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Dear Rotarian:

President Jack asked that I report on a several important points as we near completion of *Centenníal Clock* fundraising.

First, **thank you very much** for strong financial support -- the fundraising total now stands at \$58,000. Additional support will come from California American Water Company, which will install the electrical, and the City, which will do the landscape planting, both at no cost to Rotary.

Second, the clock has been ordered (cost - \$36,000) and the detail design of the plaza is nearly complete. The City and Design Review are cooperatively working with us. We thank Steven Schultz for his design work. We are on schedule for the July 4<sup>th</sup> dedication.

Third, enclosed is a draft of the cast bronze recognition plaque to be installed at the plaza. Please review your name for correct spelling. Let me know immediately if there is a change. <u>March 3<sup>rd</sup> is the deadline</u>, as we will then order the plaque. Afterwards, there can be no changes. If I don't hear from you, I assume your name is correct. Thank you for your attention to this very important matter.

Finally, 82% of Rotarians have supported the project. There is still the opportunity to contribute or, if you like, to increase your previous donation. Contributions of at least \$250 receive plaque recognition.

Thank you.

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