ROTARY GRANTS

RMDTI 2022

UPDATES

ROTARACT PARTICIPATION IN GRANTS

- January 2022: Rotaract clubs may be included in district grant spending plans
- July 2022: Rotaract clubs can apply for global grants
  - Prior experience with global grants
  - Partner with Rotary club
- Suggestion: Start with district grants then move to global grants.

ENVIRONMENT

- Officially launched July 2021
- Global grant applications now accepted

ENVIRONMENT STATS

2021-22 Environment stats

Area of Focus / Activity Type	Number of Grants	World Fund	Total Funding
Environment	33	$623,218	$1,928,012
Humanitarian projects	22	$453,023	$1,441,150
Scholar	11	$170,195	$486,862

CHANGES TO TRF FUNDING MODEL

The World Fund match of DDF has been reduced from 100% to 80% when being used for global grants.

LEARNING CENTER

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Terms and Conditions are now available in separate versions. One for Global Grants and one for District Grants.

GLOBAL GRANTS

- Large, long-term projects
- Sustainable, measurable outcomes
- Alignment with areas of focus
- International partnership
- $30,000 minimum budget
- World Fund match for DDF

AREAS OF FOCUS

- Peacebuilding and conflict prevention
- Disease prevention and treatment
- Water, sanitation, and hygiene
- Maternal and child health
- Basic education and literacy
- Community economic development
- *NEW* Environment

ROTARY'S AREAS OF FOCUS
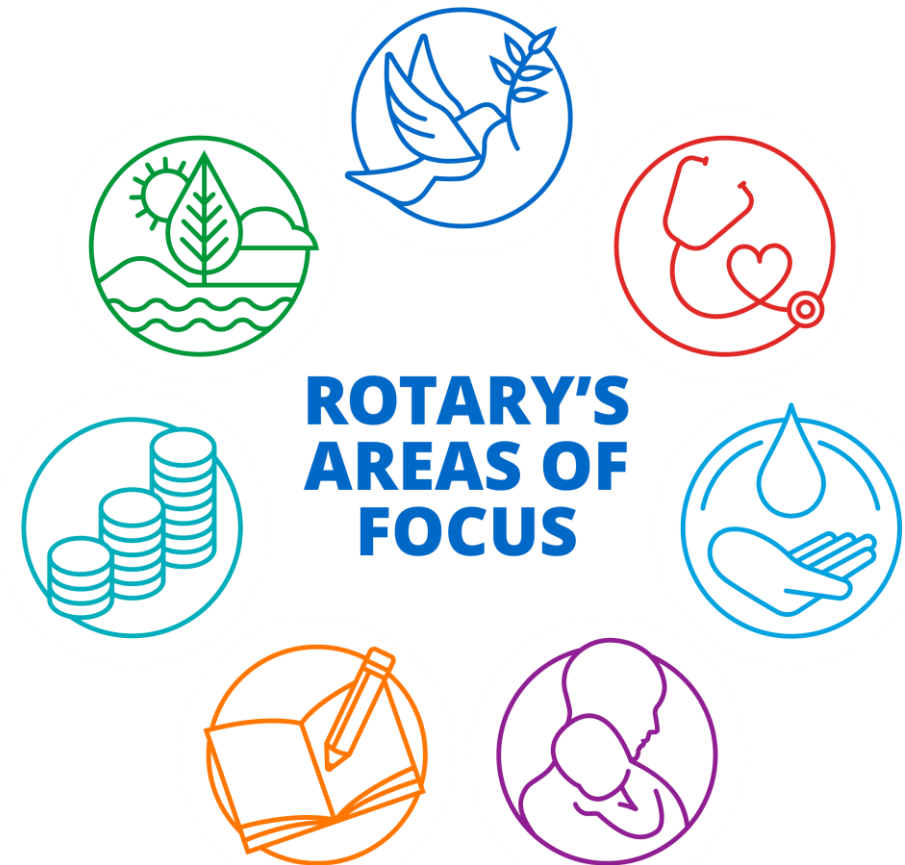
COMMUNITY ASSESSMENTS

GLOBAL GRANTS ACTIVITY AND DISCUSSION

WHAT IS A COMMUNITY ASSESSMENT?

