

**Grant Title - 200 Sewingmachine Can Save 1000 Lives**

**Status - Authorizations Required**

**District Number 5790 (Qualified)**

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**OBJECTIVES**

**WELCOME TO THE GLOBAL GRANT APPLICATION**

Your application has been assigned the reference number GG1412761 , which you can use for tracking and when communicating with The Rotary Foundation or colleagues.

**PLANNED ACTIVITIES**

**In a few short sentences, tell us your objectives for this global grant.**

We are planning to distribute 200 Sewing Machine and Cloth materials for stitching Ready Made Garments to 200 poor Ladies who are living in slum areas in and around Kundara. First they can earn the capital money by selling the given cloths after stitching and utilize the money to buy further cloth materials for stitching, also they can use some portion of the income for their daily bread. Hence the project finds long lasting benefits to the community

**Who will benefit from this global grant? Provide the estimated number of direct beneficiaries.**

200 poor ladies will benefit the project

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**Which of the following activities will this global grant fund?**

Humanitarian project

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**Where will your project take place?**

Kundara

Kollam

India

**When do you anticipate your project will take place?**

**From:** @Humanitarian Question 2 Date 1 **Until:** 2013-12-31

**Outline your project implementation schedule.**

No.	Activity	Duration
1:	Submission of Application	On or before 30th Aug
2:	Purchase of Materials	With in 30 days after funding

**SUSTAINABILITY**

**What community needs will your project address and how were these needs identified? Provide any relevant data or survey results**

This project focus on the women empowerment and poverty alleviation among the under privileged people from the slum areas of Kundara. We have associated with the Local Self Government system and Kudumbasree Units for a preliminary study about the problems facing by the unemployed young ladies and widows. So that we arrived that this project will definitely help for long years of time to earn their daily bread.

**Detail how your project will address these community needs.**

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- 1.This project will help them to engage themselves as a self employed entrepreneur.
- 2.This project will provide an opportunity to earn money for their daily bread
- 3.This project will help to impart training to unemployed poor ladies
- 4.Since the stitching and sales are continues process, it will long for years and the project sustainability ensures.

**How were members of the local community involved in planning the project? Does your project align with any current or ongoing local initiatives?**

Local Self Government facility used only for the survey purpose, we are doing this project only as Rotary Global Grant Project

**Describe any training, community outreach, or educational programs, if applicable, and who will conduct them. How will recipients be selected?**

No training is required since we are selecting trained ladies

**Areas of Focus**

Economic and community development

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**Which goals will your activity support?**

Building the capacity of entrepreneurs, community leaders, local organizations, and community networks to support economic development in impoverished communities;Developing opportunities for productive work;Reducing poverty in underserved communities

**How will you meet these goals?**

By distributing 200 Sewing Machine and Cloth materials to 200 poor and financially back ward ladies, they can start their own business by stitching the cloth materials and sell in the local rural areas of Kundara. Also they can develop the entrepreneurship capacity by spreading the volume of business in future.The income gained through this process will eradicate their poverty and sometimes provide an opportunity to send their children for Schooling.

**How will you measure your impact?**

No.	Measure	Measurement Method	Measurement Schedule	Target
1:	Number of individuals trained	Direct observation	Every six months	100-499

**Who will be responsible for collecting information for monitoring and evaluation?**

A committee consisting of Rotarians from the host partner will be responsible for monitoring and evaluation

**Primary Contacts**

Name	Club	Role	Sponsored by	Serving as
S Nandakumar	Kundara Central	<b>(Primary Contact)</b>	Club	Host
Christopher McLucas	Arlington (Sunrise)	<b>(Primary Contact)</b>	Club	International

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**Committee Members**

#	Role	Name	Club
1	(Secondary Host Contact)	Y. Suresh	Kundara Central
2	(Secondary Host Contact)	Yohannan Koruthu	Kundara Central
3	(Secondary Host Contact)	G Sree Kumar	Kundara Central

#	Role	Name	Club
1	(Secondary International Contact)	Jacob Hardin	Arlington (Sunrise)
2	(Secondary International Contact)	Matthew Hines	Arlington (Sunrise)
3	(Secondary International Contact)	Kelly Curnutt	Arlington (Sunrise)

**No Rotarian who has a vested interest in the activity (e.g., an employee or board member of a cooperating organization, owner of a store where project goods will be purchased, trustee of a university that a scholar plans to attend) may serve on the grant committee. If any potential conflict of interest exists, disclose it here.**

Not applicable, since the materials are purchasing from out side parties through quotation.

**Cooperating Organization**

No.	Name	Website	Street address or P.O. box	City	Country
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**Describe your process for selecting this organization. What resources or expertise will this organization contribute?**

**VOLUNTEER TRAVELER(S)**

No.	Name	Email
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**Identify the responsibilities of the volunteer traveler(s) and the specific tasks that each individual will complete.**

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**PARTNERS**

List any additional partners who will participate and identify their responsibilities. This may include Rotary clubs, Rotaract clubs, Rotary Community Corps, or individuals.

N.A

**ROTARIAN PARTICIPATION**

Describe the role of the host Rotarians in this activity and list their specific responsibilities.

The host Rotarians will have the following responsibilities.

- 1.To select 200 genuine beneficiaries through direct field observation from the application received through Print and Visual Media Advertisement
- 2.A committee of Rotarians will Supervise the entire process of Selection,Purchase and Distribution of Materials
- 3.To arrange a colorful distribution ceremony with Government and Rotary officials with maximum PR work.
- 4.To visit and ensure that the beneficiaries are successfully carrying out their business and enjoying the project for a long period of time.
- 5.To give proper report to the Club regarding the Beneficiary's feed back about the project

**Describe the role of the international Rotarians in this activity and list their specific responsibilities.**

The International partner will give all directions to conduct the project successfully. If any difficulty arises the host and International partner will discuss and settle it immediately.

