

TO: All Lions Clubs in District 22-W

We understand that Covid has had an impact on your fundraising projects but District 22-W is only \$20,000 short of having the funds needed to apply for a grant from LCI to allow us to purchase the Mobile Screening Unit that will be used by all 22W clubs to bring health screening programs to the residents of our district at locations such as schools, churches and public gatherings like fairs, carnivals, etc.

The total cost of building and equipping this van is expected to be \$160,000. The district needs to provide \$80,000 and LCI will give us a matching grant. We currently have raised approximately \$60,000 and would like to reach \$80,000 by the end of 2021. A Lion, who wishes to remain anonymous, has issued a donation-matching challenge and will match club or individual donations made by December 31, 2021, up to **\$10,000**. If each club in the district would donate at least \$250, we would reach the \$10,000 mark and that will be matched to give us the \$20,000 needed.

Please take this up with your board and members and consider making this donation NOW. Checks should be made out to District 22-W Foundation with notation in the reference line FOR MSU. These donations are tax deductible. Please mail your checks to CT Steve Finger.

Thanks so much for your help. We are so close and don't want to miss this opportunity of matching funds to complete our quest.

PDG Brian Cox
Lion Bob Johnson
Lion Lois Conrad