- Examines strengths, weaknesses, needs, assets
- Helps to identify relevant opportunities for projects

BENEFITS

- Increased understanding of community dynamics
- Helps you make decisions about service priorities
- Builds valuable relationships
- Encourages community member participation
- Helps to build trust, community ownership and sustainability

ASSESSMENT TOOLS

- Community meeting
- Survey
- Interview
- Focus group
- Asset inventory
- Community mapping
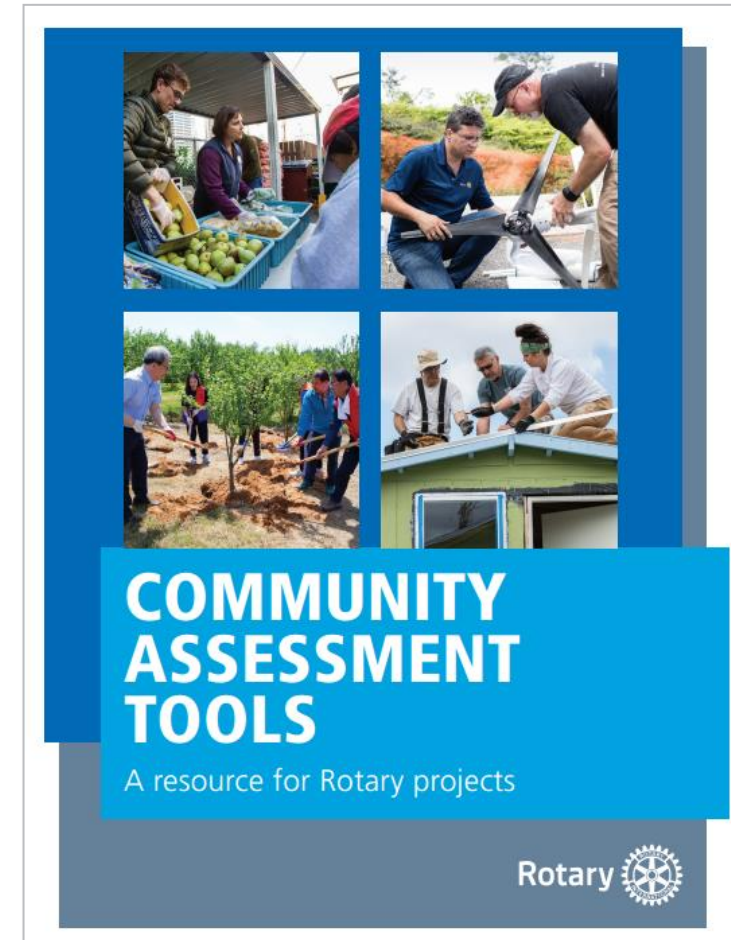
COMMUNITY ASSESSMENT ACTIVITY

Why is community engagement important? Think of a project idea (keeping in mind the areas of focus) and discuss how you would do a community assessment. What tools can you use? What suggestions do you have?

SUSTAINABILITY

Sustainability means different things to different organizations.

For Rotary, sustainability means providing long-term solutions to community needs that the beneficiaries can maintain after grant funding ends.

SUSTAINABILITY

Project description: The main goal of the project is to improve the daily diet of infants, mothers, and pregnant women. This will reduce chronic malnutrition among Haitian children. The project also will provide education in the local community to improve children's diets.

Who are the beneficiaries?

SUSTAINABILITY

What type of community assessment would you conduct?

PROJECT GOALS

What goals could this project address?

ACTIVITY

What would make this project sustainable?

Why do you think some projects are declined?

DISTRICT GRANTS

- Small-scale, short-term

- Local or international activities

- Aligned with the Foundation's mission

- Single grant awarded annually

DISTRICT GRANT ACTIVITY

All district grant projects must align with TRF's Mission.

