

**District Grant Report**

Rotary Club: Placentia  
Project Title: Community Blessing Boxes

Progress Report       Final Report

1. Briefly describe the project. What was done, when and where did project activities take place, and who were the beneficiaries?  
The city blessing boxes are honor system food pantries where people can take food and hygiene supplies for those in need in the Placentia community. Because of the pandemic, the boxes saw a significant increase in their usage. Placentia Rotary stepped in and ensured that the pantries were fully stocked throughout the year and also that the boxes were regularly cleaned out and properly maintained.
2. How many Rotarians participated in the project? 22
3. What did they do? Please give at least two examples.  
All 22 Rotarians participated in a club assembly where the project was proposed. Based on their suggestions and desired level of support, a committee of 5 worked out the details of the budget and submitted the grant. Once approved there were 6 members who regularly visited the supplies purchased by the club. Three members provided social media updates on the project throughout the year.
4. How many non-Rotarians benefited from this project? Several hundred
5. What are the expected long-term community impacts of the project?  
Because of the blessing boxes, many community members were able to handle the adversity of the pandemic a little bit easier.
6. If a cooperating organization was involved, what was its role?  
The Placentia Chamber of Commerce provides details of the Blessing Box Program on their website.

**Financial Report – Be sure that Income equals Expenditures!**

7. Income	Amount
1. District Grant funds approved by the District	\$1000
2. Club contribution	\$1516.58
3. Other funding (specify)	
<b>Total Project Income</b>	<b>\$2516.58</b>

8. Expenditures - please be specific and add lines as needed - receipts must be attached	
1. see documentation	\$2516.58
2.	
3.	
4.	
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6.	
<b>Total Project Expenditures</b>	<b>\$2516.58</b>

9. 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 of the information contained herein is true and accurate. Receipts for all grant-funded expenditures have been provided to the district. 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 in the photographs, including copyright, and hereby grant RI and TRF a royalty free irrevocable license to use the photographs now or at any time in the future, throughout the world in any manner it so chooses and in any medium now known or later developed. This includes the right to modify the photograph(s) as necessary in 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 RI and TRF.

Certifying Signature *James Paddock* Date: 4/12/21  
 Print name, Rotary title, and club James Paddock, Placentia Club Treasurer