

# District/Governor's/Rotaract Grant Final Report 2019-2020

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# District Grant # (from matchinggrants.org) P-1991

Rotary Club: Laramie Sunrise

Project Title: Centennial (grant) Roof Repair at Eppson Center for Senior, Laramie, WY

## **Project Description:**

- 1. Is this a scholarship governor's grant report? Yes No x (If yes, go directly to line 16)
- 2. Briefly describe the project. What was done and where did the project activities take place? Explain how the beneficiaries and other community members were involved?

The roof at the Eppson Center needed repairs to cease water seepage from the large roof into the dining hall, hallways and meeting/workout space. A member of our club serves on the Eppson Center board of directors and brought the issue to the club's attention.

Members of our club frequent the Eppson Center for meals and services provided there.

Director Tammy Comer reports the grant money from our club and Rotary district 5440 Centennial Match covered the entire expense of repair work conducted by Gem City Roofing company in Laramie. Director Comer is grateful for the partnership with Laramie Sunrise club.

3. How many Rotarians participated in this project? All LS club members voted to approve the project and 75% of members attended the check award ceremony at the Eppson Center. Members were not qualified to complete the work itself; only professionals were allowed to be on the roof of the center.

- 4. What did they do? Please give at least two examples. (as above)
- 5. How many non-Rotarians benefited from this project? This project benefitted the 60+ members of Albany county that go to the Center for meals. Some of these county members may or may not be members of Laramie's Rotary club (100+ members)
- 6. Who are the beneficiaries and what is the expected long-term community impact of this project? The long-term impact will be that the Center will be able to move on to needed repairs that exist in the dining room, hallways and meeting/workout space that were damaged by water seepage through the roof. This enables all those who regularly attend the center to be safely secure in the living and dining spaces.
- 7. If a cooperating organization was involved, what was their role? Laramie Sunrise club was the sole participating club in this project

#### 8. Income:

Income Source	Amount
Centennial Matching Grant District 5440	\$1000
Laramie Sunrise club	\$1000
Total Project Income	\$2000

9. Expenditures: (number receipts starting with 1 and indicate a receipt # (s) for each expenditure) (Do not include travel expenses)

If international project convert amounts to US dollars	Receipt # (s)	Budgeted Amount	Actual Amount
1. Roof Repair project: Invoice from Gem City Roofing	Invoice #6516	\$2000	\$2000
Total project expenditures			\$2000

10. Please explain any variance of more than 5% between the budgeted amount and the actual amount including the reason for the variance and why the alternative was chosen. N/A

11. Project score (5=strongly, 4=agree, 3= neutral, 2=disagree, 1=strongly disagree)

	Project Score	Comments
The overall project was successful	5	
The grant process worked well	5	
My interaction with partner clubs was good	N/A	
We achieved the results we expected	5	

12. Did you upload photos in your project on matchinggrants.org under the Photos tab? (If not, please do so) One photo has been uploaded

- 13. What worked well on this project and why? Although no club members were qualified to do the actual work, a club member/Eppson Center board member observed the opportunity for our club to support the center. Gratefully our district 5440 and president Bill Emslie granted the club a match which covered entirely the repair costs. It worked very well the grant money arrived very soon after the grant was approved. The club is appreciative and the director is very happy!
- 14. What did not work well and how would you suggest improving it? The district grant money was mailed to the wrong address or the wrong post office box, was lost and not found. Another check was generated quickly after the mistake was discovered. Our treasurer would have like to have communication the check was mailed and to what location.
- 15. How was this project publicized? Our club did not contact our local newspaper. The project was discussed often in weekly meetings.
- 16. Scholarship Governor's grant only (N/A)

### **Project Inventory**

Please list all items provided in this grant that are over \$500 in value and are not expendable.

Item Purchased	Date of Purchase	Cost	Initial Destination/ Location	Comments
No tangible items provided other than the check from the club				

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 the information contained herein is true and accurate. Receipts for all grant-funded expenditures are attached. 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 to the photographs, including copyright, and hereby grant the District, RI and TRF a royalty free irrevocable license to use the photographs now or in the future, through the District and the world in any manner it so chooses and in any medium now known or developed. This includes the right to modify the photographs as necessary in the District's and 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 the District, RI, and TRF.

Please attach all receipts or an invoice and a copy of the check used to pay the invoice. Funds over \$100 not used must be returned to the district grants treasurer.

Certifying signature of primary contact Maureen Boddicker Date: May 20, 2020

Print name: Maureen Boddicker, PP Laramie Sunrise

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