

Individual Project Report

Fire Fighter Safety Equipment and Gear for Laguna Vista Fire Dept

Project Description

1. Describe the project. What was done, when, and where did the project activities take place?

In October 2018, we held the First Responders Rescue Run to raise funds for our clubs portion of the grant money. The funds were raised to purchase fire fighting safety gear for the fire fighters to wear into a fire. When the district matching funds were awarded we notified the Laguna Vista Fire Dept. They raised some additional funds to put toward the gear purchase as well. When they were ready to purchase the gear they did so on or about March 2019. The gear was received on April 25, 2019. On May 2 our club members met at the Laguna Vista Fire Station to review the Fire Safety clothing and gear we had helped to purchase. The invoice and photos are enclosed.

2. How many people benefited from this project?

Four specific individuals received and benefited from this fire fighting safety equipment and gear. This includes the Fire Chief and three fire fighters.

3. Who were the beneficiaries, how were they impacted by this project, and what humanitarian need was met?

The Fire Chief and three fire fighters were issued these fire fighting suits which will literally save their lives once or many times in the future. Prior to this grant, they did not possess the appropriate gear to wear into a fire.

4. How many Rotarians participated in this project?

38

5. What did they do? Please give at least two examples, not including financial support provided to the project.

They organized the Rescue Run and they operated the run the day off. All of which raised the money for the gear.

6. If a cooperating organization was involved, what was its role?

N/A

Financial Report

Date	Description	Funding Source	Amount	%
Aug 30, 2018	Port Isabel	District Grant	\$3,400.00	50.00 %
Jun 29, 2018		Club/Other	\$3,400.00	50.00 %
Total:			\$6,800.00	100.00 %

Date	Description	Funding Source	Amount	%		
	Rotary Club of Port Isabel will host a 5K Rescue Run to benefit First Responders and we will raise an additional \$4000					
Total:			\$6,800.00	100.00 %		
Description	Supplier	Local Amount	Currency	Tax	Total	Amount
Fire Fighter Protection Bunker Gear	Metro Fire Apparatus Specialists Inc.	\$6,800.00	USD	\$0.00	\$6,800.00	\$6,800.00
Total:					\$6,800.00	