

**BOROUGH COUNCIL OF KING'S LYNN & WEST NORFOLK****CIL SPENDING PANEL**

**Minutes from the Meeting of the CIL Spending Panel held on Monday, 16th September, 2024 at 10.00 am in the Council Chamber, Town Hall, Saturday Market Place, King's Lynn PE30 5DQ**

**PRESENT:** Councillor J Moriarty (Chair)  
Councillors R Blunt, F Bone, M de Whalley and S Sandell

1 **NOTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING**

The notes of the previous meeting held on 5 March 2024 were agreed as a correct record.

2 **MATTERS ARISING**

None

3 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Members of the Panel declared non pecuniary interests in applications within their ward and did not vote thereon.

4 **URGENT BUSINESS**

None

5 **MEMBERS PRESENT PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 34**

Councillor S Bearshaw and T Parish attended under standing order 34 on zoom.

6 **CHAIR'S CORRESPONDENCE (IF ANY)**

None

7 **CIL SPENDING PANEL REPORT - APPLICATIONS AND OFFICER RECOMMENDATIONS**

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The CIL spending Panel considered the applications and made the following decisions and recommendations to Cabinet where the application was for over £50,000:

25 West Winch - car park resurfacing (£67,023.18 requested)

As a member of the public was present for the item the following item was taken first.

The application had been re-submitted.

**Agreed:** That Cabinet be recommended to approve the £67,023.18

28 Nordelph - river railings (£13,720 requested)

**Agreed:** That £13,720 be approved.

22 Sedgeford - cemetery path (£5,280 requested)

**Agreed:** That £5,280 be approved.

50 Clenchwarton – Hall Road parking (£31,000 requested)

Under standing order 34 Councillor Bearshaw addressed the Panel in support of the application. He undertook to chase the parish's annual report on CIL spend which was overdue due to not having a permanent clerk in place for some time. He also confirmed that the parish's CIL money would be going into the project.

**Agreed:** That £31,000 be approved.

41 Emneth Central Hall - carpark resurfacing (£22,299 requested)

**Agreed:** That £22,299 be approved.

52 Tilney All Saints Village Hall – refurbishment (£8,800 requested)

Under standing order 34 Councillor Bearshaw addressed the Panel in support of the application.

**Agreed:** That £8,800 be approved.

20 Shouldham - Lynn Road Trod extension (£16,145.82 requested)

Councillor Moriarty, Ward Member did not vote on the application.

**Agreed:** That £16,145.82 be approved.

27 East Rudham – kerbing (£11,963 requested)

**Agreed:** That £11,963 be approved.

13 Thornham Village Hall – Replacement Pavilion (£89,809.75 requested)

The Panel noted that no Parish CIL funding match funding had been received. It was noted that the parish had £18,589.90 in unallocated CIL funding. Councillor de Whalley indicated he wouldn't penalise a group for lack of support by the Parish Council.

The Panel was informed that the report for the current financial year from the parish council had not yet been received. It was noted that parishes were chased at year end for the statutory reports to be submitted.

Councillor Sandell drew attention to the fact that the Village Hall in the same location had many of the facilities such as providing refreshments, that were being provided for the new pavilion.

It was noted that it was not possible to defer an application to the next round in the governance documents. The Panel was informed that the new Pavilion was to provide facilities for the sports group in the village.

Under standing order 34, Councillor Parish reminded members that often the Village Hall Committees were the same people as the parish council, he considered it would be unusual for a parish council not to know about application, and that Thornham Parish had very good facilities.

It was noted that the match funding was from community funding, national funding and parish precept funding but not CIL.

A discussion was held on proposals for funding. Councillor Sandell proposed that £70,000 be awarded. Councillor Bone seconded the proposal. On being put to the vote proposal was carried.

**Agreed:** That £70,000 be recommended to Cabinet for approval.

35 St Martha's Early Years - Playground redevelopment (£10,000 requested)

**Agreed:** That £10,000 be approved.

36 St Nicholas Church Gayton - Car Park (£3,364.49 requested)

Councillor de Whalley spoke in support of the application as Ward Member but did not vote thereon. It was noted that the parish council had not supported the application with CIL funding. On being put to the vote the application was approved.