ACTIVITY

Review the project descriptions below. Consider if each project would qualify for a district grant. If not, why?

1. The Rotary Club of Corpus Cristi wants to use funds to help fundraise for a global grant. Is this eligible? Why or why not?

2. The Rotary Club of Austin wishes to donate funds to a Food Pantry. Is this eligible? Why or why not?

3. The Rotary Club of Houston wishes to purchase a vehicle to transport food and other items to needy families. The vehicle would be owned by the Rotary club. Is this eligible? Why or why not?

4. Can you think of any other projects that would be **eligible** for district grants? What projects are not eligible and why?

GLOBAL GRANT VS. DISTRICT GRANT

	Global grant	District grant
Cost	$30,000 min.	No max. or min.
Funding	World Fund, DDF, cash	DDF
Application	Online	Managed by district
Area of focus	Project aligns with area of focus	No area of focus requirement
Partnership	Host and international partnership	No partnership required
Sustainability	Required	Not required
Measurability	Required	Not required
Scholarships	Graduate and post-graduate	No study level requirement

2021-22 GRANT STATISTICS

District grants
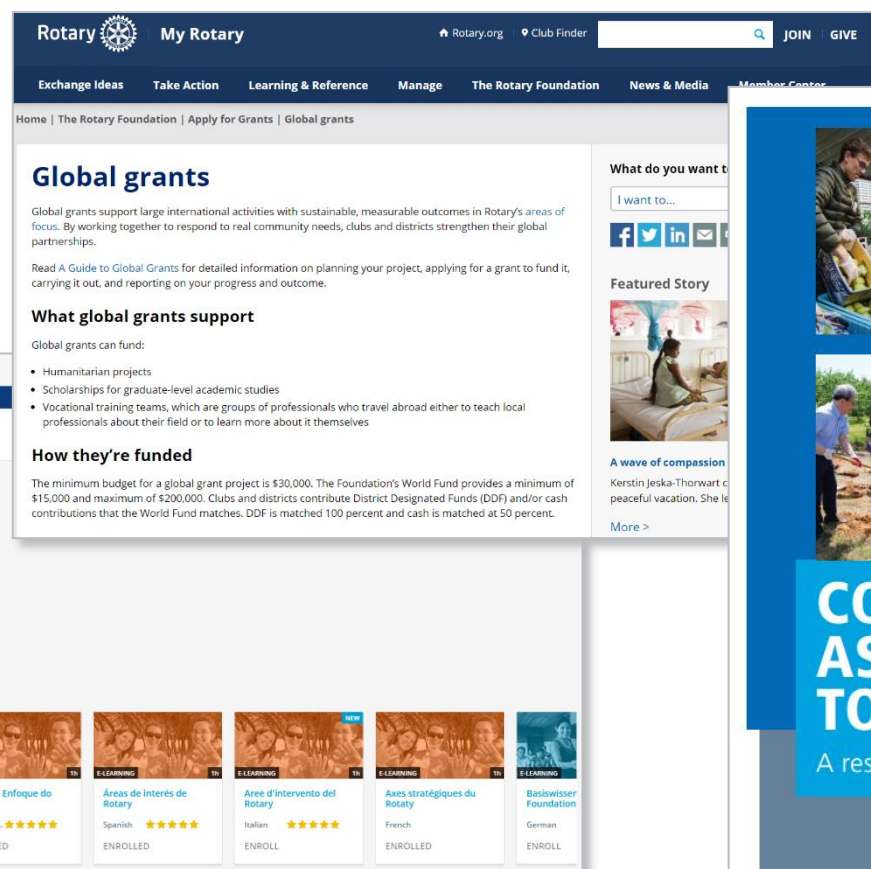478 grants
$28.7 million

Global grants
1,197 grants
$76.9 million

Disaster response grants
228 grants
$7.09 million

RESOURCES

QUESTIONS