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ROTARY CLUB OF DAYTON BEAUTIFIES CITY AHEAD OF NATO PARLIAMENTARY ASSEMBLY

DAYTON, Ohio – The Rotary Club of Dayton hosted a Day of Service to help beautify Dayton ahead of the NATO Parliamentary Assembly meeting next month, commemorating the 30th anniversary of the Dayton Peace Accords. In partnership with the Rotary Club of Kettering and led by the Miami Conservancy District, dozens of Rotarians gathered hundreds of pounds of trash and tires from the Great Miami Riverway.

“We’re proud to partner with the Rotary Clubs of Dayton and Kettering for this river cleanup,” said Rotarian Sarah Hippensteel Hall, Manager of Outreach, Education, and Stewardship for the Miami Conservancy District. “Their energy and dedication — even on a chilly day — shows the power of community coming together to protect and care for our rivers. Clean water starts with all of us.”

Rotarians also participated in the Downtown Dayton Partnership’s First Bloom initiative to clean up downtown for the NATO meeting and beyond. Efforts included trash collection, mulching, planting flowers, cleaning windows, and so forth.

“I’m so grateful to the Rotary Club of Dayton for jumping in to help with the Downtown Dayton Partnership’s First Bloom neighborhood cleanup. One of Rotary’s core values is promoting peace through active community involvement, and watching my fellow Rotarians roll up their sleeves to help prepare our city for this global moment brought that spirit to life,” said Rotarian and Downtown Dayton Partnership Vice President of Strategy Kristina Scott.

Rotarians demonstrated that we live our motto of Service Above Self with these efforts to beautify our city for all to enjoy. If you are interested in learning more about the Rotary Club of Dayton, please reach out to contact@daytonrotary.com – we’d love to meet you!

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The Rotary Club of Dayton is the region’s largest civic service organization. The Club promotes the Dayton community through service and philanthropy, supporting countless nonprofit organizations throughout our region. The Club meets Mondays at noon at Sinclair Conference Center.