

June 18, 2022 District 7850

Annual Report at District Conference

Business Meeting

On September 19, 2020 the Foundation Committee Chair, Louisa Tripp, met with the DG track to discuss proposed DDF spending for the 2021-22- year as well as review the District 7850 Foundation management processes, documentation and grant applications. District 7850 had \$27,164 (half of \$54,328 listed on RI "Available DDF" report attached) available in DDF to spend during the 2021-22 fiscal year (see attachment A). Based on previous spending patterns, we arrived at the attached spending plan which included \$5,000 for teacher scholarships and \$22,164 for District Grants.

On May 15, 2021 the Foundation Grant review committee met to review grant applications and interview Alonzo Malouin Teacher Scholarship applicants Attachment B lists grants and amounts approved by that committee in addition to the Teacher Scholarships that were approved after interviews were conducted, We awarded \$21,355 for district grants and \$5,500 in teacher scholarships.

On Sept 18, 2021 the District Foundation Committee Chair, Louisa Tripp, met with the DG track to discuss the proposed DDF spending for the 2022-23 year as well as review the District 7850 Foundation management processes, documentation and grant applications. In attendance were Louisa Tripp, Michael Carrier and Caroline Earle in addition to Larry Vars, Susan Cherry and Jamie Milne. District 7850 had \$30,001 (half of \$60,002 listed on RI "Available DDF" report attached) available in DDF to spend during the 2022-23 fiscal year (see attachment C). Based on previous spending patterns and we arrived at the attached spending plan which includes \$5,000 for teacher scholarships and \$25,00 for District Grants.

Final reports for the grants listed above were due May 15, 2022. We expect to be able to successfully close out the 2021-22 year without issue this year again to allow RI to approve releasing of the 2022-23 funds in late June. Applications for the 2022-23 District Grants were due May 1 including Teacher Scholarship applications. The foundation review committee met on May 14, 2022 to review grant applications and interview Teacher Scholarship applicants. The committee awarded \$24,900 in district grants and \$5,000 in teacher scholarships. The next Review of District 7850 Foundation processes, documentation and proposed budgets is not currently scheduled, but has, in recent years, been scheduled on the same day as DGND interviews in mid- to late September and plan to do so again this year in mid- to late-September.

Respectfully Submitted,

Louisa Tripp  
District 7850 Foundation Chair 2021-22