## **ROTARY GRANTS UPDATES AS OF 1 JULY 2020**



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## Changes to the global grant cash match

- An important change is being implemented to global grant funding for 2020-21.
- The global grant program has been very successful and has grown at an incredible pace since its launch in 2013. This growth, however, means that we expect the demand for global grants to dramatically exceed the capacity of the World Fund.
- Because of this, the Trustees of The Rotary Foundation have decided that World Fund resources will be
  used to match only District Designated Fund (DDF) contributions. This match will remain at 100
  percent.
- The match on cash contributions to grants will be eliminated, effective 1 July 2020.
- Global grant applications that have been submitted but not yet approved on 1 July will still receive the World Fund match for cash contributions.
- Contributions to the Annual Fund are invested to produce DDF and the World Fund. Cash
  contributions in support of a grant do not. By supporting the Annual Fund, members can ensure a
  steady supply of both DDF and World Fund resources for the global grant projects that change people's
  lives.

