

## District Grant Reporting

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District grants give Rotarians freedom in determining how to best spend funds donated to The Rotary Foundation in their district. Each Rotary year, districts may apply for one district grant, which can be used to support one or more projects, based on that district’s interests and needs.

The Rotary Foundation funds district grants with District Designated Funds (DDF). Each year, your district may request up to half of your available DDF, which in turn represents half of your district's Annual Fund donations from three years earlier. This system, known as SHARE, enables Rotarians to benefit from the short-term investment of their donation dollars.

Applying for a district grant is an easy, online process. Note, however, that the application requires specific information about your spending plan, bank account, and account signatories, so it’s best to have this information available before you begin.

Also note that district grant applications must be authorized by the district governor, district Rotary Foundation committee chair, and district grants subcommittee chair. Before starting this application, please ensure that your district governor has identified these officers and that the officers have registered with Member Access.

## 2021-22 District Grant Amount

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65,305 USD

## Spending Actuals

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#	District/Club	Activity or project category	Location	Planned amount (USD)	Amount spent (USD)
1.	Le Roy	Education	United States	2,000	2,000
	<b>Activity or project type</b>	<b>Activity description</b>	<b>Beneficiaries</b>		
	Literacy	Implement a Dolly Parton Imagination Library which provides books to children from birth to age five on a monthly basis. The aim of this program is to help foster a love of reading and to increase the number of children and families that	Children/youth		

			have access to this program in our community.		
2.	Akron- Newstead	Education	Dominican Republic	1,979	1,683
	<b>Activity or project type</b> Computers/digital literacy/technology		<b>Activity description</b> Provide the Elizabeth Seton Center (ESC) in Bani, Dominican Republic for quality education, with 2 laptops, 3 desktop computers and a projector. Our project will benefit the staff and students at the ESC, as well as the residents in the village. The impact of the project will enhance quality basic primary education, strengthen educational experiences, and provide teacher training.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Student(s)
3.	Westfield- Mayville	Health	United States	1,000	640
	<b>Activity or project type</b> General		<b>Activity description</b> Provide programming through the YWCA, to teens, and millennials, in the area of Adult, Child and Baby First Aid/CPR/AED and provide training/education/awareness relative to the elderly and elderly care to fill this significant void.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Elderly
4.	St. Catharines- Lakeshore	Health	Canada	2,000	1,986
	<b>Activity or project type</b> General		<b>Activity description</b> Coordinate with Food4kids Niagara the purchase, packing and distribution of food to 35 food insecure children from 3 elementary schools in Niagara. The food packages supplied are intended for weekend nourishment.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Children/youth
5.	Lockport	Education	South Africa	2,000	2,000
	<b>Activity or project type</b> Computers/digital literacy/technology		<b>Activity description</b> Partner with Inkuluelko in Makhanda, Eastern Cape, South Africa to purchase and deploy a		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Student(s)

			digital infrastructure to support learners within the digital learning space, by purchasing tablets with access to mobile data to support the learning efforts of students within the community. Sponsored transportation will be provided for the program to connect with students to offer in-home.		
6.	St. Catharines	Health	Canada	2,000	2,000
	<b>Activity or project type</b> General		<b>Activity description</b> Support Food4Kids Niagara with purchasing, packing and distribution of food for food insecure children who attend Lincoln Centennial School in St. Catharines. Food packages are supplied on Fridays, at the school, or delivered to individual homes in order to provide and ensure weekend nourishment for the children.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Children/youth
7.	Hamburg Sunrise	Health	United States	1,080	853
	<b>Activity or project type</b> General		<b>Activity description</b> Club members will construct, install, and fill five little free food pantries to provide people dealing with food insecurity in the community. These are small structures filled with non-perishable food available to anyone in the community in need.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Economically disadvantaged
8.	Fonthill	Community development	Canada	1,984	1,908
	<b>Activity or project type</b> General		<b>Activity description</b> Provide desks/ chairs for Women's Place of South Niagara to address concern that residents (children, youth and mothers) do not have anywhere to set up and organize for their schooling or workspace in their rooms while they are isolating. Mothers and kids are sharing a very small space which becomes cluttered and messy quickly. Women's Place is		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Women

