



Charitable Giving Guidelines

The Rotary Club of Chaska values the work that local organizations accomplish on behalf of our community. In an effort to comply with Rotary International's mission, we promise to review each organization's request and evaluate it using a fair and equitable assessment process.

Who We Are

Rotary International is a global network of 1.4 million neighbors, friends, and leaders who volunteer their skills and resources to solve issues and address community needs. Rotary Club of Chaska has been in existence since 1961 and has invested thousands of dollars in positive change to the Chaska area.

Our Motto: Service Above Self

For more than 110 years, our **guiding principles** have been: service, fellowship, diversity, integrity, and leadership.

What We Do

Rotarians believe that we have a shared responsibility to take action on our world's most persistent issues. Our 46,000+ clubs work together to:

- Promote peace
- Fight disease
- Provide clean water, sanitation, and hygiene
- Save mothers and children
- Support education
- Grow local economies
- Protect the environment

Guidelines

- The request must align with at least one of Rotary International's six areas of focus (see "What We Do" section above).
- The organization must benefit individuals and/or families that work or reside in or near Chaska.
- Requests will be accepted year round, but we will review requests and make distributions once each year in March.
- Organizations are only eligible to receive funding from the Rotary Club of Chaska once every 24 months.
- An application must be completed for all requests of \$500 or more.
- Requests for sponsorships or other types of assistance that are equal to \$499 or less will be considered on a case-by-case basis.
- Funding requests that benefit an individual, a political organizations, or a religious group will not be considered.
- All applicants will be required to submit proof of their 501©(3) status.

Disclaimer: Under extenuating circumstances, the Rotary Club of Chaska's Board reserves the right to supersede the grant application guidelines.

The Rotary Club of Chaska looks forward to working with organizations that serve our community.



Grant Application

Please complete each section of this application and submit it to chaskamnrotary@gmail.com or mail to Rotary Club of Chaska, P.O. Box 14, Chaska, MN 55318. Grants are awarded once per year, in March. After we make our determination, we'll contact the person listed on this form.

If you have any questions, please email us at chaskamnrotary@gmail.com.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Grant Application (for requests that are \$500 or greater)

Legal Name of the Organization:

Are you a registered 501 (c)(3) organization?

Mailing Address:

Telephone:

Contact Person:

Contact Person's Email:

Contact Person's Phone:

Amount Requested:

How will the funds requested be used? (Please specify: How does this project or activity positively impact the greater Chaska community?) Please feel free to include additional sheets of paper if needed.

How does your request align with one or more of Rotary's areas of focus (see page 1)?

Have you received funds from the Rotary Club of Chaska in the past 24 months? Y N

If so, when and how much?

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