

District 7360 District Community Grant Application 2024-25

Application Deadline: August 1, 2024

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Rotary Club of: Northern Schuylkill Coujty

Project Title: American Legion Memorial

Amount of funds requested from District: \$200

Amount of funds committed by Rotary Club for Project: \$200 (must be equal to or greater than amount of funds requested from District)

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2024-2025 Club Treasurer Mark Bernardyn peckybb1@ptd.net
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No project may start until final approval is received from District 7360 and The Rotary Foundation

PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS IN NARRATIVE FORM:

1. Briefly describe the proposed project. What will be done, when and where will the project take place, and how many people will benefit from the project. How will the project benefit the community?

The Northern Schuylkill County Rotary Club proposes to create a veteran memorial area in the American Legion Park in Shenandoah, Pa.

The park is a large area, mainly empty except for a small granite marker and a gazebo. NSC Rotary Club has secured permission to design an area dedicated as a memorial area for personal reflection by the community.

This area will consist of two benches with memorial signage, a flower garden, and the posting of our Rotary Wheel.

2. How many club members will participate in the project and in what role? Is there a cooperating organization also involved and what will their role be?

There will not be a cooperating organization involved with this project.

Five members of the NSC Rotary Club will be the prime participating members in accomplishing this project:

Marie Poppoff will be the administrator of the project overseeing all aspects its completion and reporting to the membership of all developments;

Mark Bernardyn, club treasurer, will be responsible for the accounting of expenditures;

Brad Oravitz, Frank Fetter, and Louis Truskowsky will assist will procurement of materials and directing installation of items.

3. Will the project be completed if less than requested funds are granted?

Yes, the project will be completed if less than requested funds are granted.

If yes, will the project be modified if this occurs, and if so, how?

The project will not be modified.

4. How does this project reflect the mission of The Rotary Foundation?

The American Legion Memorial will be a bold demonstration of the Rotary ethos of selfless service and dedication to the people of the community by offering a place for reflection and remembrance.

The project directly reflects the creed of Truth, Fairness, Goodwill, and Friendship, as well as being Beneficial to all concerned.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

- **All 2024-25 Rotary Foundation Certified Clubs may submit one (1) Community Grant Proposal if they gave \$6,000 or less to Annual Fund in 2021-22 OR two Community Grant Proposals if Annual fund giving exceeded \$6,000 OR one (1) collaborative project with one or more clubs.**
- **Each year the Rotary Club must be certified. Please check to certify that the following steps for the 2024-25 Certification have been completed:**

Club President or designee must have attended PETS or equivalent training.

Two (2) club members must attend yearly a Grant Management Seminar (GMS) held by District 7360.

Clubs must submit a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to the District 7360 Grants Subcommittee by August 1, 2024.

Clubs must have entered an Annual Fund Goal of at least \$25 per capita and at least 13 goals for the 2024-25 Rotary year in MyRotary by August 1, 2024.

Club must be current on Rotary International and District Dues.

Reminder: The club will receive the grant money when the final report and all receipts have been submitted to the District Grants Committee Chair

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