

PALM BEACH FLAGLER ROTARY FOUNDATION

Funding Guidelines

The Palm Beach Flagler Rotary Foundation is a private foundation with its primary mission to support the work of approved charitable organization within Palm Beach County. As such, it is dedicated to underwriting grants that provide services to ill and disadvantaged children and adults, educate children and enhance the community at large, and assist Rotary organizations throughout the world in international projects through Rotary International.

To be eligible for a Palm Beach Flagler Rotary Foundation grant, organizations must meet the following criteria:

- The mission of the applicant organization is consistent with the mission of the Palm Beach Flagler Rotary Club and its Foundation;
- The applicant organization is pursuing activities directly related to one of the Foundation's focus areas (see below); and
- Grant funds are used exclusively to serve residents of Palm Beach County.

The Foundation funds:

- Organizations that are non-profit and tax-exempt under 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Service Code (IRC) and defined as a public charity under 509(a) 1, 2, or 3 (types I, II, or a functionally integrated type III)
- Accredited schools
- Rotary International projects

The Foundation does not fund:

- Grants to individuals other than type of scholarship mentioned above
- Religious organizations for religious purposes
- Endowments
- Operating deficits or retirement of debt
- Political causes, candidates, organizations, or campaigns
- Grants to 509(a)(3), type III supporting organizations that are not "functionally integrated"

Areas of Interest/Focus of Grants:

- Literary
- Health Care
- Homelessness & Hunger
- Discretionary

Range of Funding:

The Foundation's assets are limited and grants funded are typically between \$500 and \$2,500.

Application Process: Letter request to the President of the Palm Beach Flagler Rotary Foundation submitted by April 30, 2017 addressing:

- The need for the project

- Matching funds available by requesting organization for the project as well as other matching funds either received or requested,
- Number served and impact
- Budget
- Evaluation of effectiveness

Organizations will be notified regarding the Foundation's determination regarding their request.

For further information, please contact:

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