



District Grant Application

Date:

Rotary Club of:

GRANT PREREQUISITES (All items must be current to proceed)

	Current	Not Current
District and RI Dues Status: (Your club must be current on both District and RI dues at the time of application to proceed. Your club must also be current on all dues at the time of funding.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Previous Grant Reporting Status: (Your club must be current on reporting requirements for previous grants prior to funding any new grants.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Grant Management Seminar Status: (Two Rotarians from your club must have attended the latest seminar.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
MOU Status: (Your club must have signed a District or TRF MOU for local projects and a TRF MOU for international projects.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Project Name/Title:

Project Leader Name:

Project Leader Email:

Project Leader Phone:

Brief Project Description:

Fullerton Rotary will partner with OC United whose mission is to equip and empower youth emancipating from the Foster Care system to become self-sufficient. We do this by building relationships with and providing wrap around services to youth ages 18-24. This particular project is to purchase furnishings for the new home being located in Fullerton and the manpower to move the furnishings into place. OC United's vision is that every youth has a mentor family to rely on and the resources to live successfully.

1. Project Start and Ending Dates:

(Projects may not begin prior to the District receiving approval from TRF. Reimbursements for earlier expenses are not eligible. Projects must be completed by the end of each Rotary year.)

2. Project Location: ☒ Community ☐ International

(If the project is international, will there be a Rotary club from the other country involved? If so, explain how they will participate.)



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3. Project Budget:

(Attach a complete project budget. List all revenues and expenses. These amounts **MUST** balance.)

If the goods and services are to be purchased from an international source, is the budget properly calculated in US dollars?)

Including 7 beds & dressers, 2 couches, 1 coffee table, 1 TV, 1 dining table, 8 chairs cost estimated at appx \$5K 6 @ \$600, plus 1 all-in-one printer @ \$300 . The intention is to get as much of this as we can within the 6K grant.

4. Grant Funding:

(How much will clubs be contributing? Club contributions must be equal or greater than the amount requested from the District.)

Club(s) Contribution	District DDF	Total
\$ 3,000	\$ 3,000	\$ 6,000

5. Participating Clubs:

(If other clubs will be participating in this project, list each club and its contribution.)

	\$	
	\$	
	\$	

6. Other Support:

(What other in-kind contributions, discounts or financial support are you getting for the project?)

A local business is purchasing a house and providing it rent-free for use by our program. In-kind donations of furniture and other housing items will be accepted. A portion of expenses are anticipated to be met by business and private donors.

7. Other Involvement: (What other groups or organizations will be involved and how will they be participating? Attach participation letters from any non-Rotarian organizations partnering in the project.)

Our grant request is to assist in sourcing, acquiring and moving furniture and kitchen basic living needs.

8. Club Participation:

(Show active involvement of the Rotarians in your club. How many club members will participate and what will they do?)

We anticipate involving 12-15 club members, and 10 to 20 of our Fullerton Cal-State Rotaract and several of our RYPEN Satellite club members to participate.

9. Who are the Beneficiaries:

(Who are you serving and how?)

OC United serves transitional age youth (ages 18 - 21) from foster care by providing wraparound, holistic support. Program participant's will be referred through our existing camps and mentor programs to foster youth, as well as by the County, Foster Family Agencies, and area Colleges and Universities. This will serve the Fullerton youth by providing housing, job training and placement, assistance with tutoring for GED or college prep, professional counseling, life-skills training and emotional care.



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10. Lasting impacts on the community:

Our program will help mitigate the cost and effects to society of poor out-comes in educational attainment, too early pregnancy, homelessness, and involvement with the criminal justice system estimated at \$300,000 annually per emancipated youth.

11. Rotary Area of Focus: *(check all that apply)*

- ☐ Peace and Conflict Resolution
- ☐ Disease Prevention and Treatment
- ☐ Water and Sanitation
- ☐ Maternal and Child Health
- ☐ Basic Education and Literacy
- ☒ Economic and Community Development

12. Funds Stewardship:

(Describe how funds will be safeguarded and tracked. If funds are to be distributed to an international partner for purchase/use in another country, who will be responsible for the funds? How will transfers of funds to international partners be handled?)

Our Foundations Club Secretary will vanguard the funds and only issue money for receipts turned in against the project.

13. Publicity: *(How do you plan to publicize your project? Check all that apply)*

- ☒ Press Releases
- ☐ Local Newspapers
- ☐ Community Newsletters
- ☐ Magazines
- ☐ Ads
- ☐ Cable TV
- ☒ Social Media
- ☒ Banners & Flyers
- ☒ Speakers
- ☒ Partner Organizations

14. Additional Comments:

OC United has been working with foster youth for the past 15 years through camps and mentoring programs run through Royal Family KIDS Camp and Teen Leadership Foundation. Now as these children (whom they have invested in and been in relationship with over the years) emancipate from foster care, they see a crucial need for continued involvement in their lives at this critical juncture between childhood and adulthood. This has lead us to create an Emancipated Foster Youth program at OC United specifically for transitional aged foster youth. Our Fullerton Club believes this is an excellent program and this is not just an excellent community project for us, it plants a solid seed in the ground for assisting these youth going forward and hopefully a relationship our club can grow with in years to come.