



A12 District LCIF Chair – [PDG Lion Jerry Rebidoux](#)

Why Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF)?

100% of your donation empowers the compassionate service of Lions.

LCIF's mission is to empower Lions clubs, volunteers and partners to improve health and well-being, strengthen communities and support those in need through humanitarian services and grants that impact lives globally and encourage peace and international understanding.

With 100% of donations going towards grants and programs, LCIF empowers the compassionate service of Lions and those who need our help. Although those benefitting from your support may never know of your generosity, LCIF and our beneficiaries are grateful for your support.

Since 1968, LCIF has given over US\$1 billion in grants. Of those grants, many have come to Canada to help districts and club serve their communities. In fact, Canadian Lions have received more than we have given.

Dollars given to LCIF make possible "the power of we" – the power to let us do more by working together than working alone.

Melvin Jones Fellowship Award

The Melvin Jones Fellowship (MJF) recognizes donations of US\$1,000. It is the backbone of LCIF, providing 75 percent of the foundation's revenue. As recognition of humanitarian work, an MJF is an honor presented to those who donate US\$1,000 to LCIF or to people for whom a donation was made by others.



A club can use credits obtained from prior MJF-eligible donations to recognize an individual as a Melvin Jones fellow. A current club officer must complete the MJF application and email it to LCIF Donor Services at donorassistance@lionsclubs.org.



**Lions Clubs International
FOUNDATION**

100% of All funds raised will support Lions' service in Vision, Youth, Environment, Hunger, Diabetes, Pediatric Cancer, Disaster Relief and other Humanitarian Causes.

Vision

LCIF helps Lions prevent avoidable blindness and care for the visually impaired.



Youth

LCIF improves access to quality education, vital health services, and positive youth development for young people around the world.



Disaster Relief

Whenever and wherever disaster strikes, Lions are often among the first to offer aid. LCIF empowers those crucial relief efforts.



Humanitarian

Lions identify the world's most crucial needs, and LCIF supports them in their efforts to provide humanitarian aid around the globe.



Diabetes

LCIF is fighting to reduce the prevalence of diabetes and improve quality of life for people diagnosed with this disease.



Hunger

LCIF is on a mission to ensure all community members have access to nutritious foods.



Environment

LCIF is dedicated to helping Lions take on large-scale projects that will create a sustainable and healthy future for generations to come.



Childhood Cancer

LCIF is committed to helping cancer patients and their families, and we're constantly exploring new ways to improve quality of life for these children.

