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The Four Way Test

Of the things we think, say or do

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all CONCERNED?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all CONCERNED?

GREETINGS

BIRTHDAYS

8th Oct Rtn Ram Kumar Mishra

9th Oct Rtn CA Ayushi Goenka w/o
Rtn Saurav Singhania

11th Oct Rtn Shobha w/o Rtn Dr
Bijay Prasad

Community economic development (CED) is a field of study that actively elicits community involvement when working with government and private sectors to build strong communities, industries, and markets. It includes collaborative and participatory involvement of community dwellers in every area of development that affects their standard of living.

Community economic development encourages using local resources in a way that enhances economic opportunities while improving social conditions in a sustainable way. It equally facilitates the effective exploration and utilization of local resources for optimal community advantages. Often CED initiatives are implemented to overcome crises and increase opportunities for communities who are disadvantaged. An aspect of "localizing economics," CED is a community-centered process that blends social and economic development to foster the economic, social, ecological, and cultural well-being of communities. For example, neighborhood business organizations target growth in specific commercial areas by lobbying government authorities for special tax rates and real estate developments.

Community economic development is an alternative to conventional economic development. Its central tenet is that "problems facing communities—unemployment, poverty, job loss, environmental degradation and loss of community control—need to be addressed in a holistic and participatory way."

The most significant aspect of community economic development, aside from the fact that it focuses on economic development in specific localities, is that focuses on the process of community building. This "community" aspect of CED assumes that the community will play a dynamic role in economic development processes and that community development will contribute to sustained economic development and vice versa. In this understanding, the community is considered both an input and an output in CED.

Core to some approaches is **community economic analysis**, where factors affecting the community are analyzed to address economic needs and to pinpoint unfulfilled opportunities. Upon completion of the analysis the group decides what can and should be done to improve the economic conditions within the community, and then move to put the agreed-on economic goals and objectives into action.

From an economic viewpoint, the initial purpose of such a CED approach is the creation of local jobs and the stimulation of business activity. Integrally linked to these purposes are strategies to increase access to capital, stimulate asset building, improve the general business climate, and link citywide economic development efforts to specific community development efforts.

While there are many ways to approach community development, simplified we can think of community driven development (CDD) as being based on concepts of **participation, transparency, barrier removal, accountability, local power, and enhanced capacity.**

OCTOBER IS *The National Rotarians World*

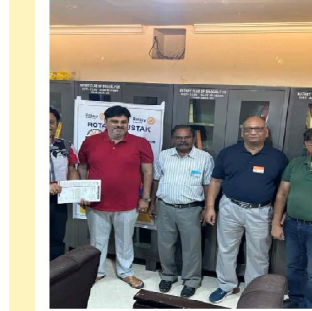
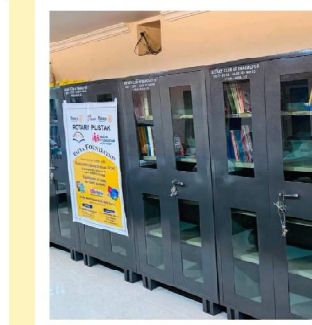
ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MONTH

"The ultimate resource in economic development is people. It is people, not capital or raw materials that develop an economy."
Peter Drucker

Rotary TAKE ACTION: Get Involved. Be a People of Action

There will no meeting on 12th
October 2024 on the occasion
of DUSSEHRA
HAPPY DUSSEHRA

GLIMPSES OF NATIONAL BUILDER AWARD CUM DISTRIBUTION OF BOOKS HELD ON 28.9.2024



GLIMPSES OF FLOOD RELIEF CUM MEDICAL CAMP HELD ON 2.10.2024



Minutes of RWM 3089 held on 28.9.24 at Hotel Nihar from 8.00 pm.

1. Meeting was called to order by President Rtn Ram Krishna Jha followed by National Anthem.
2. The four-way test recited by the members.
3. Minutes of the last weekly meeting no. 3088 was confirmed by the house.
4. Greetings was announced by Act-sgt-Arms Rtn Nikhil Mawandia.
5. Secretary Rtn. Ashok Lohia read out club business:-
A BOD was held on 26.9.24 at Hotel Nihar. The host was Rtn. Dr Abhisek Sinha. The Directors, office bearers and invitee members were attended the meeting.
 - The agenda of last board meeting was discussed and confirmed by the board.
 - The board has decided to handover almirah with library books to the selected schools today the Saturday dt. 28.9.24 in RWM.
 - Ten 10 teachers are selected for National Builder Award. They will be felicitated by the club in RWM dt. 28.9.24 with Ang vastra , certificate and token gift.
 - A committee has been formed to develop Manali chowk Vishram Sthal with Rotary emblem and furnish sitting space with tiles. The convenor of the project is Rtn. Abhishek Sinha. He will be assisted by all other members.
 - Purchase of software for accounting purpose 2024-25 has been dropped and amount paid for this will be taken back.
 - Club Treasurer gave detail report of the 1st half dues with the members. He was requested to persuade the members for early settlement of club dues.
 - Dupattas and Thailas purchased for seminar kit will be kept in club stock as club assets.
 - Rtn. Arvind Tiwary appointed convenor to look after flood relief and a budget of Rs.10,000/= is approved.
 - Rtn. Papiya kumar appointed convenor for Diwali Milan Utsav. She will decide date and details of the programme in consultation with other club members. The house of friendship will be provided by the members whose birthday and marriage anniversary felt in August, September and October. The budget amount passed for this Utsav is Rs.7,000/=.
 - Letter received from the office of civil surgeon cum chief medical officer, Bhagalpur with a request to attend workshop being held for immunization in Bhagalpur town on 28.9.24. The meeting was attended by President Rtn. R. K. Jha and Rtn. N. K. Singh.
- 6 Rtn. Namita Sahay welcomed teachers and spoke few words in honour of teachers. She also assisted in giving certificates, Ang Vastra and gifts to 10 teachers namely Himanshu Shekhar Thakur, Bikash Kumar Malviya, Paras Nath Jha, Dr Pushp Kumar Roy, Amit Kumar, Chandan Kumar, Jyoti Kumari, Ranvir Kumar Thakur, Amar Nath Jha & Roy Meenakshi J Singh.
- 7 PP Rtn. Ram Kumar Mishra spoke on Literacy and importance of School Library.
- 8 Rtn. Papiya Kumar and Rtn. Dolly Kejriwal assisted in giving keys of the Almirahs to the school principals of P Jha High School Bajani, Middle School Mukheria, Durgacharan High School Bhagalpur, Upgraded High School Agarpur & Mokshada Girls School Bhagalpur.
- 9 Thanks given to Rtn. Mithilesh Kumar Sinha for Print Media coverage.
- 10 Attendance 25, with greetings to RI and RC of Patna City Samrat the meeting was adjourned for fellowship.

Rtn. Ram Krishna Jha
President

Rtn. Ashok Lohia
Secretary