

Basic Information

Grant title

Antakya drinking water storage tank project

Type of Project

Humanitarian Project

Address community needs and produce sustainable, measurable outcomes

Primary Contacts

| Name | Club | District | Sponsor | Role |
|---------------|---------------------|----------|--------------|---------------|
| Ercan Akdoğan | Ankara-Bahçelievler | 2430 | \$ClubType\$ | Host |
| Ozan Yasavur | San Francisco | 5150 | \$ClubType\$ | International |

Committee Members

Host committee

| Name | Club | District | Role |
|-------------|----------------------------------------|----------|-------------------|
| Engin Ünal | Ankara-Bahçelievler [Rotary Club] | 2430 | Secondary Contact |
| Mert Özmut | Ankara-Bahçelievler [Rotary Club] | 2430 | Secondary Contact |
| Melih Aşıcı | Ankara-Bahçelievler [Rotary Club] | 2430 | Secondary Contact |

International committee

| Name | Club | District | Role |
|----------------|----------------------------------|----------|---------------------------------|
| Frank Yoke | San Francisco [Rotary Club] | 5150 | Secondary Contact International |
| Ann Daugherty | San Francisco [Rotary Club] | 5150 | Secondary Contact International |
| Robert Hermann | San Francisco [Rotary Club] | 5150 | Secondary Contact International |

Do any of these committee members have potential conflicts of interest?

No

Project Overview

Tell us a little about your project. What are the main objectives of the project, and who will benefit from it?

The objective of our project is to procure the DRINKING WATER STORAGE tanks with the following technical specifications and their relevant mechanical components and install them underground at a suitable location in the village, to help the village acquire much needed drinking storage space by integrating the latter with the existing main grid and existing drinking storage tank which is owned by the Municipality. This will facilitate universal and equitable access to safe, hygienic and affordable drinking water for the village community.

Areas of Focus

Which area of focus will this project support?

Water, sanitation, and hygiene

Measuring Success

Water, sanitation, and hygiene

Which goals will your activity support?

Facilitating universal and equitable access to safe and affordable drinking water;

How will you measure your project's impact? You need to include at least one standardized measure from the drop-down menu as part of your application.

| Measure | Collection Method | Frequency | Beneficiaries |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|------------|---------------|
| Number of people with access to improved sources of drinking water | Direct observation | Every year | 1000-2499 |

Do you know who will collect information for monitoring and evaluation?

Yes

Name of Individual or Organization

ANTAKYA MUNICIPALITY

Briefly explain why this person or organization is qualified for this task.

Once the water tank that is needed by the village is supplied and placed in the area to be determined by the Municipality, the pipe connections from the source water will be completed by the Municipality. In addition, the annual periodic maintenance and operation of the water tank will be carried out by the municipality. In these matters, the necessary Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) will be signed with the relevant Municipality.

Location and Dates

Humanitarian Project

Where will your project take place?

City or town

HATAY

Country

Turkey

Province or state

ANTAKYA

When will your project take place?

2024-01-01 to 2024-04-01

Participants

Cooperating Organizations (Optional)

| Name | Website | Location |
|----------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ANTAKYA MUNICIPALITY | https://www.antakya.bel.tr/default.aspx | Antakya Belediyesi Fevzi cakmak mah.Uğur mumcu cad.No:33 HATAY Turkey |

Supporting Documents

Do any committee members have a potential conflict of interest related to a cooperating organization?

No

Why did you choose to partner with this organization and what will its role be?

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Partners (Optional)

List any other partners that will participate in this project.

Rotarian Participants

Describe the role that host Rotarians will have in this project.

Managing of the Project, purchasing and assembling the water storage tanks will be held by the committee members of host (Ankara Bahçelievler) Rotary Club. Monitoring of the clean water provided for the earthquake victims reaches all households by all partner Rotary Clubs.

Describe the role that international Rotarians will have in this project.

Each and every step listed in the project plan will be jointly decided. And this project is an important project not only in the manner of purchasing and assembling the equipment but in terms of reaching clean water for the people who affected by the earthquake.

Budget

What local currency are you using in your project's budget?

The currency you select should be what you use for a majority of the project's expenses.

Local Currency

USD

U.S. dollar (USD) exchange rate

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Currency Set On

16/10/2023

What is the budget for this grant?

