

# Century Service Award of the Rotary Club of Savannah

The Century Service Award is comprised of ten (10) \$1,000 grants presented by the Rotary Club of Savannah to commemorate the Club's 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Service Above Self.

The Century Service Award is designed to provide funds for business enhancements, including capital improvements, to local nonprofit agencies that embody the Rotary motto of "Service Above Self". The projects must be fully funded by the Club's grant and meet the Rotary motto and 4-way Test.

These ten grants will be awarded one per month from February 2014 to November 2014 (The year of the Rotary Club of Savannah's centennial.)

## ***Award Specifics/Eligibility:***

To be eligible, the organization must be 501(c)3 business and registered with the Georgia Secretary of State as a charitable organization.

The funded project must meet the following criteria:

- The \$1,000 award must fully fund the project.
- Funds must provide a Business Enhancement to the organization, such as training, technology or capital improvement, that will help the organization better serve the community.
- The funded project must meet the Rotary motto of Service Above Self by helping an organization that personifies this as well as a project that will fit the Rotary 4-Way Test..

### The Rotary 4-way Test

Of the things we think, say or do –

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

- Funds must be expended in 2014.

Successful organizations must agree to work with the Award Committee to develop a short presentation to the Rotary Club members about the organization and attend one of the meetings to accept the award.

Application must be submitted to the Rotary Office by 5:00 on November 15, 2013.

Organizations will be notified of selection by February 1, 2014.

## **About the Rotary Club of Savannah**

Rotary is an organization of business and professional leaders united worldwide, who provide humanitarian service, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations, and; help build goodwill and peace in the world. The Rotary Club of Savannah was chartered on January 12, 1914 with 42 members.

The current club boasts more than 225 business and professional men and women.

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*(You may use more space than is provided but brevity is appreciated.)*

**Organization:**

**Address:**

**Contact Person:**

**Phone:**

**Organization's Mission:**

**How will the Century Service Award Grant be used?**

**How will the Century Service Award Grant provide a business enhancement to your organization?**

Will this \$1,000 grant fully fund the business enhancement? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
Will the funds be fully expended in 2014? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

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**Include with application:**

- Copy of IRS 501(c)3 Determination Letter
- Copy of registration of organization with the Georgia Secretary of State

*Application is due to the Rotary Office by November 15, 2013.*

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