

Lions Club International Foundation

MD19 East

The first three months of fiscal year 2020-2021 have started slow for districts D-E-F. However we have three months to recover. Plan to encourage our District Coordinators to work with clubs and individuals in promoting Model clubs, individual donations and donations from outside of Lions.

When LCIF was extended 1 year this allowed more clubs to become Model Club candidates. A Model Club now has until 6/30/2023 to have per member average of \$500.00 per member. This includes donations from club, members and outside the club.

Many members made generous gifts last year and need to be encouraged to repeat this year. In a number of instances a few members made generous donations, however other members did not donate and in too many instances the club did not donate. One new member who joined 10/2019 started monthly donations just 3 months after becoming a Lion. Encouraging all Lion Clubs and members to donate to our premier foundation. Remember all donations dollars received are used in supporting grants. No overhead expenses. In the last 10 years MD 19 has received \$1.1 million dollars in grants.

There is great opportunity outside of Lions to receive donations. Talk to your doctor, dentist, insurance salesman, barber, beautician, dog groomer, friends, family, business's that support the community and more.

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