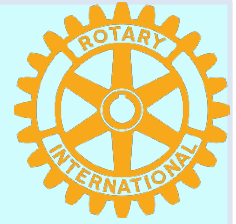




RANCHO SANTA FE ROTARY FOUNDATION

COMMUNITY GRANTS

Guidelines for Application



RANCHO SANTA FE ROTARY FOUNDATION, INC.

A California Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation

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The Rancho Santa Fe Rotary Foundation supports a broad range of activities. Our current **top community priorities are children & youth, education, disease research and prevention, & literacy**. Other areas which may be considered, if funding is available, are hunger and shelter; health, water quality; economics & community development; ethics; environmental conservation & education; arts & culture; senior services and human diversity & resettlement.

Community Grants are made primarily in San Diego County. Grant amounts range from \$250 - \$3,000. Priority is given to specific projects over general operation requests.

Priority will be given to organizations that have not received funding from the Rancho Santa Fe Rotary Foundation in the past two years.

The following areas are **NOT** eligible for grant review: businesses; churches or religious organizations; outside endowments; non-charitable activities; program advertising or sponsorships or political organizations and/or causes.

Applicants generally should be organizations described in Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, and have written ruling from the IRS that they also qualify under Section 509(a) (1), (2), or (3) of the Code (publicly supported organizations and their affiliates).

GRANT CYCLES: There are two grant cycles each year. The application deadlines are March 1st and September 1st. Applicant organizations can expect to learn the outcome of their request within 90 days after the deadline. Please note that a brief report of how the funds were used may be required by grant recipients.

Applications should be submitted electronically and mailed as indicated on the application form. Please provide the information in the order in which it is requested.

The interpretation and application of these guidelines is wholly within the discretion of the Rancho Santa Fe Rotary Foundation. All grants are made at the discretion of the Rancho Santa Fe Rotary Foundation. Qualification under these guidelines above does not entitle an organization to receive a grant.