

Opening the door to opportunity.



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Bob Griffin
c/o Rotary Club of Arlington
P.O. Box 121045
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Dear Bob:

On behalf of the Tarrant Literacy Coalition Board of Directors and the adult learners who will benefit from the generous Rotary Foundation grant, I want to express our sincere appreciation for the \$3,000 grant to support LEARN, Literacy Education and Reading Network, our new initiative to serve low level readers in Tarrant County.

This effort has come about because of the notable increase in adults who have contacted the Tarrant Literacy Coalition to ask for help in learning to read or to request tutoring to improve their reading skills.

Working with The Learning Center of North Texas and Literacy Connexus, we have developed a program that will encourage low level readers to participate in individual tutoring with trained volunteers on a regular basis. This tutoring will help them raise their reading level, improve their reading comprehension and building their overall reading and writing skills.

The funding will be used to purchase materials which will be used with adult learners. We are fortunate to have a variety of resources available through New Readers Press and other publishers that are specifically designed to assist low level readers. With the Rotary funds, we will be able to purchase materials at various levels as students make progress with their tutors.

Thank you for your continued interest in and devotion to the issue of adult literacy. Working together, we will be able to have a tremendous impact on the lives of many adults and their families.

Warmest regards,


Kathryn B. Thompson, CFRE
Executive Director