



## UNDERSTANDINGS AND AGREEMENTS

Subscribed to by this

Provisional Rotary Club in the presentation of this application to R.I.

1. As our constitution, we have adopted the standard club constitution prescribed by Rotary International. This club understands that the club constitution can be amended only by convention of Rotary International, or (under certain circumstances for exceptional reasons) by the board of directors of Rotary International, in accordance with Section 2(d), Article I, of the by-laws of R.I. No amendment to the by-laws adopted by this club which might conflict with the constitution of the club or with the constitution and by-laws of Rotary International will be made without first submitting such proposed amendment to the general secretary of Rotary International for approval by its board of directors.
2. This club will be bound by any and all amendments to the standard club constitution which may be adopted hereafter (as provided in Article I, Section 2(b), of the by-laws of Rotary International, and in Article XIV of the constitution of this club).
3. This club will remit payment for its members' subscriptions to THE ROTARIAN as provided for in the club by-laws upon receipt of invoice covering such subscriptions. (An obligation of membership in the United States and Canada; elsewhere only when Article X is retained in club constitution.)
4. NO FURTHER MEMBERS will be elected between the filing of this application and the receipt of the official notice of the admission of the club to membership in Rotary International. Thereafter this club will faithfully endeavor to add to its membership at least one and not more than three new members each month during the first year of its existence.
5. This club, as a club, will not become a member of, or assume obligations of membership in an organization other than Rotary International.
6. This club is hereby pledged, in its desire to develop true Rotarians and a Rotary club that will function properly as a unit in Rotary International, to maintain the following fundamental characteristics of Rotary:
  - a. Rotary is concerned with the development, encouragement, and fostering of understanding, good will, and peaceful relations among people throughout the world based upon the ideal of service.
  - b. Rotary is a world fellowship of business and professional men banded together in Rotary clubs for the purpose of encouraging the practical application of the ideal of service both individually and collectively—with emphasis on the individual.
  - c. A Rotary club selects its members on a basis of classification in accordance with the nature and place of the individual's business or professional activities.
  - d. Attendance at regular club meetings is required at least to a stated minimum for the continuance of membership so that acquaintance and fellowship may be developed as a first step toward lasting friendships.
  - e. Rotary clubs provide members with opportunities to develop an appreciation of and a desire to practice and exemplify high ethical standards in their personal and business or professional activities.
  - f. The religious and political beliefs of a Rotarian are regarded as being his own concern. A Rotarian is expected to be faithful to his religion and loyal in his citizenship.

THE FOLLOWING IS THE INFORMATION FILLED IN ON THE COPY OF THE CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS WHICH OUR CLUB HAS ADOPTED:

(Please fill in the following spaces to correspond with these articles in the club constitution and by-laws as adopted by your club.)

**CLUB CONSTITUTION**

Heading THE ROTARY CLUB OF CRESCENT (GREENSBORO) *Friendly Connection*  
name of club *North Carolina O.K. Club*

Article I THE ROTARY CLUB OF CRESCENT (GREENSBORO) *North & Park Ave.*  
name of club

Article II (The community in) That area in Greensboro, North Carolina bounded on the north by Friendly Road but not including either side; on the east by Aycock Street but not including either side; south to West Lee Street; thence east along Lee Street including both sides to Asheboro Street; thence South on Asheboro Street including both sides and Liberty Road; to the city limits of Greensboro.

These territorial limits are understood to include the immediately tributary rural territory for which the community in which the club is located is the principal banking, trading and shipping center.)

**FOR OUTSIDE U.S.A. AND CANADA ONLY**

Article X, "Official Publication," is retained.

Article X, "Official Publication," is not retained.

(If Article X is retained in the club constitution, subscription to the official publication is an obligation of membership in the club. If not retained, subscriptions to the official publication are voluntary.)

**CLUB BY-LAWS**

Heading THE ROTARY CLUB OF CRESCENT (GREENSBORO) *North Carolina*  
name of club

Article I, Section I

Number of Directors 7

Is alternative plan adopted? No \*

Article II (Same plan to be adopted as in Article I.)

\*If the alternative plan is adopted it provides for the immediate past president to be a member of the board of directors. Since there will be no immediate past president at the time of organization, the club may, if it desires, elect an extra director for the first year.

**Article IV—**

Section 1 1st regular meeting in February (Same plan to be adopted as in Article 1.)  
annual meeting for election of officers

(Date selected must conform to the provisions of Article IV, Section 2 of the standard club constitution which provides that "An annual meeting for the election of officers of this club shall be held not later than the thirty-first day of March in each year.")

Section 2 Thursday, 12:30 p.m.  
weekly meetings—day and time

Section 4 1st Thursday of each month  
meetings of board of directors (specify day and week)

**Article V—**

Section 1 \$25.00  
admission fee

(The board of directors of R.I. will not admit to membership in Rotary International any club in the United States and Canada that does not have an admission fee of at least \$20.00 U.S. currency. In other countries the admission fee should be equivalent in purchasing power in local currency to at least \$20.00 U.S. currency.)

Section 2 \$100.00 (including meals)  
annual membership dues

(The board of directors of R.I. will not admit to membership in Rotary International any club in the United States and Canada that does not have annual membership dues of at least \$25.00 U.S. currency. In other countries the annual membership dues should be equivalent in purchasing power in local currency to at least \$25.00 U.S. currency.)

**Article XI—**

Section 1 One (1)  
negative votes (active members)

Section 2 One (1)  
negative votes (senior active, past service and honorary members)

Section 3 One (1)  
negative votes (re-election of former additional active members)

***The foregoing information concerning club by-laws refers to the by-laws recommended by the board of directors of R.I. Unless these recommended by-laws are adopted by the club without modification, the full text of the by-laws as adopted by the club must be attached to this document.***