SUSTAINABILITY

For Rotary, sustainability means providing long-term solutions to community problems that community members themselves can support after the grant funding ends.

Start with the community

Identify a need and develop a solution that builds on community strengths and aligns with local values and culture.

Encourage local ownership

Identify key community members who can help pioneer lasting improvements.

Provide training

A project's success depends on people.

Buy local

Purchase equipment and technology from local sources.

Find local funding

Get local funding through governments, hospitals, companies, and other organizations.

Measure your success

Develop clear and measurable project outcomes and determine how you will collect your data.