

Application for Locality Working Grant Funding

Solihull Together is a collaboration of local organisations working together to improve the quality of life for people and communities in our borough. One of Solihull Together's exciting new projects is Locality Working in which different Solihull support groups and agencies come together to help achieve positive results more quickly for the benefit of local communities.

We are delighted to announce that the Locality Working project has been awarded some funds from the West Midlands Police and Crime Commissioner to address crime and community safety priorities. Applications are welcome from grassroots community projects in Solihull of up to £400 per application.

Applications will be evaluated against these three Locality Working guidelines:

1. All applications must be about Community Safety and support one or more of the local priorities listed below.
2. Applications must explain how they will benefit the local community.
3. If the idea will affect any individual, property or land all those affected must agree.

Priority 1: Better protecting people from harm

To prioritise partnership work to protect those most vulnerable from harm, focusing on crimes that are hidden to include domestic violence, hate crime and vulnerable victims of anti-social behaviour. Working to increase people's confidence to report crime, supporting victims and to bring offenders to justice.

Priority 2: Bringing offenders to justice and tackle re-offending

Focusing on those offenders who cause harm within their local area and those offenders who travel in to the borough to commit crime by addressing the links between offending and substance misuse, identifying and targeting persistent and high-risk offenders.

Priority 3: Supporting stronger communities

Keeping our communities informed about our work and listening to what matters most to them. Testing our understanding of the things that our communities tell us are important and ensuring that we work together in response.

Priority 4: Making our neighbourhoods safer places

Working to reduce crime, substance misuse and anti-social behaviour ensuring that fewer people become victims. Working together to tackle anti-social behaviour and improve the quality of life of those affected, focusing our partnership work, seeking to intervene early and prevent criminality in places to change lives and build stronger communities.

We will also consider applications for projects that specifically address the following:

- **Anti-Social Behaviour** (youth-related ASB, dangerous motorbikes, neighbour disputes, aggressive begging)
- **Harm – road safety** – (Killed or seriously injured – road traffic collisions)
- **Hidden harm** – (Child Sexual Exploitation, Domestic Abuse, Modern Slavery/Human Trafficking, Honour Based Violence, Female Genital Mutilation)
- **Serious crime** – (Vehicle crime, burglary, robbery – personal)
- **Substance misuse** – (Soft and hard drug use, alcohol-related ASB or violence)
- **Violent crimes** – (gang violence, gun and knife crime, youth violence, rape & sexual assault)
- **Cyber/Hidden Crimes** – (Sextortion, revenge porn, identity theft/fraud/phishing, malicious communications, online grooming)
- **Stronger Communities** – (racial religious intolerance, other cultural intolerance)
- **Environmental** – (unauthorised encampments)
- **Terrorism** – (Terrorist attacks)

Solihull Council will manage the application process and administer the grant applications on behalf of Solihull Together.

The closing date for applications is 1st March 2019. You will receive a response to your application no longer than 20 working days after it is received.

If you have questions or queries please call **0121 704 6558** or email shapingplaces@solihull.gov.uk

Locality Working Grant Funding Application Form

Name:-			
Organisation <i>(if applicable)</i> :-			
Address:-			
Contact Telephone Number:-			
E-mail address:-			
Project Name:-			
How will your idea/project help improve Community Safety?			
<p>What is the expected outcome of your idea/project and how will this be achieved?</p> <p>What is the timescale for your idea/project and when will it be completed?</p>			
How will your idea/project benefit the community?			
<p>Does your idea/project affect more than one individual, property or piece of land?</p> <p>If yes, are all those affected in agreement with your idea/project?</p>			
<p>How much funding are you applying for?</p> <p>Please provide a breakdown of any costs involved and how the grant will be used to fund your idea/project <i>(use a separate sheet if necessary)</i>:-</p>			
Payment details:	<p>Account Holder's Name:-</p> <p>Bank Name:-</p> <p>Sort Code:-</p> <p>Account Number:-</p>		
Signature:-		Date of application:-	

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Before payment can be made to a successful applicant you must sign to confirm you have read and understood the data protection guidelines (on page 5) and also sign to confirm your acceptance of the following terms and conditions:-

1. That the fund has been used in accordance with the details given in your application, together with the criteria and conditions detailed therein and Solihull Council's subsequent approval. Copy of invoices/receipts must be submitted along with your evaluation of the project.
2. If there is any breach of these conditions, the funding is repayable immediately on demand, to Solihull Council.
3. Applications must be of benefit to the local community as a whole
4. If the idea will affect more than any individual, property or land, all those affected must be in agreement.
5. All necessary planning permissions, building regulations, environmental health, fire regulations and any other Legislation or Statutory Requirements which relate to your application, must be sought and adhered to.
6. The applicant will support any public relations campaign or good news story, to promote the Police and Crime Commissioner, Solihull Together and the Safer Solihull Partnership in relation to this application.

I agree to abide to the Terms and Conditions of the grant as detailed above:

Name of Organisation (if applicable):.....

Name:.....

Signature:.....

Date:.....

Please sign and date to confirm your agreement to the terms and conditions as stated above

DATA PROTECTION

1. All personal information provided to support this application will be processed and held by the Council's Leadership Support Team, Managed Growth Directorate, Solihull Council.
2. All personal information gathered for this Application, barring that of the successful applicants, will be subsequently destroyed within 5 working days of the announcement of the decision.
3. Information gathered for this application may be shared with officers of The Safer Solihull Partnership for the purposes of evaluating applications against the funding criteria.
4. We may also need to share your information for the prevention and detection of fraud and/or other crimes or as the law requires. For further information about how we use your information please refer to the Council's Privacy Statement on www.solihull.gov.uk or contact shapingplaces@solihull.gov.uk

- **I confirm that I have read and understood the Data Protection Conditions of the grant, and I give consent for my information to be used as detailed above:**

Name of Organisation (if applicable):.....

Name:.....

Signature:.....

Date:.....

Please sign and date to confirm your agreement to the terms and conditions as stated above and return to:

**Leadership Support Team
Solihull Council Room 405, Church Hill House
The Council House
Solihull B91 3QB**

Or scan this document and email it to: shapingplaces@solihull.gov.uk