

DISTRICT 5190 - GRANTS TIMELINE 2026-2027

I. Club's Proposed Plan for District Grant Projects 2026-2027

- **The Club's Proposed Plan for District Grant Projects form** is due to the Incoming District Rotary Foundation Committee Chair (DRFCC) Steve Snyder (sas@goldrushchevy.com), no later than **May 31, 2026**. The form is available on the Grants Page of the District5190.org website: <https://district5190.org/page/trf-grants>.
- **This form is NOT an application**; it provides the District Foundation Committee with the data to apply for a District Block Grant that comes from the Annual SHARE Fund within The Rotary Foundation (TRF) which in turn, allows for D5190 to fund its District Grants.
- If no proposed plan is submitted by your club, your eventual grant application could be delayed as it must be approved by TRF prior to review by our D5190 Grants Review Committee.

II. District Grants

- **Grants Management Training (GMT)** – Club President and at least one other club member must be current in GMT to sign an MOU and for the club to apply for a District Grant. Multiple classes will be offered between Spring and Fall 2026, usually via zoom. Check District Calendar or contact DRFCC. Training certification is good for 3 years.
- Since there are numerous changes in policy for 2026-27, ALL Presidents Elect and Club Foundation Chairs are *recommended* to take GMT prior to July 1, 2026, even if "current".
- Read, review, date, and sign (President and one other), and submit **Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) and D5190 Addendum**, to Incoming DRFCC Steve Snyder (sas@goldrushchevy.com). Recommend completing **by June 30, 2025**. You can't apply for a District Grant until the signed MOU is received.
- **Once you've been trained and submitted the signed MOU, complete the District Grant application in the District Grants Module on the district5190.org website.**
 - **Clubs Submit Applications:** July 1 through October 31, 2026; Grants are subject to availability of District Designated Funds (DDF) for matching funds. They will be funded on a first come/first approved basis. The application does NOT have to be written by the Club President; recommend assigning another member within the club to be the lead/contact.
 - **You must be a Club in Good Standing**, to be approved.
 - **Deadline for Submission:** The October 31, 2026 deadline may be extended, or a second round of funding may be offered, if funds are still available.
 - **All District Grant Projects should be fully implemented by May 31, 2027.**
 - **Final District Grants Reports: Due June 30, 2027.** ALL District Grants must be fully completed and reported on within the Rotary year.
 - **See D5190's 2026-2027 Grant Policy available on district5190.org for additional information.**

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III. Global Grants

- **Grants Management Seminar (GMS):** *The Club President, Club President Elect, and the primary contact for Grant Project must all be current in GMS to sign the MOU and to apply for a Global Grant. Online classes are available at the Learning Center on myrotary.org. Clubs must retake the training each year that the grant is opened.*
- You will be required to **sign a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU)** specific for Global Grants before an application will be reviewed or approved by The Rotary Foundation.
- **You must be a Club in Good Standing** to be approved.
- **Global Grant applications may be submitted at the Grants Center on myrotary.org website.**
- **Clubs Submit Application:** Applications are accepted by The Rotary Foundation at any time but may not be reviewed by The Rotary Foundation until 2027-28 if received after March 15, 2027.
 - **NOTE:** Clubs that desire matching funds (DDF) must contact the D5190 Global Grants Chair or the District Rotary Foundation Committee prior to submission of the online application to ensure that sufficient funds are available to support the request, to be sure the application is complete, and to verify that the Club's representatives are current with Grant Management Seminar training.
 - **NOTE:** Global Grant applications often take months to be approved. Once approved, the implementation of Global Grant Projects often extend across multiple years.
- **Progress Reports: Annually** due from the date of initial TRF funding – this is a MUST!
- **Final Report: Due 2 months after completion of project.**
- See D5190's 2026-2027 Grant Policy available on district5190.org Grants Page for additional information.
- See Guide for Global Grants: [Guide for Global Grants rev 2022](#)