

Financial Support Application 2022 Rotary Club of State College/Downtown Application Deadline: May 1, 2022

For more than 30 years, the members of the Rotary Club of State College/Downtown have used their passion and money for projects and organizations here in Happy Valley. Although our fundraising has been impacted by the COVID pandemic, we still look to distribute funds to worthy causes by July 2022. If you wish to apply for these funds, please complete the form below.

Who Should Apply? Applicants should submit if their project and usage of funds would have a positive impact on our local community. If you are able to help others, have a clear, actionable plan to do so, and are in need of financial assistance, please apply!

How Much is Available? In past years we have distributed more than \$25,000 but we only anticipate having around \$10,000 available this year. Individual grants may range between \$500 and \$2,500. Funding is very competitive -- in 2019 over \$100,000 was requested. Requests from organizations that have already received significant funding from our club through a 2021-22 specific event or District Matching Grant are less likely to be funded.

What type of projects are we looking for?

- Target beneficiaries should primarily be individuals who live or work in Centre County.
- Projects and events planned for the period of July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023 tend to receive priority over operations as we can not guarantee funding in subsequent years.
- Past club grants have concentrated on children/youth, housing, health, education/literacy and diversity but requests for other areas will be considered
- Return on investment is important so the availability of other funds to supplement our support may be beneficial
- Support of our club's fundraising and service projects is always appreciated.

Project Title:			
Project Start and Completion Date:			
equesting Organization: Ar		of funds requested:	
Funds Available from other Sources:			
equesting Organization is an IRS recognized 501c3 nonprofit		☐ Yes ☐ No	
Contact Name	Position		
Phone E-	mail	Website	
Organization has previously received a State College Downtown Rotary Club Grant? \Box Yes \Box N			
If yes, most recent year?			

PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS IN NARRATIVE FORM:

1. What is your mission?
2. If awarded, please describe how the Rotary funds would be used. What will be done, when and where will the project take place, and who will benefit?
3. Requested Amount? (You may wish to attach a simple budget.):
4. What, if any, opportunities might be available for recognition of Rotary support of your project?
Please feel free to attach any additional information that may be helpful. The designated contact person will be notified of our decision by early June.
Organizations that are selected to receive financial support may be requested to send a representative to a distribution event in June or July 2022.
Grant Application Signatures:
Organizational Leadership (Executive Director, CEO, etc):
Organizational Leadership Volunteer (Board Chair or President):

Submit application and questions to: Brodie Dalton, Immediate Past President rotarybrodie@gmail.com