

# Individual Project Final Report

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Rotary Club: Soldotna Rotary Club

Project Title: Kenai River Recycling

## Project Description

1. Describe the project. What was done, when, and where did project activities take place?

-Increased entity bottles), paper and aluminum (soda cans). By providing a user friendly packaged program with professional and consistent signage and volunteer assistance, entities are more likely to implement successful recycling at their events, keeping recycle-able materials from the landfill and fostering a stewardship ethic than can ripple into other environmental arenas (e.g. water protection).

--Increased community recycling efforts recycling: Community events generate a large mass of waste, specifically in food waste and recycle-able plastics (water & soda

: By increasing the efficiency and effectiveness of large event recycling a drastic decrease in landfill bound materials will result in the community outside of special events. Our landfill has finite space.

--Increased residential recycling: By providing a user friendly means of recycling at large events allows residents to experience a hassle free means of recycling which will likely translate to the home, resulting in an increase in resident recycling and decrease in landfill bound materials or improper waste disposal.

2. How many people benefited from this project? 8000+

3. Who were the beneficiaries, how were they impacted by this project, and what humanitarian need was met?  
 We have used these recycling containers at our Kenai Peninsula Beer Festival, our Club's major fundraising effort and recycled 380 pounds. Through other events, we have benefitted our rivers by not having recycling materials entering our watershed, by increasing awareness of sanitation and water preservation, and by giving our community an avenue to contribute to appropriate waste disposal. There is no end to how this project will impact the community and the people that live and play here.

4. How many Rotarians participated in the project? 12

5. What did they do? Please give at least two examples, not including financial support provided to the project.  
 Placed signage on containers, emptied containers at events, planned the project, worked with other businesses to get shipping costs donated, organized dispersal and storage.

6. If a cooperating organization was involved, what was its role?  
 The Kenai Watershed Forum and Regroup were involved by having them volunteer to house the containers while not in use and to help with disposal of recyclables after events.

## Financial Report (District must retain receipts of all expenditures for at least five years)

Currency Used: USD Exchange Rate: \_\_\_\_\_ = 1 USD

7. Income

Sources of Income	Currency	Amount
1. District Grant funds received from the District	USD	\$2,000.00
2. Rotary Club Contribution	USD	\$2,378.58
3. Other funding (specify) shipping cost donated by Lynden	USD	\$839.73
<b>Total Project Income</b>		<b>\$5,218.31</b>

8. Expenditures (please be specific and add lines as needed)

Budget Items	Name of Supplier	Currency	Amount
1. Blue containers (recycling)	Kenai Watershed Forum	USD	\$1096.58
2. Signage	Bounce Creative	USD	\$2600.00
3. Green containers (compost)	Uline	USD	\$682.00
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Total Project Expenditures

4378.58

### **Certifying Signature**

By signing this report, I confirm that to the best of my knowledge these District Grant funds were spent only for eligible items in accordance with Trustee-approved guidelines, and that all of the information contained herein is true and accurate. I also understand that all photographs submitted in connection with this report will become the property of RI and will not be returned. I warrant that I own all rights in the photographs, including copyright, and hereby grant RI and TRF a royalty free irrevocable license to use the photographs now or at any time in the future, throughout the world in any manner it so chooses and in any medium now known or later developed. This includes the right to modify the photograph(s) as necessary in RI's sole discretion. This also includes, without limitation, use on or in the web sites, magazines, brochures, pamphlets, exhibitions and any other promotional materials of RI and TRF.

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Date: 5/27/15

Print name, Rotary title, and club

Judi Stuart, President, Soldotna Rotary Club