

District Grant Report

Rotary Club: San Clemente Sunrise

Project Title: San Clemente Urban Forest Support

Progress Report Final Report

1. Briefly describe the project. What was done, when and where did project activities take place, and who were the beneficiaries?
In support of the Tree City USA designation, the City of San Clemente has designated tree planting in public spaces each year. San Clemente Sunrise Rotary will support the buying of 15-20 trees for an Arbor Day Tree Planting event at Jim Johnson Memorial Park on April 27, 2024.

Funds have been distributed to the City of San Clemente. We are awaiting the receipt and the final event on April 27th.

2. How many Rotarians participated in the project?
TBD

3. What did they do? Please give at least two examples.
Participants will publicize the event, help dig holes for the trees, mulch, plant, and water the new trees, man an information table about SC Sunrise Rotary at the event.

4. How many non-Rotarians benefited from this project?
The park is situated next to a Shorecliffs Middle School where student play and where soccer and other sports teams play weekly. MANY people outside of Rotary will benefit from the shade of the trees.

5. What are the expected long-term community impacts of the project?
- Trees eat the greenhouse gases that cause climate change
- Trees boost our mental health while raising our physical health
- Trees clean the air so we can breathe more easily
- Trees give a home to the wildlife we love
- Trees cool down your life, and could even save it
- Trees filter your water, making your drinking supply cleaner and more reliable

6. If a cooperating organization was involved, what was its role?
Rotary Club of San Clemente members will be involved, as well as the San Clemente Garden Club and San Clemente Tree Foundation. Donations from all these groups helped buy the trees that were planted.

Financial Report – Be sure that Income equals Expenditures!

7. Income	Amount
1. District Grant funds approved by the District	865.00
2. Club contribution	1000.00
3. Other funding (specify)	
Total Project Income	1865.00

8. Expenditures - please be specific and add lines as needed - receipts must be attached

1. Cost of trees – sent to the City of San Clemente.	1865.00
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	
6.	
Total Project Expenditures	1865.00

9. By signing this report, I confirm that to the best of my knowledge these District Grant funds were spent only for eligible items in accordance with Trustee-approved guidelines, and that all of the information contained herein is true and accurate. Receipts for all grant-funded expenditures have been provided to the district. I also understand that all photographs submitted in connection with this report will

become the property of RI and will not be returned. I warrant that I own all rights in the photographs, including copyright, and hereby grant RI and TRF a royalty free irrevocable license to use the photographs now or at any time in the future, throughout the world in any manner it so chooses and in any medium now known or later developed. This includes the right to modify the photograph(s) as necessary in RI's sole discretion. This also includes, without limitation, use on or in the web sites, magazines, brochures, pamphlets, exhibitions and any other promotional materials of RI and TRF.



Certifying Signature

Date: April 5, 2024

Print name, Rotary title, and club

Melinda Lester, Public Relations and Environmental Committee Chair, San Clemente
Sunrise Rotary