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Rotary Club of Boise - Southwest  
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Thank you for your generous grant contribution of \$6,500 to the Treasure Valley Family YMCA's *Make a Splash* program. This program is teaching valuable swimming, healthy living, and leadership skills to 79 3<sup>rd</sup> grade students from Whittier Elementary during the 2017-18 school year. Participants spend an afternoon every three weeks at the West Y, where they learn the YMCA values of Caring, Honesty, Respect, and Responsibility.

Many of the students participating in this program would not have access to learning these skills through any other means. Abilities such as treading water and simple floating techniques will help lower rates of unintentional childhood drowning. An added benefit of the program is improved school performance through confidence and leadership skill building. Teachers have noted improved focus and behavior and higher levels of classroom productivity for their students who participate in *Make a Splash*.

Costs for transportation, supplies, lessons, and staff instruction time are \$83.97 per child. The per child rate factored higher than years past due to increased program cost (transportation costs and employee wages) and a lower enrollment year for 3<sup>rd</sup> grade students. Each child visits 11 times during the school year, at \$7.63 per visit.

Total costs: 79 children x \$83.97/child =	\$6,634
Rotary Grant:	\$6,500
Difference:	\$(134)

We appreciate the incredible support of Rotary Club of Boise - Southwest. Together, we are making a difference in the lives of our community.

Sincerely,

Carrie Magnuson  
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Treasure Valley Family YMCA

Thank you for your support!

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