**Rotary District 5580**

**Rotary Friendship Exchange Committee**

**Goals and Objectives for Rotary Year 2024-2025**

1. Promote the Rotary Friendship Exchange Program
   1. District Newsletter
   2. Presentations from RFE committee members at Rotary Club meetings
   3. RFE Presentation at the annual District Conference.
   4. District Governor visits to Rotary Clubs informing them of this program. (perhaps too late for this Rotary year)
2. Develop an online place for RFE documents that can be accessed by RFE committee members.
3. Solicit new committee members focusing on clubs that could potentially support an inbound exchange.
4. Hold Monthly WEBinar meetings
5. Hold an annual face to face committee meeting at the annual District Conference
6. Plan the next Rotary Friendship Exchange
   1. Choose District for the Exchange
   2. Plan dates with exchange district
   3. Develop preliminary itinerary for inbound exchange team
   4. Advertise for participants for the outbound exchange team
   5. Develop criteria for selecting team members
   6. Select team members
7. Develop a budget for the District 5580 RFE Program. This program is supposed to be self funded, but it would be good to have access to contingency dollars. For instance, a host family is sick and a visiting team member or couple need to stay in a hotel)