

Rotary District 5930
Investigating, Reporting, and Resolving Allegations
Of Misuse or Mismanagement of Grant Funds
Rotary Club of _____
For Rotary Year 2019-2020

An allegation of misuse or mismanagement of The Rotary Foundation (TRF) grant funds whether such funds were received directly from the Foundation via this District, or another District, may be made by a Rotarian, beneficiary, cooperating organization, or any other individual involved in or aware of grant activities. Such an allegation should be made in writing and sent to the District 5930 Rotary Foundation Committee Chair (DRFCC) as soon as possible. Assistance in communicating with the DRFCC can be obtained by contacting the Rotary District 5930 Secretary listed in the Rotary International South Texas District 5930 Directory or by utilizing the Rotary District 5930 website (www.rotary5930.org) to obtain the DRFCC email address, physical address, and/or telephone number(s).

Upon receipt of an allegation, the DRFCC shall promptly inform the District Governor (DG) and the District Rotary Foundation Global Grants Committee Chair, District Rotary Foundation Global Scholar Committee Chair, or District Rotary Foundation District Grant Committee Chair, as applicable, of the alleged misuse or mismanagement. The DRFCC will also notify the District Stewardship Management Team Committee Chair and TRF as necessary.

As directed by the DG, either the DRFCC or an investigative District leadership committee member shall be appointed by the DG to investigate the allegation and to report findings of fact, opinions, and recommendations to the DG and DRFCC within 30 days of appointment, unless such period is extended by the DG. The DRFCC shall consult with the DG regarding the report and shall then determine the appropriate corrective actions, if any, to be taken. The DRFCC shall report on the matter to TRF, indicating how the District has acted to resolve the allegation.

The DRFCC shall be responsible for tracking, reporting, and retaining all supporting documentation for any and all such allegations, including the status of reporting to the DG and TRF.

Reports of investigations and actions taken as reported to TRF shall be maintained in the District Office for a period of five years from the date such information is forwarded to TRF. Access to such reports shall be limited to the current DG, DRFCC, and RI unless the DG directs otherwise.

This policy shall be posted on the District Website and included as a topic at all Grant Management Seminars.

Club President 2019-2020

Club President-Elect 2020-2021

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