DISTRICT WORLD COMMUNITY SERVICE CHAIR

ROLE:
To aid and assist the Rotary Clubs in District 5150 to understand and participate in World Community Service (WCS).

RESPONSIBILITIES:
• Working with the Chair of the District Assembly to develop a presentation on World Community Service for the District Assembly that occurs prior to the District Governor taking office, frequently in March or April. This includes designing the content of this session and locating good quality speaker(s) to present this session. The District World Community Service Chairperson(s) for this avenue of service may choose to be the presenter(s) for this session if she/he is experienced in this area and comfortable with public speaking.
• The District WCS Chairperson(s) should continue to keep contact with their counterparts at the clubs using email, telephone and personal meetings as appropriate to provide advice and encouragement.
• The District WCS Chairperson(s) should make themselves available as speakers to the clubs or should be able to recommend speakers to the clubs on related topics.
• The District Governor will contact the District WCS Chairperson(s) if there are additional meetings/activities where his/her/their presence is required.
• The District Chairperson(s) will keep the District Governor informed on the progress of projects undertaken by the clubs and the status of the international budget. Where possible, pictures and information will be provided so that clubs can be given recognition in the district newsletter. Clubs should also be encouraged to submit pictures and articles to the Rotarian magazine and to their local newspapers.
• If the District Governor plans on a districtwide international project, the District WCS Chair will assist with its organization, marketing, and funding.
• The District WCS Chairperson should bring any concerns about projects, funding or other aspects of World Community Service to the attention of the District Governor and the District Foundation Chairperson.
• The District WCS Chairperson will sit on the District Grants Committee.

QUALIFICATIONS:
Must be an active member in good standing with your Rotary Club for at least 3 years.
Some experience with International Projects, preferably serving as Club Chair.
Completion of Grants Training Seminars

TERM OF OFFICE: 3 years- at the discretion of the standing District Governor.