			planning to put a desk/chair unit in each room.		
9.	Welland	Education	Canada	1,972	1,972
	<b>Activity or project type</b> Computers/digital literacy/technology		<b>Activity description</b> Provide access to elementary students attending St. Francois School, to cutting-edge technology. The provision of a Blue Bot Mat Pack, Sphere Bolt Power Pack, and Blue Bot Activities will provide the students the tools to help them experience the coding aspect which will increase their mathematical and literacy skills, which is now a requirement in the math curriculum.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Student(s)
10.	Ellicottville	Community development	United States	1,963	1,963
	<b>Activity or project type</b> Food/hunger		<b>Activity description</b> Provide equipment to better organize and provide an increase in storage and service in the minimal space of the local food pantry, which serves about 200 families monthly.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Economically disadvantaged
11.	Lincoln	Economic development	South Africa	1,105	1,105
	<b>Activity or project type</b> Agriculture		<b>Activity description</b> Provide the Khazimula Children's Home ( 20-30 children (6-18 years) in South Africa and provides residential care in a safe and secure environment, e in South Africa with a "Growing Tunnel" for use in their garden. The garden will provide a healthy, sustainable food source for the children, as well as teaching them the basic lifelong skill of growing vegetables.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Children/youth
12.	Hamilton	Education	Canada	2,000	1,566
	<b>Activity or project type</b> General		<b>Activity description</b> Create an outdoor Clubhouse area that can be used as an outdoor class and after school program area. The project will include volunteers preparing the site, installing seating, tables, benches and a shed and		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Children/youth

			include a Little Library and garden area.		
13.	Niagara-on-the-Lake	Economic development	Ethiopia	2,000	1,969
	<b>Activity or project type</b> Agriculture		<b>Activity description</b> Provide 35 solar powered dehydrators for small, potato producing, family farms throughout the Amhara region of Ethiopia as part of the Ethiopian Sustainable Food Project.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Farmers/agriculturalists
14.	Dunkirk-Fredonia	Education	United States	2,000	1,655
	<b>Activity or project type</b> General		<b>Activity description</b> Project will focus on 3 established local programs: Kids @ Promise, METS (Migrant Education Training) afterschool programming, and Agribusiness Child Development (ABCD.) Throughout the project are opportunities to promote cultural understanding and community goodwill. Primarily, it is children and youth residing in the community who participate in the three programs.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Children/youth
15.	Brantford-Sunrise	Education	Canada	2,000	1,929
	<b>Activity or project type</b> Computers/digital literacy/technology		<b>Activity description</b> Provide new i-pads for the Lansdowne's Children's Centre, which provides rehabilitation, respite and recreation services to children and youth with physical, communication and developmental disabilities from their birth until they leave school.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Children/youth
16.	Batavia	Community development	United States	2,000	1,804
	<b>Activity or project type</b> Sports/recreation/playgrounds		<b>Activity description</b> Purchase and install an interactive smart screen and computer to facilitate review of game and practice video to facilitate skill improvement for youth hockey players. A cabinet		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Children/youth

			will be made to house and secure screen and computer and the Rotarians will undertake to refurbish the bleachers in the arena.		
17.	Amherst	Education	Tanzania, United Republic of	2,000	683
	<b>Activity or project type</b>		<b>Activity description</b>		<b>Beneficiaries</b>
	Special education		Provide video and camera equipment to an after school club in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania to two secondary schools. The Women Against Poverty (WAP) organization will provide a pilot project to 20 girls in order for them to learn skills in photojournalism and documentary film making as a means to tell urgent stories about issues affecting their lives and communities.		Women
18.	Buffalo-Sunrise	Economic development	United States	1,457	1,457
	<b>Activity or project type</b>		<b>Activity description</b>		<b>Beneficiaries</b>
	General		Purchase/ planting of native, hardy trees in the Buffalo State College-Grant St. neighborhood community populated by immigrants, refugees, and citizens hoping to expand their economic and social opportunities.. Trees are needed in this barren area and the benefits to this community are significant.		General population
19.	West Seneca	Education	United States	2,000	0
	<b>Activity or project type</b>		<b>Activity description</b>		<b>Beneficiaries</b>
	Scholarship primary/secondary		Provide 16 graduating students from both career and technical tracks a scholarship to use towards an entry level starter tool kit as they enter the workforce. Four students in each of the four career and technical pre-professional areas will be selected by teachers to receive the scholarship towards the tools kits.		Student(s)
20.	St. Catharines	Health	Canada	2,000	2,000

	<b>Activity or project type</b> General		<b>Activity description</b> Fund Food4Kids Niagara with purchasing, packing and distribution of food for food insecure children who attend Lincoln Centennial School in St. Catharines.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Children/youth
21.	Welland	Education	Canada	1,960	1,960
	<b>Activity or project type</b> Computers/digital literacy/technology		<b>Activity description</b> Provide 19 Tablets to St. Augustine School, grade 3 class.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Student(s)
22.	Lincoln	Community development	Canada	2,000	2,000
	<b>Activity or project type</b> Sports/recreation/playgrounds		<b>Activity description</b> Provide Audio Visual equipment for the Cave Springs Camp in the Town of Lincoln.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Children/youth
23.	Brantford-Sunrise	Economic development	Canada	2,000	2,000
	<b>Activity or project type</b> Job readiness skills/training		<b>Activity description</b> Organized Chaos is a teaching/mentorship program with a mission to apprentice 13-17 year olds in life skills and technical trades through hands-on experience. They are seeking a partnership to fund a new 12 foot cargo trailer to expand their community outreach programs.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Children/youth
24.	Niagara-on-the-Lake	Health	Canada	2,000	2,000
	<b>Activity or project type</b> General		<b>Activity description</b> Resurfacing of existing 300 sq.ft of playground surface at Westview Centre 4 Women, a weekly Resource Centre created and run by women for women in the Queenston Street Neighbourhood. Facilities include a no charge Daycare Centre and a monitored outside playground area for the children of the women who participate in the programs and workshops.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> Women
25.	Ellicottville	Community development	United States	1,929	1,929

