

PROJECT PLANNING RESOURCES

Use these resources to find solutions to questions at various steps of the process to help you plan a successful project, find support for your efforts, promote your work, and evaluate its impact.



Click on each resource to learn more.

“ I’m looking for international service projects undertaken by other clubs in my district for my club to join to make a greater impact.

District International Service Committee

inspires clubs to become more involved in international service, connects them to local mentors who use their subject-matter expertise to help develop projects with greater impact and sustainability, and helps identify potential international project partners.

“ I want to find local experts to help my club write grants as well as plan, design, implement, monitor, and evaluate our project.

Rotary Community Corps (RCC)

is a team of non-Rotarian men and women who work in partnership with Rotary clubs to improve their communities. By bringing community input and involvement in projects, RCCs enhance Rotary’s impact and reach.

“ Our club wants to ensure that our project is sustainable and is maintained and monitored by a community group.

District Resource Network

is coordinated by the District International Service Committee and includes local subject matter experts with skills and experience to help clubs strengthen projects, whether funded by The Rotary Foundation or another source.

“ I want to involve local residents in planning, designing, implementing, and overseeing a project.

Rotary Action Groups

are international, Rotary-affiliated groups, whose members have subject-matter expertise in a particular service area. They offer technical assistance and best practices to clubs and districts in planning and implementing effective projects, and help identify partners and funding resources.

“ I want help from experts in:

- Project planning
- Community assessments
- Project design
- Finding partners
- Project funding
- Supporting an international program



“ I am looking to empower my community and get more involved with local service projects.

District Community Service Committee

motivates clubs and helps them plan and implement impactful local service projects, often in partnership with RCCs and in coordination with youth service committees overseeing Interact, Rotary Youth Leadership Awards, and New Generations Service Exchanges.

“ I’m looking for examples of international service projects undertaken by other clubs in my district to inspire mine.

Rotary Showcase

features both ongoing and completed service projects that can help clubs find international partners and inspire the global Rotary community with project ideas that members can replicate locally.

“ I have questions about global grant eligibility and project design.

“ I need help with the global grant application process.

TRF Cadre of Technical Advisers

are Rotarians with professional expertise in our areas of focus. They have experience designing, evaluating, and monitoring projects funded by The Rotary Foundation and understand Foundation policies and global grants.

“ I want to seek Foundation grant funding for my project. I need help with:

- Project planning
- Community assessment
- Project design
- Monitoring and evaluation

Rotary Grants Staff

help clubs and districts throughout the grant process. They can answer questions about global grant eligibility and project design.

“ I want to learn more about Rotary Foundation grants.

District Rotary Foundation Committee

educates and inspires clubs to participate in Rotary Foundation grant and fundraising activities in the district, assists clubs with the grant process, helps determine if activities are eligible for grant funding, and oversees distribution of District Designated Funds.

“ I’m seeking District Designated Funds to support my project.



“ I’m looking for international events that will let me explore the local community and find Rotary and Rotaract projects to support as an international partner.

Project Fairs

facilitate prospective international project partners by giving international visitors a chance to learn about a local community’s needs and develop relationships with clubs in regions where the fairs are hosted.