**Agreed:** That £3,364.49 be approved.

47 Pentney Parish Council – Narborough Road Playground replacement (£30,000 requested)

It was noted that the 2023-24 report on CIL from the parish council had not yet been received so it was not known whether the parish's £7,497 had been spent.

Councillor Moriarty, as Ward Member did not vote thereon. It was noted that the parish would undertake their own equalities impact assessment for the equipment, and it was proposed to install some inclusive equipment.

Parish precept was being allocated towards it.

It was suggested that any application made should have an updated report relating to CIL funding. This should be included in the governance review.

Councillor Sanell proposed £25,000, seconded by Councillor Bone. On being put to the vote this was agreed.

**Agreed:** That £25,000 be approved.

12 Welney Hurn Drove – resurfacing stage 2 (£4,681)

**Agreed:** That £4,681 be approved.

51 Docking Parish - Community Orchard (£12,406.30 requested)

The officer recommendation for this was for refusal. Councillor Sandell referred to the apparent high level of CIL funding held by the parish, but the parish were in the process of updating their accounts. She spoke in support of the community project and the village's bio diversity proposals.

Speaking in support of the proposal, Councillor de Whalley proposed the award of £6,203. Councillor Sandell seconded the proposal. On being put to the vote the proposal was agreed.

**Agreed:** That £6,203.15 be awarded.

30 Outwell Parish Council – River Railings (£106,716.54 requested)

Councillor de Whalley drew attention to the similarity with the Nordelph application and the fact it related directly to the infrastructure for the area.

The Chair drew attention to the difference in the 3 quotes which appeared to be for different works. It was also commented that the spec followed would be subject to the applicants carrying out their own assessments and specifications dependent on where the railings were to be installed.

By way of clarification officers read out from the application that the existing railings had fallen into repair with no organisation taking responsibility for them, hence the Parish Council carrying out the repairs.

**Agreed:** That £106,716.54 be recommended to Cabinet for approval.

17 Springwood High School – Theatre and lighting upgrade  
(£69,789.52 requested)

Councillor de Whalley commented that the school appeared to provide facilities for community usage and claimed energy savings for the lighting. He asked for more information on the effectiveness of the proposals

Officers confirmed the applicant had stated the new LED lights were 500% more effective. Under standing order 34, Councillor Parish confirmed the high electricity usage and heat production of LED lights.

Members referred to the community use of the facilities.

**Agreed:** That £69,789.52 be recommended to Cabinet for approval.

33 Wootton Park Pavilion upgrade (£100,611.50 requested)

It was noted that the application was for the benefit of North and South Wootton, with £10,000 North Wootton parish CIL funding. In response to questions as to why South Wootton hadn't contributed, it was reported that they had spent their allocation on their village hall refurbishment.

**Agreed:** That £100,611.50 be recommended to Cabinet for approval.

21 Wiggenhall St Germans Memorial Hall – Car Park resurfacing  
(£42,000 requested)

In response to questions on the quotes provided it was noted that not all of the quotes were for the same specification. The preferred quote was for removal and resurfacing rather than just resurfacing. Concern was raised about the need to have identical quotes having identical specifications.

**Agreed:** That £42,000 be awarded.

42 Barroway Drove Village Hall – Lighting and alarm upgrade  
(£3,991 requested)

**Agreed:** That £3,991 be awarded.

43 Heacham Parish Council - Solar Power in Old Friends Hall  
(£9,749.06 requested)

The Chair commented on the different prices for the quotes provided. Under standing order 34, Councillor Parish commented that he did not get involved in CIL bids, but the person who wrote them was very thorough.

**Agreed:** That £9,749.06 be approved.

48 Heacham Parish Council – Outdoor Amenity Enhancement  
(£24,672, updated to £18,172 requested)

Officers explained that the project comprised 4 elements, totalling £18,172, for which quotes had been received for some of the works. The Brays pit was a specialist quote. Quote C was not received. Three quotes had not been received for each separate element of the proposal, but 5 quotes for the 4 elements. It was noted that when considering the governance element the requirement for 3 quotes for each element should be included. The revised figure requested was £18,172 which had taken into account match funding etc.

