Proposal On
Construction of Shree Chandeshowri Secondary School
Sindhuli, Nepal

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1. **Title of the Project:** Re-construction of Shree Chandeshwori Secondary School, Sindhuli-Nepal

2. **Problem Statement:** The devastating earthquakes of April 25th and May 12th have destroyed or damaged more than 16,000 public and private schools in Nepal, this is almost half of Nepal’s total school according to the United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs Asia and the Pacific. Recent data from Nepal Earthquake Authority shows that only 10% schools were reconstructed and remaining are waiting for external & internal support for reconstruction. Prior experience show that if children are out of school for long periods, many could fall into child labor, child marriage, and sexual exploitation. Children who are out of school are also at greater risk of violence, prostitution, and other life threatening, often criminal activities. Many of these children simply will never return to the classroom. The children of Nepal need the collective support of national and international communities to rebuild the destroyed and repair the damaged schools so that the children are not deprived of their basic right to education for months or even years to come. Embracing this reality Rotary Club of Dhulikhel has given top priority to construct the destroyed community schools in earthquake hit areas. Till now Rotary club of Dhulikhel have construct three schools in Dhulikhel, Panauti, and Jalbiree of Kavrepalanchowk and Sindhupalchowk district of Nepal.
3. **Project Description**: 

Shree Chandeshwori Secondary School lies at SittalPati VDC of Sindhuli District of Nepal. It is 135 km away from Kathmandu, the capital city of Nepal. This district is one of the worst affected district of Nepal where majority of people are from disadvantage & low income community. Shree Chandeshwori Secondary School is few schools in this area that has been providing better education service to the children. There are more than 180 students as per school records studying up to class 8. After destructive earthquake of April 25, 2015 student are forced to study in crack old building built by stone & mud. Even small trigger can lead to unthinkable accident. The problem becomes worst during rainy season and school has to stop the study. Since school is damaged and not suitable to run class many students have started to stop to go school The community is enthusiastic to reconstruct the Shree Chandeshwori Secondary School in the village and
have agreed to actively participate in this endeavor as a collaborative community project.

4. **Scope of the project & expected outcomes**: This project has the potential to bring the Sittalpati community to other integrated development projects due to its location. Rotary Club of Dhulikhel currently did need assessment and stress on integrated development of this area. The goal of this project is to provide quality education to the children of Shree Chandeshwori Secondary School through creation of student friendly permanent learning space. The project is targeted towards the children of entire Sittalpati community. We expect more than 130 students and 200 households each year to benefit from this project. Some of the expected outcomes of the project are:

   A. Safe learning environment for the school children of Shree Chandeshwori Primary School.
B. Improved standards of life among teaching staff at Shree Chandeshwori Primary School.

C. Increased enrolments up to 200 students and enhancement of habitable classrooms.

D. Increase in the awareness level of students by providing awareness program of safety.

E. Empowerment of local youth leadership.

5. **Project Methodology**: Shree Chandeshwori Secondary School has already 10 rooms in three different blocks out of which 7 rooms are marked as unsafe by Nepal Government. Out of 7, 2 rooms building will be construct by District Education Sinduli. Still School needs 5 more rooms to run the class properly and bring back the student to school. Old structure is in worst condition & marked as unsafe and not suitable for running classroom. The project methodology for this project is:

   A. Construction of earthquake resistance 5 rooms building: 1 Storey - 5 rooms with load bearing wall- CGI roofing building will be constructed as per Nepal Government building code. There are many define model for school to ensure the safety of student incase another earthquake occur which is very much possible in future.
B. The classroom size as the Nepal Reconstruction Authority is 12 foot*12 foot.

C. School Construction will be under supervision of Central Level Project Unit –Sindhuli to ensure the building is earthquake resistance.

Prototype of School Building Approve by Nepal Reconstruction Authority

6. **Sustainability:** The sustainability of the school has been taken into consideration. Rotary Club of Dhulikhel will work with local communities to develop the capacity of individuals to play an active role in governance and delivery of education in Shree Chandeshwori Secondary School. The involvement of community in the project shows a lot of promise for the sustainability of the school. Rotary Club of Dhulikhel will review the capacity of both local communities and school to take on further aspects of supporting the school after the reconstruction phase. Technical support and facilitation will continually be provided as needed by Rotary Club of Dhulikhel.
7. Budget: As per Nepal Reconstruction Authority engineer, the running price for School in Sindhuli district is Nrs.5500/square excluding CGI roofing, metal framing and coloring.

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