**SUSTAINABILITY**

**Describe the role that members of the local community will play in implementing your project. What incentives (e.g., compensation, awards, certification, promotion) will you provide to encourage local participation?**

We decided to give an annual award for the best performing stitching unit at every year.

**Identify any individuals in the local community who will be responsible for monitoring outcomes and ensuring continuity of services. How will you support these individuals to help them take on this leadership role?**

Among the 200 beneficiaries they will form a committee of 5 members and these individuals will take the leadership role for the proper functioning of each stitching unit

**BUDGET**

Select the local currency for your budget and enter the current rate of exchange to 1 U.S. dollar. Obtain the current RI exchange rate from Rotary's website. If your country is not on the official RI exchange rates list, visit the Oanda or Bloomberg website to obtain the current rate.

Detail your proposed expenses by adding items to the budget. Note that the total budget must be equal to the total financing of your activity.

Local currency: **INR** Exchange rate to 1 USD: **57**

No.	Description	Supplier	Category	Local	Cost in
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				cost (INR)	USD
1:	Cloth Materials	Ratna Whole Sale Textile Dealers, Kollam	Supplies	880875	15454
2:	Sewing Machine	Janatha Machine House,Kollam	Supplies	1050000	18421
<b>Total budget:</b>				1930875	33875

**SUSTAINABILITY**

**Describe the process for selecting these budget items. Do you plan to purchase any items from local vendors? Have you performed a competitive bidding process to select vendors? Do these budget items align with the local culture and technology standards?**

We have to buy Sewing Machine and Cloth Materials, we invited Quotations from different parties and selected the lowest with best quality

**How will the beneficiaries maintain these items? If applicable, confirm that spare or replacement parts are readily available and that the beneficiaries possess the skills to operate equipment.**

Sewing Machine Company will provide Two year Warranty, also beneficiary can resolve small issues

**Who will own the items purchased with grant funds at the end of the project, including equipment, assets, and materials? Note that items cannot be owned by a Rotary club or Rotarian.**

The equipment will be owned by the Beneficiaries

**FINANCING**

The Rotary Foundation funds global grants from the World Fund, and awards range from US\$15,000 to US\$200,000. The Foundation matches cash contributions at 50 percent and District Designated Fund (DDF) contributions at 100 percent. The Foundation will also match non-Rotarian contributions toward a grant, provided they do not come from a cooperating organization or a beneficiary.

To determine the World Fund match for your global grant, list all sources of funding, specifying contributions from cash, DDF, and other sources. Note that the total financing must be equal to the total budget of your activity.

After you have added all funding sources and the requested World Fund match, click "Save" to save your grant financing.

#	Funding Method	Organization	Amount (USD)
1	District Designated Fund (DDF)	3211	8000
2	Cash from club	Kundara Central	250
3	District Designated Fund (DDF)	5790	3500
4	Cash from club	Arlington (Sunrise)	7000

DDF contributions: 11500  
Cash contributions: 7250

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Other contributions:	0
Endowed/Term gift contributions:	0
World Fund match (maximum):	15125
World Fund match (requested):	15125
Total financing:	33875
Total budget:	33875

**SUSTAINABILITY**

**Have you identified a local funding source to ensure long-term project outcomes? Will you introduce practices to help generate income for ongoing project funding?**

N.A

**Authorization**

**Application Authorization**

By submitting this global grant application, we agree to the following:

1. All information contained in this application is, to the best of our knowledge, true and accurate, and we intend to implement the activities as presented in this application.
2. The club/district agrees to undertake these activities as a club/district.
3. We will ensure all cash contributions (as detailed in the grant financing) will be forwarded to The Rotary Foundation (TRF) or sent directly to the global grant bank account after Trustee approval of the grant.
4. Rotary International (RI) and TRF may use information contained in this application to promote the activities by various means such as The Rotarian, the RI international convention, RVM: The Rotarian Video Magazine, etc.
5. We agree to share information on best practices when asked, and TRF may provide our contact information to other Rotarians who may wish advice on implementing similar activities.
6. To the best of our knowledge and belief, except as disclosed herewith, neither we nor any person with whom we have or had a personal or business relationship are engaged, or intend to engage, in benefiting from TRF grant funds or have any interest that may represent a potential competing or conflicting interest. A conflict of interest is defined as a situation in which a Rotarian, in relationship to an outside organization, is in a position to influence the spending of TRF grant funds, or influence decisions in ways that could lead directly or indirectly to financial gain for the Rotarian, a business colleague, or his or her family, or give improper advantage to others to the detriment of TRF.

**Primary Contact Authorizations**

#	Role	Name	Authorization Status	Authorization Date
1	Primary Contact	S Nandakumar		
2	Primary Contact	Christopher McLucas	Authorized	25-08-2013

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**DRFC Authorizations**

#	Role	Name	Authorization Status	Authorization Date
1	District Rotary Foundation Chair (DRFC)	Balachandran Ramachandran Nair	Authorized	21-08-2013
2	District Rotary Foundation Chair (DRFC)	John Lucas		

**DDF Authorizations**

Role	DistrictName	Authorization Status	Authorization Date
District Governor (DG)	3211 John Neroth		
District Rotary Foundation Chair (DRFC)	3211 Balachandran Ramachandran Nair	Authorized	21-08-2013
District Rotary Foundation Chair (DRFC)	5790 John Lucas		
District Governor (DG)	5790 Jim Giffin		