	<b>Activity or project type</b> General		<b>Activity description</b> Provide an upgrade to the computers that are used by the public in the library and to upgrade the WiFi system for better coverage and increase the outdoor coverage which was strained due to the Covid Pandemic, as more users would use the Library HS Internet from their cars in the parking lot.	<b>Beneficiaries</b> General population
26.	Buffalo-Sunrise  <b>Activity or project type</b> Agriculture	Economic development	United States  <b>Activity description</b> Support the Providence Farm Collective (PFC) in Erie County, NY., with: 3 utility carts for transporting farming tools, materials, and harvested produce to and from the fields; a fertilizer spreader; a canopy for their existing tractor (to protect the driver from the sun); and a supply of seed for the cover crop in the fall.	1,376  <b>Beneficiaries</b> Farmers/agriculturalists
27.	Lockport  <b>Activity or project type</b> Beautification/parks	Community development	United States  <b>Activity description</b> Market Street Trail Enhancement Project provides for the purchase and installation of four new heavy duty waste receptacles in the four canalside parks as part of the two-county Niagara River Greenway Initiative collaborative of 12 Rotary Clubs in Erie and Niagara Counties.	1,000  <b>Beneficiaries</b> General population
28.	Ancaster A.M.  <b>Activity or project type</b> Food/hunger	Community development	Canada  <b>Activity description</b> Purchase food for food bank and Rotarians will volunteer stocking shelves and sorting food.	2,000  <b>Beneficiaries</b> Economically disadvantaged
29.	7090  <b>Activity or project type</b> Grant management seminar	District support	United States  <b>Activity description</b> Cover out of pocket expenses incurred in hosting of "in-person"	1,000  <b>Beneficiaries</b> District



			education sessions specific to Rotarians interested in developing proposals in support of the The Rotary Foundation programs, i.e. GRANTS etc. Our international district encompasses Western New York, USA, and Southern Ontario, Canada, so actual expenses may be incurred in either Canada or United States.		
30.	7090	Education	United States	3,500	3,500
		<b>Activity or project type</b> Scholarship primary/secondary	<b>Activity description</b> Scholarships, multiple with varying amounts, to be awarded to worthy applicants whose permanent address is within the boundaries of District 7090.	<b>Beneficiaries</b> Student(s)	
31.	7090	District support	United States	3,500	0
		<b>Activity or project type</b> RI youth programs (Youth Exchange, RYLA, Interact)	<b>Activity description</b> Monetary support to be awarded to R.I. Youth specific programs within the district to support proposals to enhance the profile of RI specific youth programs within the boundaries of District 7090, including Canada and the United States.	<b>Beneficiaries</b> Children/youth	
32.	7090	District support	United States	2,000	0
		<b>Activity or project type</b> Group exchange/Vocational Training Team	<b>Activity description</b> Sponsor a Vocational Training exchange during the 2021-2022 Rotary year with details still to be determined given the current travel constraints and concerns. Investigation will continue and if/when full details are available to undertake an exchange, plans will be completed with timing forecast for the latter part of the 2021-2022 Rotary year.	<b>Beneficiaries</b> General population	
33.	7090	Education	United States	5,000	3,000
		<b>Activity or project type</b> Scholarship primary/secondary	<b>Activity description</b> Scholarships, multiple with varying	<b>Beneficiaries</b> Children/youth	

			amounts, to be awarded to worthy applicants whose permanent address is within the boundaries of District 7090. Students are eligible when graduating from high school and pursuing further education by attending college or university.	h	
34.	7090	Health	Ukraine	2,000	2,000
		<b>Activity or project type</b> Medical supplies/equipment	<b>Activity description</b> Provide 500 first aid/trauma kit bags to be filled with first aid items and airlifted to Ukraine. The bags will have the Rotary International logo and say "first aid" in Ukrainian printed on the bag. Bags will be filled with donated items from the organization Not Just Tourists, Niagara Warehouse of Hope and AMD for Hope. D7090 Rotarians will assist in the packing.		<b>Beneficiaries</b> General population

	Contingency fund:	3,000	
	Administrative expenses fund:	1,500	1,095
	Total amount spent:		<b>54,865</b>

## Unused Funds

### Are you returning any district grant funds?

Yes

### Amount (USD)

10440

## Report

<b>Certified by:</b>	Lezlie Murch
<b>Submission date:</b>	18/08/2022

