

District 6440 Global Grants Policies

Introduction – This document highlights The Rotary Foundation (“TRF”) Grants programs and District 6440 (“D6440”) policies approved by the D6440 Grants Committee. Complete information about Rotary Grants is available at https://grants.rotary.org/s_main.jsp?lang=1. District specific information and documents are available at <https://www.rotary6440.org/sitepage/humanitarian-grants>.

These D6440 Global Grants Policies have been last reviewed and approved as of: June 17,2021

1. Organizational Structure:

- Grants will be administered through the District 6440 Grants Committee;
- Allocation of DDF budget between grant types will be determined annually by the District Grants Committee in consultation with the district governor group (DG, DGE, DGN, and DGND).

2. DDF Match Guidelines:

- The District 6440 Grants Committee approves DDF match for each of the Global Grants and District Grants based on a matching formula described below.
- For clubs applying for a Global Grant and a District Grant, the total requested DDF match may not exceed 50% of the club’s contribution to the Annual Fund - SHARE of The Rotary Foundation from three years ago (e.g., 2021-22 grants are based on 2018-19 contributions to Annual Fund – SHARE).
- New clubs will have a waiver of TRF donation minimums for the charter year and succeeding year to encourage donations and participation.
- Clubs with low donations to the Annual Fund – SHARE are encouraged to partner with other clubs (either in or outside District 6440) to reach minimum size requirements.

3. Key Requirements for Clubs to Receive Matching Funds (DDF) for District and/or Global Grants:

- Clubs must be current on all grant reports (District and Global Grants).
- Clubs must have completed and submitted the D6440 MOU:
<https://form.jotform.com/203636927982165>
- Clubs must have entered the following goals into Rotary Club Central:
 - Foundation – Annual Fund – SHARE
 - Foundation – End Polio Now
 - Membership

4. District Designated Funds (DDF) Allocation for Global Grants

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| A. Global Grant projects | <p>General Features and Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Large Humanitarian and/or Educational Projects• All district clubs hosting or participating in Global Grants must adhere to all Rotary Foundation Terms and Conditions for Global Grants, including the Areas of Focus, Sustainability and Community Needs Assessments Requirements. The updated documents for these aspects can be found on the MyRotary.org website: https://grants.rotary.org/s_main.jsp?lang=1 or at the D6440 grant website page: https://www.rotary6440.org/sitepage/humanitarian-grants• Minimum project size of \$30,000• Sustainable with measurable outcome and impact• International contributions for a global grant must be at least 15% <p>TRF Funding & Matching Policy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Funded by Club Cash, District Designated Funds (DDF) match and The Rotary Foundation (TRF) match:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ For RY 2021-2022: TRF matches DDF - \$.80 from World Fund for each \$1 DDF• No minimum TRF match <p>District DDF Matching Policy for Global Grants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Each \$1 in DDF requires a cash match of at least \$1. The required cash match may be provided by any contributions, from anywhere in the world.• D6440 will want to see the complete, internal detail funding calculations, prior to its leadership making the authorizations for a grant. Send the calculator to globalgrants@rotary6440.org• Our district will provide a 25% bonus in DDF to all DDF pledges by D6440 clubs. There is <u>no</u> requirement to provide a cash match for the D6440 Bonus DDF.• Partnership and pooling of resources are encouraged not only within D-6440 clubs but also with other clubs/districts. <p>D6440 Grant Participation</p> <p>We encourage all clubs to host or participate in Global Grants. For clubs within our district who want to participate in a Global Grant for the current Rotary Year:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• For any Cash and/or DDF pledge, including both the combination of cash and DDF, or solely a DDF or Cash pledge, the club must fill out the yearly designated form. The form can be found at: 2021-22 Club Request for Global Grant DDF and/or Cash Support <p>Then our grant committee will validate the data and vote to approve the request, and then our committee can track & report on the DDF & Cash commitments.</p> <p>DDF Carry Forward</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A club can make cash and/or DDF pledges in one Rotary Year for a Global Grant that doesn't get approved by TRF until a future year.• The cash will not actually be contributed until the TRF approval. The |
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| | <p>DDF amount is automatically provided by TRF after all the cash funds are collected for a TRF approved grant.</p> <p>DDF return if a grant is cancelled</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> If a Global Grant is cancelled, all DDF pledges by clubs within this district will be “returned” to them, so that the club may use that DDF elsewhere. <p>Time Line</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clubs can submit completed Global Grant applications to TRF year around on a rolling basis. There are no deadlines unless a deadline is set by TRF. |
| <p>B. Global Grant for VTT - Vocational Training Teams (Stand Alone)</p> | <p>General Features</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vocational Training Teams (VTT) must provide or receive training Aligned with one of the Rotary Areas of Focus (see list under Global Grants) Minimum of one Rotarian leader plus two non-Rotarian members No limit on age and length of time for the visit Grant pays for the travel costs of the team members Facts about Vocational Training Teams https://my.rotary.org/en/document/facts-about-vocational-training-teams <p>TRF & District Funding, Matching Policy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identical to what is described in (A) above |
| <p>C. Global Grant for a Vocational Training Team (VTT) in combination with project</p> | <p>General Features</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All items described above under (A) and (B) apply Clubs are encouraged to apply for a Global Grant that supports a Vocational Training Team in combination with a related humanitarian/educational project Projects are to be led by a Club, which could initiate the project and partner with other clubs <p>DDF Incentive</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> In order to encourage VTT programs, additional DDF for \$5,000 will be granted for a Global Grant humanitarian/educational project in combination with VTT |

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| <p>D. Global Grant Scholarships</p> | <p>General Features</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• International Graduate Level• One to Four Years• Aligned with the six Areas of Focus (see list under Global Grant Projects) <p>TRF Matching Policy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Minimum scholarship size of \$30,000• Minimum TRF match of \$15,000• TRF Match: DDF =1:1 <p>District Matching Policy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Global Grant Scholarship is funded by DDF and TRF match, Club cash not required• DDF in the amount of \$15,000 may be allocated per scholar per year• District Scholarship Committee in consultation with the District Governor group (DG, DGE, DGN, and DGND) will determine the number of scholars to be sponsored each year• District will take the lead to administer the scholarship program |
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