**Policy on Distribution of International Night Grant Funds**

The Watsonville Rotary Board will determine the amounts available to support grants for the club’s International projects through proceeds generated by our International Night Fundraiser. Recommendations from the International Night Special Event Committee for International projects to consider are strongly encouraged. However, no commitments to potential grantees will be made without prior approval from the Board of Directors.

The amount of funding distributed to any board-approved project will depend on the net proceeds generated by the event, but no single project will receive more than $5,000. Any exceptions to this limit must be approved by the Board.

Grant checks to pre-approved projects will be distributed at the earliest opportunity following completion of the event accounting/reporting process and in conjunction with the project organization’s readiness to receive the funding.

In the case of pre-approved projects that are cancelled or discontinued prior to being funded, the allocated funds will revert to the balance in the International Night Fund and will be made available to fund new International projects that may be brought before the board for consideration. The Board is free to consider additional International projects as they arise.

Approved by the BOD May 2018