

Individual Project Report

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Rotary Club: Hastings Sunrise Rotary

Project Title: Philippine Pig Project

Progress report Final report

Project Description

1. Describe the project. What was done, when, and where did project activities take place? If this is a progress report, what remains to be done?
2. The Hastings Sunrise Rotary Club committed to provide \$2000 (\$1000 from the district grant and \$1000 from our local club) to assist the HELP Foundation (Humanitarian Efforts to Lessen Poverty of Underprivileged Children in the Philippines) a nonprofit, charitable organization committed to bringing hope and opportunity to the people of the Philippines. The charitable organization in the Philippines is called BigHoop Charities and in the proceeding document the two names will be used interchangeably. The project is intended to be self-sustaining once the initial breeding herd is established. Local poor families in the Bukidnon province will be taught basic animal husbandry skills and provided a starter gilt. The gilts will be bred and farrowed. When the piglets reach weaning age, the gilts will be held back to increase the herd size and the males will be sold to provide economic support to the families.
3. On November 8, 2014, four gilts were purchased and breed. The gilts should be ready to breed in June and farrow in September. If all goes well, they are expected to produce 32-40 piglets.
4. BigHoop Charities had originally hoped to buy a much needed generator but there were not enough funds to cover both the gilts and generator. The remaining funds were used to prepay feed that will last through late summer.
5. Please find the district grant after-action report 2014 attached in the document section. It will provide a more detailed recap and impact of the project. Pictures and receipts are also included in the summary.

2. How many people benefited from this project? Potentially 32-40 families in the first year.
3. Who were the beneficiaries, how were they impacted by this project, and what humanitarian need was met?
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4. How many Rotarians participated in the project? 6
5. What did they do? Please give at least two examples, not including financial support provided to the project.
Since this is an international project local club members will be involved in securing grant funds, coordinating the distribution of the funds and following up with the HELP Foundation to see the funds in action. The Hastings Sunrise Rotary Club has two veterinarians in membership. The veterinarians can provide professional consultation if needed.
6. If a cooperating organization was involved, what was its role?
BigHoop Charitable Institution is the organization that is working in the Philippines. The volunteers working in country are the ones that purchased the gilts and will care for the animals through the farrowing process. After the gilts farrow they will distribute the feeder pigs to poor families in the area. They train the families on how to care for the animals.

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	\$1,000.00
2. Other funding (specify) Matching funds from Sunrise Rotary		\$1,000.00
3.		

Total Project Income

\$2,000.00

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

Budget Items	Name of Supplier	Currency	Amount
1. Donation to BigHoop Charity	Hastings Sunrise Rotary	USD	\$2,000.00
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			
Total Project Expenditures		USD	\$2,000.00

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.

Certifying Signature

Patricia Beard

Date: *5-4-15*

Print name, Rotary title, and club

Patricia Beard Hastings Sunrise Rotary

To be completed by the District Rotary Foundation Committee Chair:

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