



District/Governor's/Rotaract Grant Final Report 2020-2021

This report must be completed and uploaded on matchinggrants.org within 30 days after completion of the project but no later than 2 years after the date of approval of the project. For scholarships, the report is due 30 days after payment of funds.

District Grant # (from matchinggrants.org) P-3420

Rotary Club: Rotary Club of Lander

Project Title: COVID-19 Relief Support

Project Description:

1. Is this a scholarship governor's grant report? Yes No (If yes, go directly to line 16)
2. Briefly describe the project. What was done and where did the project activities take place? Explain how the beneficiaries and other community members were involved?

This project's goal was strictly to raise funds for COVID-19 relief support in our community. Our club had some extra money in the bank that we felt could be used as part of a matching grant from the district.

I did all the paperwork in applying for the grant which we were awarded. Another club member (MJ Greene) arranged for the two beneficiaries to meet us Rotarians at a mutually acceptable time, day, and location where we conducted the check presentation. Club member Ernie Over is employed by one of the media outlets (Wytoday.com) so he took pictures of the event and will do a story on it. MJ Greene also arranged for County10.com to send a representative and she took pictures of our ceremony and ran the story on their site. I provided the quotes for the County10 story. Other Rotarians (see the photos in the Photos page) were present to be part of the ceremony and provide comment to the news outlets if they were asked anything. Other club members shared the County10 story on our club's Facebook page as well as their own providing a lot of visibility for our club.

3. How many Rotarians participated in this project? Overall - Many

4. What did they do? Please give at least two examples.

As the initial money provided as part of our share for the match has been raised via several fundraisers from last year, it's hard to say exactly how many. Our biggest is the 4th of July Buffalo BBQ where at least 40 club members usually participate in providing over 1500 meals to those who come to the fundraiser.

As far as who participated in the events of today's ceremony are concerned, there were at least six Rotarians there. For what exactly a few of them did, please see the description of the project above.

5. How many non-Rotarians benefited from this project? __ Impossible to say but the money we gave to the Food Bank will help pay for a walk-in freezer which will store a lot of food for distribution to the needy for many years to come. The funds awarded to the Lander Community Foundation's COVID-19 Relief Fund will be distributed at the discretion of the LCF. They could potentially award these funds to several small businesses that have struggled to make it through the shutdowns. ____

6. Who are the beneficiaries and what is the expected long-term community impact of this project?

See #5 above.

7. If a cooperating organization was involved, what was their role?

N/A

8. Income:

Income Source	Amount
Funds still in the club's bank account	\$1,750
District Grant	\$3,500
Total Project Income	\$5,250

9. Expenditures: (number receipts starting with 1 and indicate a receipt # (s) for each expenditure) (Do not include travel expenses)

If international project convert amounts to US dollars	Receipt # (s)	Budgeted Amount	Actual Amount
No expenditures beyond the awarding of the actual checks of \$2,625 to each organization	N/A	N/A	N/A

Total project expenditures			

10. Please explain any variance of more than 5% between the budgeted amount and the actual amount including the reason for the variance and why the alternative was chosen.

11. Project score (5=strongly, 4=agree, 3= neutral, 2=disagree, 1=strongly disagree)

	Project Score	Comments
The overall project was successful	5	The recipients were very grateful
The grant process worked well	4	It was a bit bumpy but that's because it was my first grant application so I learned a lot about the process.
My interaction with partner clubs was good	N/A	No other club involved
We achieved the results we expected	5	

12. Did you upload photos in your project on matchinggrants.org under the Photos tab? (If not, please do so) Yes.

13. What worked well on this project and why?

Giving money away to charities/nonprofits is usually pretty easy.

14. What did not work well and how would you suggest improving it?

As I said before the grant process was bumpy because it was my first one and I didn't know much about it.

15. How was this project publicized?

Two local news outlets.

16. Scholarship Governor's grant only

a. Name of scholarship awardee _____

b. Current school _____

- c. University of college they will be attending _____
- d. Course of study _____
- e. Starting date _____

Project Inventory

Please list all items provided in this grant that are over \$500 in value and are not expendable.

Item Purchased	Date of Purchase	Cost	Initial Destination/ Location	Comments
N/A				

By signing this report, I confirm that to the best of my knowledge these District Grant funds were spent only for eligible items in accordance with Trustee-approved guidelines, and that all the information contained herein is true and accurate. Receipts for all grant-funded expenditures are attached. I also understand that all photographs submitted in connection with this report will become the property of RI and will not be returned. I warrant that I own all rights to the photographs, including copyright, and hereby grant the District, RI and TRF a royalty free irrevocable license to use the photographs now or in the future, through the District and the world in any manner it so chooses and in any medium now known or developed. This includes the right to modify the photographs as necessary in the District's and RI's sole discretion. This also includes, without limitation, use on or in the web sites, magazines, brochures, pamphlets, exhibitions and any other promotional materials of the District, RI, and TRF.

Please attach all receipts or an invoice and a copy of the check used to pay the invoice. Funds over \$100 not used must be returned to the district grants treasurer.

Certifying signature of primary contact John B Brown Date:09/24/2020_____

Print name John B Brown

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