RESOLUTION 24R-10

To request the RI Board to consider implementing enhancements to the training for assistant governors

Proposer(s): Rotary Club of Rantasalmi, District 1430, Finland

1 2	WHEREAS, assistant governors have very different individual levels of expertise in matters of Rotary, and
3 4	WHEREAS, the use of assistant governors varies widely from district to district, and
5 6 7	WHEREAS, assistant governors aren't given sufficient credit for the work they do, and
8 9	WHEREAS, the importance of assistant governors grows as districts increase in
10 11	size, including their geographical boundaries, and
12 13	WHEREAS, governors often do not recognize the many potential uses of assistant governors
14 15	IT IS RESOLVED by Rotary International that the Board of Directors of Rotary
16 17	International consider implementing enhancements to the existing training for assistant governors in such a way that each assistant governor could at the
18 19	beginning of his/her term participate in uniform training organized by the zone, and paid for by RI, together with the district governor-elect or district governor-
20	nominee training.

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PURPOSE AND EFFECT

The role of assistant governor can be enhanced and diversified with more uniform training. This training could positively impact membership growth through the introduction of new and innovative perspectives and would also contribute directly to the mental well-being and enthusiasm of assistant governors by increasing appreciation for their work within the district. In addition, such partial joint training will enable governors to better recognize and make use of the valuable resource they have in their assistant governors.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

If implemented, this resolution would have a significant financial impact on RI which cannot be determined at this time. Cost would be dependent on the scope and extent of support provided by the RI Board to accomplish this goal.