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# Greg Buelow receives Rotary 'Service Above Self' award



Greg Buelow (second from right) receives Rotary International's Service Above Self award from Lijun Chadima, president of Cedar Rapids West Rotary. Buelow is special projects coordinator/public information officer for the Cedar Rapids Fire Department. Buelow and Lijun were joined by retired Cedar Rapids police chief and fellow Rotarian Michael Klappholz (left) and Fire Chief Stephen Reid (right), who nominated Buelow for the award.

Continuing [Rotary International's](#) tradition of recognizing public service, the [Rotary Club of Cedar Rapids West](#) recently recognized Greg Buelow with a Rotary "Service Above Self" award.

Buelow is special projects coordinator/public information officer for the Cedar Rapids Fire Department. He was nominated by Fire Chief Stephen Reid.

Buelow accepted the award on behalf of the 150 men and women who serve in the Cedar Rapids Fire Department.

Presenting the award to Buelow was Cedar Rapids West Rotary President Lijun Chadima, along with retired police chief and fellow Rotarian Michael Klappholz.

Rotary is a volunteer organization with 33,000 clubs in over 200 countries. It initiates humanitarian projects that address today's challenges affecting the world, such as hunger, poverty, and illiteracy.

Rotary club members represent a cross-section of business and professional leaders around the world. The 1.2 million men and women donate their expertise, time and funds to support local and international projects that help people in need and promote understanding among cultures.

The Rotary Club of Cedar Rapids West is the second oldest Rotary club in the Cedar Rapids area and meets at noon Wednesday at the Scottish Rite Temple. Visit Cedar Rapids West Rotary on the web at [www.cwestrotary.org](http://www.cwestrotary.org) for more information.

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