List each item in your project's budget. Remember that the project's total budget must equal its total funding, which will be calculated in step 9. Every global grant includes a match of at least \$15,000 from The Rotary Foundation's World Fund. Project budgets, including the World Fund match, must be at least \$30,000.

| # | Category | Description | Supplier | Cost in USD | Cost in USD |
|---|------------|------------------------------------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|
| 1 | Equipment | WATER STORAGE TANK | SFR | 40000 | 40000 |
| 2 | Equipment | MECHANICAL COMPONENTS | SFR | 5000 | 5000 |
| 3 | Operations | EXCAVATION, BACKFILLING AND TRANSFERRING | SFR | 4000 | 4000 |
| | | | Total budget: | 49000 | 49000 |

Funding

Tell us about the funding you've secured for your project. We'll use the information you enter here to calculate your maximum possible funding match from the World Fund.

| # | Source | Details | Amount (USD) | Support* | Total |
|---|----------------|----------------------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|
| 1 | Cash from Club | San Francisco [Rotary Club] | 6,000.00 | 300.00 | 6,300.00 |
| 2 | Cash from Club | Ankara-Bahçelievler [Rotary Club] | 2,000.00 | 100.00 | 2,100.00 |

*Whenever cash is contributed to the Foundation to help fund a global grant project, an additional 5 percent is applied to help cover the cost of processing these funds. Clubs and districts can receive Paul Harris Fellow recognition points for the additional expense.

How much World Fund money would you like to use on this project?

You may request up to 0.00 USD from the World Fund.

Funding Summary

| | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Cash contributions: | 8,000.00 |
| Financing subtotal (matched contributions + World Fund): | 8,000.00 |
| Total funding: | 8,000.00 |
| Total budget: | 49,000.00 |

Sustainability

Humanitarian Projects

Project planning

Describe the community needs that your project will address.

The 7.7 and 7.6 magnitude earthquakes centered in Kahramanmaraş on February 6, 2023 deeply shook the whole of Turkey. As a result of the earthquakes felt in 11 provinces around the Eastern Anatolian fault line and causing heavy damage, significant risks to public health and the environment have arisen. One of the most important factors is the construction debris. When these wastes mix with nature or water bodies, they directly or indirectly cause serious damage to water resources and then to nature.

How did your project team identify these needs?

In addition to waste causing water pollution, Hatay Metropolitan Municipality Mayor Assoc. Dr. Lütfü Savaş states that due to the effect of the earthquake, there were breaks in the main lines, therefore water resources were lost and the wells dried up (Oda TV News). According to the same news report, earthquake victims in Hatay expressed their problems with water, saying that they had to commute for kilometers and wait in long queues to access clean water. In addition, locals indicated that the water aid they received was not sufficient, and that there was also a hygiene problem caused by lack of water.

As a club, we examined and determined this need on site and decided to apply for this project.

How were members of the benefiting community involved in finding solutions?

Antakya is the largest district and center of Hatay province and the Asi River passes through the middle. According to records, it has a population of 389,377. The aim of our donation is to economically store the purified drinking water reaching the Antakya region, thus ensuring that the people of the region have constant access to clean water, and to ensure that the decreasing water resources are not wasted by reducing leakage and water loss. As a result of the project, approximately 3000 people will benefit from the water tank to be installed in the region.

How were community members involved in planning the project?

Within the scope of the project, our club will only ensure the transportation of equipment and this equipment to the region. Burying the warehouses underground and connecting them to the existing network will be provided by Antakya Municipality. In addition, periodic maintenance of the warehouses will be provided by the municipality.

Project implementation

Summarize each step of your project's implementation.

Do not include sensitive personal data, such as government ID numbers, religion, race, health information, etc. If you include personal data, you are responsible for informing those whose personal data is included that you are providing it to Rotary and that it will be processed in accordance with Rotary's [Privacy Policy](#).

| # | Activity | Duration |
|---|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|
| 1 | Preparing the required machine and equipment technical specs. | 7 days |
| 2 | Collecting proposals from possible subcontractors (vendors/suppliers) | 7 days |
| 3 | Deciding ob the subcontractor by constituted procurment commitee | 2 days |
| 4 | Production and Installation of the equipments and machinery | 6 weeks |
| 5 | Running the facility by the trained staff, testing and final tuning | 2 weeks |

Will you work in coordination with any related initiatives in the community?

Yes

Briefly describe the other initiatives and how they relate to this project.

Antakya Municipality will be responsible for its integration into the existing the pipe connections from the source water. In addition, the annual periodic maintenance and operation of the water tank will be carried out by the municipality.

Please describe the training, community outreach, or educational programs this project will include.

No training will be needed

How were these needs identified?

No training will be needed

What incentives (for example, monetary compensation, awards, certification, or publicity), will you use, if any, to encourage community members to participate in the project?

There is no any incentives

List any community members or community groups that will oversee the continuation of the project after grant-funded activities conclude.

Ercan Akdoğan- 2023-24 President

Melih Aşıcı- 2024-25 President

Mert Özmut- Rotary foundation committee chair of Ankara Bahçelievler RC.

Budget

Will you purchase budget items from local vendors?

Yes

Explain the process you used to select vendors.

Collecting the quotations from 3 different vendors and bargaining to obtain the best quality at lowest price.

Did you use competitive bidding to select vendors?

