

2017-18 District Governor Bio

Gary C. Bradham

Gary Bradham is the District 7770 District Governor 2017-2018. After graduating from The Citadel, he served in the United States Air Force for 25 years, retiring as a full Colonel. His final Air Force assignment was Commander, Air Force Services Agency, with leadership and management responsibilities for all hospitality and morale, welfare, and recreational functions worldwide. In addition to his BA in Business Administration from the Citadel, Gary holds a MBA from the La Tech University, and a National Security and Logistics degree from the Industrial College of the Armed Forces.

Gary is a member of the Rotary Club of Myrtle Beach, since 2005, where he served as Club President (2011-2012). He also served as Foundation Chair and Club Secretary. He was named the Club Rotarian of the year in 2013. He is a graduate of the Rotary Leadership Institute.

Gary has served as the District's Membership Chair; a Paul Harris Society member; and Finance Committee member. As Membership Chair, he was instrumental in developing the district's well recognized "e-member" classification program. He was the recipient of the RI Club Builder award, Presidential Citation Award, and several District Service-Above-Self Awards.

One of the most significant parts of his Rotary story was participating in a Polio National Immunization Day, NID 2015, in India to keep India Polio free. During this process, he helped to dispense vaccine drops to the children of India, protecting them from the dreaded polio disease in an effort to eradicate Polio.

Gary is married to Susan, his wife of 44 years. Susan is an e-member in the Rotary Club of Myrtle Beach. They have two adult daughters and two grandchildren. Gary and Susan are Major Donors, Bequest Society, Benefactors, and Sustaining Members. Gary is a member of the Paul Harris Society. They currently live in Elgin, South Carolina.