

RONALD L. DUFFE
PAST INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR

Ronald L. Duffe, of New Richmond, Wisconsin, USA, was elected to serve a two-year term as director of The International Association of Lions Clubs at the association's 81st International Convention held in Birmingham, England, June 29-July 3, 1998. As director, he served on the Headquarters Operations and Finance Committee and as its chairman in 1999-2000. Past Director Duffe was also appointed to the International board in 2000-2001.

A member of the Roberts Lions Club, Past International Director Duffe has been a Lion since 1972. He has held many offices within the association, including club president, zone chairman and district governor. In addition, he has been a coordinator for the Wisconsin Lions Mission to Mexico program; served as director and president of the Wisconsin Lions Foundation, director and president of the Wisconsin Past District Governor's organization, and as an area Global Leadership Team Leader for the International Association. He also served as treasurer on the USA-Canada Lions Leadership Forum.

In recognition of his service to the association, he has received numerous awards, including the 100% Club President Award, the 100% District Governor's Award, multiple International President's Certificates of Appreciation, an International President's Leadership Award, five International President's Awards and the Ambassador of Goodwill, the highest recognition given by the association. He is a progressive Melvin Jones Fellow and a Wisconsin Lions Foundation Birch-Sturm Fellow.

Past Director Duffe is a retired accountant/controller. He and his wife Judy have two grown children and a granddaughter.