

Lion Bob Fowler joined the Elgin Lions Club in 1997. He has held several positions including Tail Twister, Treasurer for two years, Secretary, First Vice President, President in 2002, Ex-Officio in 2003 and two year Director. He also has held many club committee assignments including Rose Day, Candy Day, Sight and Sound Sweepstakes, golf outing for eight years, used eye glass collection for seven years, eye glass program for seven years, and District 1-J bowling team formed since 2003.

In 2004, Lion Bob was appointed to LIF 1-J Coordinator Low Vision and Used Eye Glasses. This position was held until 2009, at which time he was appointed to District 1-J Zone Chairperson for the Fox River Region. He also served as District 1-J Golf Co-Chair in 2008, Golf Chairperson from 2009 to 2010, and District 1-J Convention registration.

Among the many Lions awards he has received are: Treasurers Award, Lion of the Year 2001 and 2005, LIF Super Lion Award, President's Excellence and Appreciation Award, Certificate of Appreciation Club Service 2004, Certificate of Appreciation International President Clement F. Kusiak 2005, Certificate of Service International President Ashok Mehta 2006, Sightfirst II Knight of Strength, Melvin Jones Fellow 2009 and LIF Foundation Fellow 2009.

In addition, Lion Bob has attended the USA/Canada Forum in Peoria, has had Club 100% attendance since 2000, LCIF contributing member since 2000, and for 10 years sold ten or more books for Sight and Sound Sweepstakes.

Lion Bob was a Big Brother with the Big Brother/Big Sister Organization for five years. He is currently working in the Engineering Field of mechanical and structural steel. He is single and very close to his family.