



# The Rotary Club of Carroll Creek Community Service Committee

Guidelines for Funding Projects (rev. 2006)

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## **Objectives:**

Although no one project can meet all of the following guidelines, our Rotary club is looking for projects that accomplish one or more of the following objectives:

- Help children
- Involve the Carroll Creek / downtown Frederick area
- Impact the City of Frederick & Frederick County
- Support the ideals and objectives of Rotary International by, for example:
  - Assisting the underprivileged
  - Promoting international goodwill and better understanding through cultural exchange (think globally, act locally)
  - Improving health care
  - Promoting the concept of community service throughout our community
  - Promoting goodwill and better understanding through education
  - Promoting awareness of the needs of our community
  - Promoting philanthropy and service in our Rotary club
  - Supporting projects that are consistent with the theme of the Rotary year as determined by the President of Rotary International and our Rotary club president and board

## **Attributes:**

Projects that our Rotary club supports typically have more than one of the following attributes:

- Are well planned
- Show a direct, preferably measurable, impact to the grantee organization
- Fund a project or a program rather than an organization's routine operating expenses
- Make a significant impact for the amount of money spent (e.g. fishing poles as opposed to fish)
- Promote "hands on" participation by our Rotary club members
- Enhance the identity/visibility of our Rotary club within our community