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### **Report Summary:**

Since our last Cabinet meeting, the Global Extension Team has continued its efforts to grow and strengthen Lionism in our district through new club development, community partnerships, and outreach initiatives.

#### **Lions Quest Service Carnival:**

We are excited to announce that the **Lions Quest Service Carnival** will take place **tomorrow at the Ridgedale Library**.

This event will showcase what Lions are doing in our communities and provide fun, engaging activities such as **Kindness Rocks** and opportunities for attendees to **learn more about Lions and our service mission**. We are hopeful that following this event, we will reach the membership numbers needed to **officially charter the new Minnetonka Lions Club**.

### **Minnetonka Club Development:**

The Minnetonka club remains our primary focus, and progress continues positively. The community response has been encouraging, and our goal is to have the **club fully chartered and operational by the end of December**.

## **Join Together Program:**

We are in the **early stages** of developing a "**Join Together**" **program** in partnership with **Touchstone Mental Health**.

This initiative aims to create a bridge between community service and mental wellness — aligning with our mission to serve with compassion and care.

# **Future Growth Opportunities:**

In addition to our current projects, I have been meeting with individuals and exploring new areas and strategies for club development.

Our next steps include identifying cities or neighborhoods without an active Lions presence, assessing community needs, and determining where we can begin new club initiatives or outreach efforts.

# **Closing Remarks:**

Our team remains committed to building new opportunities for service, leadership, and community engagement.

With continued collaboration and enthusiasm, we are confident in our ability to expand the reach of Lionism across our district.