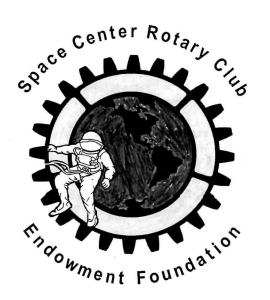
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Building A Foundation For Our Community

> Space Center Rotary Club Endowment Foundation P. O. Box 58862 Houston, Texas 77258

SPACE CENTER ROTARY CLUB ENDOWMENT FOUNDATION



What is the Foundation?

Chartered by the Secretary of State on February 15, 1991, the Foundation is a Texas non-profit corporation. The Foundation is governed by a board of trustees elected by its members.

Who are members of the Foundation?

The members of the Foundation are the members of The Rotary Club of Space Center, Houston, Texas.

What are the purposes of the Foundation?

The purposes of the Foundation are expressed in the Intent of Founders.

How does the Foundation use gifts made to it?

As an "endowment" foundation, only income produced from gifts may be used, unless otherwise specified by the donor. The income is used to fund projects of a charitable, educational, and humanitarian nature primarily within the Clear Lake Area community

What can be given to the Foundation?

Cash or other property of value, both real estate and personal property, is accepted.

Will my gift be tax deductible?

Yes, the Foundation has been granted the classification of a Section 501(c)(3) organization by the Internal Revenue Service.

How can I make a gift?

Gifts may be made by cash, check, or other transfer during one's lifetime or by designating the Foundation as a beneficiary of one's will or of a trust. If you desire to do so, a gift may be designated as made "in memory of" or "in honor of" someone.

Floyd Boze Fellowship.

Gifts of \$1,000 or more will be specially recognized by naming the donor or other designated person a Floyd Boze Fellow. The new Fellow will receive a special gold lapel pin and a certificate suitable for framing. **Our Mission:** Our mission is to build a *foundation* upon and with which the Rotary Club of Space Center, Houston, Texas will be financially enabled to meet and satisfy many of the needs of the Clear Lake Community.

Our Vision: Our vision is to create and grow an essentially untouchable core fund which will earn and produce available capital (monies) for the potential creation and establishment of facility infrastructures and beneficial programs to meet some of the pressing needs of our community. Needs may range from those of the underprivileged to those of the whole community relating to the arts, science and education.

Intent of Founders: Not desiring to diminish the importance of or to detract from the work of The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International or to interfere with or compete for support, through its members, of Space Center Rotary Club, and, while acknowledging the worthiness of the Club's attaining the highest possible level of member participation in financially supporting The Rotary Foundation through Paul Harris Fellowships, Paul Harris Sustaining Members, and Benefactors, the founders of The Space Center Rotary Club Endowment Foundation believe that there will be those among its members, both present and future, as well as relatives and friends of members, who, desiring to foster and promote the ideals of Rotary, wish to do so within the local community and through the control, management, and administration of members of Space Center Rotary Club. Therefore, this Foundation has come into existence and shall strive to nurture, encourage, and advance the development of effective programs, activities, undertakings, and projects of a philanthropic, charitable, educational, humanitarian, and eleemosynary nature. To achieve this intent, the founders believe that it will be important and desirable for the Trustees of the Foundation to resist the temptations to distribute all available funds, but, at least in the early years, to concentrate on the building of a sizable trust corpus, accumulating as much of the income as possible and adding it to the principal until the Foundation has the means and resources to offer financial assistance to worthy projects of a far greater dimension than it would otherwise be able to consider.

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