

2020 – 2021 District Grant Final Report

Final reports are due within 30 days of the project ending, and no later than June 1, 2021. Please complete this form by filling in the fields below. You must also provide a scanned copy of valid Proof of Payment (PoP) for all expenses listed. Acceptable PoPs include: cancelled checks, bank statements, bona fide itemized receipts. Once you have completed the report, please save it as a pdf document at <http://www.matchinggrants.org/district/> on the Documents tab of the project page before clicking the “Reported” button on the Administration page.

Rotary Club Rotary Club of Chicago Southeast **District Grant #** P-3392

Project Title 20 masks for first responders in Chicago, IL - COVID-19 Response+ Fundraising for additional COVID-19 Relief

1. Briefly describe the project. What was done, when and where did project activities take place, and who were the beneficiaries? List any changes that might have occurred.

We bought masks from a seamstress in Nigeria and had then shipped to the US. We were originally going to giveaway 20 masks to first responders in Chicago, instead we ultimately gave 200 masks away to children in Jamestown, Accra, Ghana, along with hand sanitizers and snacks. The event took place at the Lighthouse in Jamestown, Accra, Ghana, on October 27, 2020 at 3:30pm.

2. How many Rotarians participated in the project? 12
3. What did they do? Please give at least 2 examples.
Rotarians from Rotary Club of Accra-Dansoman organized the children and the community for the event. They also provided refreshments and served as translators. They were there from the set up to tear down and helped to disseminate the items. Masah SamForay, President of Rotary Club of Chicago Southeast was present in person to present the items, the masks and hand sanitizer, plus refreshments for the children), and was present for the entire event.
4. How many non-Rotarians benefitted from this project? 200 children plus their parents and community stakeholders
5. What are the expected long-term community impacts of the project?
COVID-19 prevention, in the congested and impoverished Jamestown neighborhood. This even was also an introduction of Rotary to that community and an introduction of Rotarians- there were Rotarians from 4 different clubs present. We formed a relationship with the community and the Rotary Club of Accra-Dansoman, which lead to another partnered event (giving away 200 pairs of children’s shoes in March 2021), with more to come.
6. If a cooperating organization was involved, what was its role?
N/A
7. How did you share the news of your project?
Via WhatsApp, Instagram and Facebook on our social media pages and the social media pages of Accra-Dansoman.

Financial Summary – Be sure that Income equals Expenditures!

8. <u>Income</u>	<u>Amount</u>
District Grant funds received	<u> \$200 </u>
Club contribution	<u> \$825 </u>
Other funding (specify)	<u> </u>

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Total Project Income \$1,025

9. Actual Expenditures Valid Proof of Payment must be saved in pdf on <http://www.matchinggrants.org/district/>

<u>Date</u>	<u>Expense Type</u>	<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Amount</u>
5/25/20	Western Union masks payment #1	Hellah Stitches	\$200*
6/16/20	SendWaves masks payment #2	Hellah Stitches	\$420*
7/13/20	SendWaves masks payment #3	Hellah Stitches	\$405*
7/25/20	Shipping masks Hou to Chi	UPS	\$30.98
10/27/20	Candy/cookies/sanitizer	Local vendors	\$160**
10/27/20	Transportation/car service	Local driver	\$40**
Total Project Expenditures			\$254.79 + \$100 + \$60 + \$40 = \$454.79

* After subtracting the \$200.00 District funds, the club spent \$855.00. We gave away 200 out of 670 masks for this grant project, which equals .298% of the masks we purchased, so the club spent \$254.79 on the "grant" masks. A copy of our bank statements receipt are attached.

** No receipts available for these purchases. But there are photos and videos of the items being given away

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