

HOST THE RAIL & WATER TOUR

Your District is on the planned route of the fundraising and educational “Rotary Rail & Water Tour 2013.” What is the Tour about? It is about sharing with Rotarians across the USA stories of Rotary’s programs to provide clean water in developing countries and how these efforts deliver sustainable solutions for thousands of people. The goal of the 45-day tour (scheduled for March-April 2013) is to visit 15 Rotary clubs in 15 states and develop partnerships to implement Rotary water projects around the globe.



Central to creating successful, sustainable water projects is the development of talented young professionals to help design and manage these water systems for communities and Rotary clubs around the world. The Rail & Water Tour is an integral part of that educational process. Embarking upon this year’s tour will be 28-year-old Martina Frycova, a Rotaract immediate past president from Pilsen in the Czech Republic (District 2240).

Martina has been in Florida the past year working to develop new water projects for a school and clinic in Afghanistan. She will share her experiences and talk about how your club and district can become a partner in what will be an annual projects briefing tour, bringing in visitors and water projects from around the world.



Martina will cross the entire USA by train from Florida to California and back again, passing through 65 separate Rotary districts and more than 300 AMTRAK stations. She's looking for 15 special clubs along this expansive journey to serve as hosts for her visits and presentations. So, if your club wants to become part of this innovative water partnership and can send a host Rotarian to a nearby AMTRAK station, then we invite you to send an email to Rail@RotaryWater.org and visit www.RailAndWater.org.



This program is guaranteed to be an incredibly creative American and global Rotary service adventure. All aboard!