Yes

Please provide an operations and maintenance plan for the equipment or materials you anticipate purchasing for this project. This plan should include who will operate and maintain the equipment and how they will be trained.

The annual periodic maintenance and operation of the water tank will be carried out by the municipality

Describe how community members will maintain the equipment after grant-funded activities conclude. Will replacement parts be available?

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If the grant will be used to purchase any equipment, will the equipment be culturally appropriate and conform to the community's technology standards?

Yes

Please explain.

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cause serious damage to water resources directly or indirectly.

Chamber of Environmental Engineers Istanbul Branch Manager Medet GÜNEY states that they subjected the sample waters they took from the earthquake zone to chemical and biological analysis and as a result, they did not meet drinking water standards. (BBC, A. Yazan) If safe water cannot be supplied to the earthquake area, the risk of waterborne dysentery, Hepatitis A, typhoid and diarrheal diseases is very high.

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After the project is completed, who will own the items purchased by grant funds? No items may be owned by a Rotary district, club, or member.

All drinking water tanks and equipments will be owned and maintained by Antakya Municipality.

Funding

Does your project involve microcredit activities?

Have you found a local funding source to sustain project outcomes for the long term?

Yes

Please describe this funding source.

The annual periodic maintenance and operation of the water tank will be carried out by the municipality

Will any part of the project generate income for ongoing project funding? If yes, please explain.

no

Supporting Documents

- SFR_Dış_Ticaret_A_Ş__Genel_Sunum.pdf

Authorizations

Authorizations & Legal Agreements

Legal agreement

Global Grant Agreement - to be authorized by the primary contacts and club presidents (or DRFC chairs if district-sponsored)

This Global Grant Agreement (Agreement) is entered into by The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International (TRF) and the grant sponsors (Sponsors). In consideration of receiving this Rotary Foundation Global Grant (Grant) from TRF, the Sponsors agree that:

1. All information contained in this application is, to the best of our knowledge, true and accurate.

2. We have read the Terms and Conditions for Rotary Foundation Global Grants (Terms and Conditions) and will adhere to all policies therein.
3. The Sponsors shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless Rotary International (RI) and TRF, including their respective directors, trustees, officers, committee members, employees, agents, associate foundations and representatives (collectively Rotary), from and against all claims, including but not limited to claims of subrogation, demands, actions, damages, losses, costs, liabilities, expenses (including reasonable attorney's fees and other legal expenses), awards, judgments, and fines asserted against or recovered from Rotary arising out of any act, conduct, omission, negligence, misconduct, or unlawful act (or act contrary to any applicable governmental order or regulation) resulting directly or indirectly from a Sponsor's and/or participant's involvement in grant-funded activities, including all travel related to the grant.
4. The failure of the parties to comply with the terms of this Agreement due to an act of God, strike, government regulation, war, fire, riot, civil unrest, hurricane, earthquake, or other natural disasters, acts of public enemies, curtailment of transportation facilities, political upheavals, civil disorders, outbreak of infectious disease or illness, acts of terrorism, or any similar cause beyond the control of the parties shall not be deemed a breach of this Agreement. In such an event, the Agreement shall be deemed terminated and the Sponsors shall refund to TRF all unexpended global grant funds within 30 days of termination.
5. TRF's entire responsibility is expressly limited to payment of the total financing amount. TRF does not assume any further responsibility in connection with this grant.
6. TRF reserves the right to cancel the grant and/or this Agreement without notice upon the failure of either or both of the Sponsors to abide by the terms set forth in this Agreement and the Terms and Conditions. Upon cancellation, TRF shall be entitled to a refund from the Sponsors of any global grant funds, including any interest earned, that have not been expended.
7. The laws of the State of Illinois, USA, without reference to its conflicts of laws principles, shall govern all matters arising out of or relating to this Agreement, including, without limitation, its interpretation, construction, performance, and enforcement.
8. Any legal action brought by either party against the other party arising out of or relating to this Agreement must be brought in either, the Circuit Court of Cook County, State of Illinois, USA or the Federal District Court for the Northern District of Illinois, USA. Each party consents to the exclusive jurisdiction of these courts, and their respective appellate courts for the purpose of such actions. Nothing herein prohibits a party that obtains a judgment in either of the designated courts from enforcing the judgment in any other court. Notwithstanding the foregoing, TRF may also bring legal action against Sponsors and/or individuals traveling on grant funds in any court with jurisdiction over them.
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District Rotary Foundation chair authorization

I hereby certify that this global grant application is complete, meets all Foundation guidelines, is eligible for funding, and that the sponsoring club and/or district is qualified.

All Authorizations & Legal Agreements Summary

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District Rotary Foundation chair authorization

| Name | Club | District | Status |
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| Canan Ersöz | Adana-Güney [Rotary Club] | 2430 | |
| Gary Chow | South San Francisco [Rotary Club] | 5150 | |

DDF authorization

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Legal agreement

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