

**Rotary District 5160
2016-2017 District Grants DDF Allocation**

Rotary Club	Area of Activity	Project Description	DDF ALLOCATION
Alamo	Community Development-General	Install "Drive Carefully Protect our Children" signs at five-schools in Alamo at two elementary schools, a middle school, high school and special needs school. The project responds to a community need based on prior accident experience in the community. Grant supports the purchase and installation of signs.	\$1,400.00
Brentwood	Education-Literacy	To assist the Village Community Resource Center English literacy program by implementing new programs affecting learning development of students. The program will implement the California English Language Development Training and introduce a Leadership Money Management program.	\$2,500.00
Burney-Fall River	Education-Literacy	This grant will fund the development of the Rotary International Children's Corner at the new Burney-Fall River Library. Nearly 500 children have Burney Public Library cards. The new section will enable the library to increase the number of children's program and also the number of children using the library.	\$15,000.00
Chico	Community Development-General	This grant will address many of the crime prevention issues, most significantly, a 300 foot rod iron fence with two gates will be constructed surrounding the street perimeter of the park. The goal is to reduce loitering and illegal activities in the park. The grant will also beautify the park through landscaping and adding Crime Prevention through Environmental Design approved benches and tables.	\$8,500.00
Chico Sunrise	Community Development-General	This project for the children's recreation area of The Capers Acres project at the local park will be to rebuild the entrance to the area making it more accessible for school programs that utilize the area for field trips promoting science and nature education and to support social interaction and behavioral developments skills.	\$8,500.00
Corning	Community Development-General	This grant will fund the installation of fire suppression sprinkler system for a community theatre that is being renovated to be a multi-community center. The fire suppression sprinkler system will be built and installed in accordance with the approved plans and applicable building and safety codes for the project.	\$9,000.00
Davis Sunset	Community Development-General	The Davis Sunset Rotary Club provides 4-5 free movies on an outdoor screen in the Central Park each summer which is attended by 500 to 1,000 people per movie. The grant will enable them to replace the old movie screen with an new inflatable movie screen. It will also allow them to purchase a cotton candy and popcorn machine for the concessions stand the Club operates.	\$6,000.00
Fairfield-Suisun	Education-Literacy	This grant, Rotary Success Scholar Program, is to empower, train and develop high potential youth from disadvantaged circumstances to make positive life and career choices as they transition from youth to adulthood. The two year scholarship program will provide funding for books, tuition (as needed), school cafeteria meals, laptop computers and transportation. Each youth is assigned a Rotray member to be their mentor.	\$15,000.00
Martinez	Education-Safety	This project at Alhambra High School will provide junior and senior high school students with a graphic hands-on method for simulated driving while texting and the dangers associated with doing so.	\$2,500.00

Moraga	Community Development-General	The Moraga Club is developing and constructing in the Lamorinda area, the first All-Access Playground, focused on children with physical or developmental disabilities. Included will be the purchase of 23 pieces of specialized recreational equipment and accessible ramps along with fencing and rubberized surface to ensure accessibility and safety.	\$13,757.00
Mt. Shasta	Community Development-General	This grant will improve a trail that leads from Mount Shasta City Park to the downtown area, providing public access and recreation. The project includes providing materials and labor to install a boardwalk to protect wetlands and to improve pedestrian and bicyclist safety.	\$5,000.00
Orinda	Community Development-General	The Orinda Club will work with the community to replace an old manually-maintained community service board with a new electronic board at the entrance to Orinda. The new board will allow more timely announcements of community service activities and events and will enable more local organizations to be listed simultaneously in rotation.	\$7,500.00
Paradise	Community Development-General	The grant will be used to provide much needed firefighting safety equipment for the Paradise Fire Department. The Department has limited resources to replace self-contained breathing apparatus used by firefighters to protect their respiratory systems in hazardous environments, hot and toxic gases.	\$8,700.00
Pittsburg	Health and wellness	This project is designed to reach middle school children and their families to learn about healthy eating. A certified nutritionist will give a presentation about healthy eating habits, nutritional values, exercise at home and how to balance food and exercise.	\$500.00
Pleasant Hill	Community Development-Water Conservation	After years of epic drought conditions, conserving water in California is more critical than ever. This grant will install a 500 gallon rain tank at the local YMCA to serve as a demonstration project and to educate the community on the importance of collecting rain water. We will The project will be used to promote the installation of home rain water systems and will provide education and resources on how to accomplish this goal. The Club will also collaborate with Diablo Valley College's Horticulture Department to install a demonstration garden of native and drought tolerant plants in the area surrounding the rain tank to showcase water wise gardening techniques.	\$3,300.00
Red Bluff	Community Development-General	Install a state of the art, American Disabilities Act Compliant bus shelter at the Tehama Campus of Shasta College to accommodate a newly created bus service for a rural community. The goal is to provide a safe transportation alternative for students without vehicles.	\$8,800.00
Redding East	Community Development-General	Construct a group activity pavilion on the grounds of Palo Cedro Community Park. The planned improvements include developing a 25 foot diameter wooden pavilion that can be used for weddings, education, musical events, school and educational programs and community gatherings.	\$15,000.00
Richmond	Education-Literacy	Working with the school district, this project will provide for the installation of a an area in the schools with approximately 20 new-high-quality books of a theme to be determined by each school to encourage children to read. Volunteer Rotarians will work to beautify the area of each installation at the schools and provide bean bag chairs, shelving, etc.	\$4,800.00

Rossmoor	Health Care-Education	This project will improve classroom conditions for the developmentally disabled clients who attend the adult day program of Las Trampas School. It will provide forequipment fior changing adult diapers, more easily cleaned and sanitized classroom chairs, adjustable professional changing tables with side rails to improve the safety of the students and reduce physical stresses on care giving staff.	\$9,773.00
San Ramon Valley	Health Care-Education	Provide six Shaken Baby Simulators to organizations that will use the simulators as a powerful demonstation to teach parenting skills which will lead to the prevention of child abuse and the death and/or brain damage to babies.	\$2,500.00
Weaverville	Education-Literacy	The Chome eReader project will provide 50 eReaders to classroom children in the village of Chome, Tanzania. Each eReader will be pre-loaded with 100 e-books including textbooks from the world's top textbook publishers. Each device will also have 100 titles of age appropriate recreational reading material. The selections will be in both English (the language of commerce) and Swahili. In total, this project will provide 10,000 high quality books to this remote village school in Northern Tanzania.	\$4,750.00
District 5160		Total Grant Funds Awarded	\$152,780.00
District 5160		3% Administrative Fee	\$4,725.00
District 5160		Total DDF Block Grant Application (Maximum DDF Available \$157,505)	\$157,505.00