the Doubletree by Hilton is located at 1775 Cheyenne Mtn Blvd in Colorado Springs. Meetings begin at 12:15 pm and end promptly at 1:30 pm.

About Membership

Our membership consists of executive men and women who believe in high personal and business ethics. The Rotary Club of Colorado Springs is nonpolitical, non-religious, and open to members of all cultures, races, and creeds.

Rotary Classification

A member's Rotary classification is a word or phrase which describes a separate and distinct business or professional service rendered to the community. As a term, it is the word or phrase which most accurately describes the principal and recognized business, or institution with which an active member is connected or that which covers the active member's principal and recognized business or professional activity.

Rotary International (R.I.) Organization www.rotary.org

The first Rotary Club was organized in Chicago, Illinois on February 12, 1905, by Paul P. Harris, a young lawyer who gathered together in a spirit of friendship and understanding a group of men, each of who was engaged in a different form of service to the public. That basis of membership, one individual from each business and profession in the community still exists in Rotary. At first the members of the mew club met in rotation at various places of business of the members and this suggested the name "Rotary".

Since 1905, the ideas of Paul Harris and his friends have become ideals accepted by persons of all nationalities and of many political and religious beliefs. Today, there are 1.25 million men and women who are Rotarians in more than 34,000 Rotary Clubs in over 160 countries.

Rotary's 4-Way Test

Is it the TRUTH? Is it FAIR to all concerned? Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS? Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Rotary Code of Ethics (1915)

My business standards shall have in them a note of sympathy for our common humanity. My business dealing, ambitions and relations shall always cause me to take into consideration my highest duties as a member of society. In every position of business life, in every responsibility that comes before me, my chief thought shall be to fill that responsibility and discharge that duty so that when I have ended each of them, I shall have lifted the level of human ideals and achievements a little higher than I found it. In view of this, it is my duty as a Rotarian:

- To consider my vocation worthy, and as affording me distinct opportunities to serve society.
- To improve myself, increase my efficiency and enlarge my service, and by so doing attest my faith in the fundamental principle of Rotary, that he or she profits most who serve best.
- To realize that I am a business person and ambitious to succeed, but that I am first an ethical being and wish no success that is not founded on the highest justice and morality.
- To hold that the exchange of my goods, my service and my ideas for profit, is legitimate and ethical, provided that all parties in the exchange are benefited thereby.
- To use my best endeavors to elevate the standards of vocation in which I am engaged, and so to conduct my affairs that others in my vocation may find it wise, profitable and conducive to happiness to emulate my example

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