

## Rotary Project

Rotary year 2015-2016

Re vitalizing Picnic Shelter at Ward Lake –

January 2015 – the Board of Directors for First City Rotary began talking about projects for the 2015-2016 Rotary Year.

### The project

- Revitalize the Ward Lake Shelter built by First City Rotary in the early 1990's.

### Research

- What year was the shelter built – Early 1990's
- Who built the shelter –First City Rotary
- No maintenance has been done on the shelter
- Can we do the revitalization? Began e-mailing the USFS (who has jurisdiction for Ward Lake) to find out what needed to be done, what they wanted to have done and if we could do it.

February 2015 – Contacted Forest Service Rozie Berry, MG Civil Engineering Tech who advised he would be very happy to help with the project. Received an e-mail in April after repeated phone calls that said no he was unable to help with the project.

March 2015 – Attended PETS/discussed grants and projects. Still had no idea how much the project would cost but requested \$3,000 to offset the amount of money we would be spending on the project.

April received an e-mail requesting the project on line be signed.

May continued to try to reach the Forest Service regarding this project.

June contacted Forest Ranger to discuss the project. Left a phone message. Received a telephone call from Jon Regetz Trails Manager / Acting Developed Recreation Program Manager, who noted he would review the project to see what was needed. He e-mailed in July letting us know a new roof was needed, asked for a new horse shoe area that keeps getting washed out due to high water in the fall. And noted a new picnic table would be needed.

October – received funding for Grant from District -\$3,000

Project spent on projects to date:

Rotarians	Time	What was done
All Rotarians	10 hours X 40 = 400	fundraiser
President	17 hours	Discuss project with Forest Service – received approval
Project Chair	18 hours	Review Project – work on time

		lines
Project Member	2 hours	Prep for picnic table construction
Project Member	2 hours	Reviewing plans – project
President Elect	13 hours	Project planning