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Subject: GG-1978115 (G-1571) Global Grant - Dental Services for Tirrases Families

Dear Rotary Partner,

It's with great disappointment that we must let you know that the Lewisville Morning Rotary Club, in partnership with the Rotary Club of San Pedro – Curridabat Costa Rica, are needing to cancel our global grant application to provide equipment for a dental clinic in Tirrases Costa Rica. While we successfully raised the required funds for the grant project, and the host club in Costa Rica has made significant progress toward establishing a dental clinic in Tirrases, obstacles resulting from the current COVID-19 pandemic have made continuing the project at this time impossible given the grant deadlines and changing municipal government requirements and University support in Costa Rica.

We have already begun the process to reevaluate the project, and plan to resubmit the project next year after we have overcome COVID-19 obstacles so we can continue working to address the need for dental hygiene care in this poor district of Tirrases Costa Rica.

We would have not been able to get this far without your club's generous support, and we hope we can continue to receive your support in the future. If your club has the ability to hold on to the funds you've set aside for the current project, we hope you consider utilizing the funds in the resubmitted project. That would be wonderful.

Please let us know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Tom Rowe, John Pokorny and Mark Smith Lewisville Morning Rotary Club