Boulder Valley Rotary Club District Grant in support of United Nations Association of Boulder County *Adopt A Future Initiative - Educating a Generation of Refugee Children*

The Rotary Foundation Areas of Focus: Literacy

The Hagadera Refugee Camp in Kenya is part of the Dadaab complex of refugee camps stationed in south-eastern Kenya. The Dadaab settlement is the second largest refugee complex in the world. More than 245,000



refugees live in Hagadera and according to the United Nations High Commission on Refugees (UNHCR), over 50% of refugees worldwide are under the age of eighteen.



An uneducated child is a vulnerable child at risk of exploitation. The UNHCR is working to prevent a lost generation by giving refugee children the education they need to build a better future and the Boulder Valley Rotary Club is inviting you to partner with the United Nations Association of Boulder County along with Rotarians, Rotary Friends and Rotary District 5450 to make an impact in the lives of the children in Hagadera.

The United Nations Association of Boulder County has accepted the Adopt-A-Future challenge issued by UNHCR to raise funds to sustain a classroom and provide supplies for refugee children living in the Bidii school district (889 males & 733 females eligible for primary education at Bidii). This BVRC District grant responds to the challenge by supporting the Adopt A Future Initiative in true Rotary spirit and we need your help to make this happen.

Rotary Adopts A Future LITERACY support project \$29,000

Books and School Supplies - \$11,300

- Arrange for the in-country transportation and distribution of books \$2,000
- Locally purchase books to supplement the BFA shipment \$6,900
- Purchase writing materials, notebooks and backpacks for children to carry their school supplies home from school (10/child) x 240 children \$2,400

Equip Classrooms with Teaching Materials - \$2,500 to equip 5 new classrooms*

- Chalkboards
- Teaching materials, chalk, calculators, writing materials, notebooks
- Desks
- Benches

*The new classrooms are being built through the UNHCR & UNA Boulder County Adopt-A-Future Initiative

Teacher Capacity Building - \$12,000

- Teacher training trained by UNHCR staff \$1,800/teacher x 5 new classroom teachers
- Laptops for teachers \$3,000

Implementation and Monitoring \$3,200

- Transportation and accommodation costs for on-the ground monitoring by identified on-the-ground partners (4 trips x 2 people/trip) \$2,000
- Communications for reporting by on-the-ground partners \$1,200

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