**Agreed:** That £18,172.00 be awarded.

10 Terrington St Clement Community School PTA – Playground shelter (£15,792 requested)

In presenting the item it was noted that it had scored 12, not 11 as in the report. The Chair drew attention to the disparity in the quotes received, and questioned the specification for each. It was noted that whilst the application was not CIL match funded by the Parish Council, it was 52% match funded. Members supported the application.

**Agreed:** That £15,792 be awarded.

14 Holme-next-the-Sea Parish Council – Path works (£22,804.80 requested)

**Agreed:** That £22,804.80 be awarded.

16 Ashwicken Primary School PTA – Playground markings (£3,368 requested)

Councillor de Whalley as ward member supported the application but did not vote thereon. No support was shown by the Parish CIL allocation.

**Agreed:** That £3,368 be awarded.

38 Emneth Playing Field Committee – Carpark resurface (£113,580 requested)

In discussing the application, attention was drawn to the level of funding already allocated to Emneth in this round

At 11.20 – 11.30 the Panel went into recess to assess the figures.

On discussing the match funding it was noted that the Playing Field Committee were contributing 1% with some from parish precept.

The Chair proposed £110,000. This did not have a seconded, therefore fell.

Councillor de Whalley proposed £100,000, seconded by Councillor Sandell. On being put to the vote this was agreed.

**Agreed:** That £100,000 be recommended to Cabinet for approval.

45 Nordelph Village Hall – Sustainability Efficiency and Repair (£43,800 requested)

It was noted that the 1% match funding was received from local community grants. Councillor de Whalley drew attention to the other grants also available for such schemes.

**Agreed:** That £43,800 be awarded.

09 Welney Residents REC – Sandgate Meadow Park – Adult gym equipment (£11,676.20 requested)

It was noted that the CIL allocation for Welney had already been allocated to another project.

**Agreed:** That £11,676.20 be awarded.

18 Watlington Primary School Library Refurbishment (£18,000 awarded)

There was no CIL allocation from the Parish. The fact that the school was sharing the facility with its community was commended.

**Agreed:** That £18,000 be awarded.

26 Southery Village Hall – Refurbishment (£77,445.31 requested)

It was confirmed that this project shared the environmental aspirations of previous applications. The listed community support was reported.

**Agreed:** That £77,445.31 be recommended to Cabinet for approval.

46 North Creake Parish Council - MUGA (£103,395 requested)

Councillor Sandell, as Parish Councillor and Ward Member spoke in support of the application and referred to the support for the improved facilities by the community she did not vote thereon.

Councillor de Whalley and Blunt supported the application.

**Agreed:** That £103,395 be recommended to Cabinet for approval.

19 Upwell Parish Council - Hall Roof Skylight (£4,740 requested)

In response to a question of whether planning permission was required, it was confirmed that the parish would have permitted development rights.

**Agreed:** That £4,740 be awarded.

34 Crimpleham Parish Council – Double swing set, ivy tangle climber and goal posts (£13,000 requested)

Councillor Moriarty, Ward Member did not vote on this application.

**Agreed:** That £13,000 be awarded.

15 Walpole Parish Council – outdoor equipment (£10,529 requested)

Councillor Blunt as Ward Member spoke in support of the application. He did not vote thereon.

**Agreed:** That £10,529 be awarded.

40 Wereham Parish Council – Historic Monument refurbishment – Wereham Village Spring (£3,537 requested)

H Wood-Handy declared an interest as a resident of the village.

**Agreed:** That £3,537 be awarded.



04 Stow Bridge Village Hall and Playing Field – New inclusive Play Equipment (£15,000 requested)

The Panel sought clarification on the marking for the item, the support and the breakdown of the figures which did not appear to tally. It was noted that the match funding was contribution for future insurance and inspections which were not classed as infrastructure, but it was agreed to support this application. It was noted that the governance document was a grey area which would be clarified in the future.

**Agreed:** That £15,000 be awarded.

05 Feltwell British Legion Building – New Furniture (£6,500 requested)

The officer recommendation on this application was for refusal as it was not an infrastructure application.

**Agreed:** That the application be refused as it was not for infrastructure.

29 Upwell Parish Council – Upwell Hall Flooring and Heaters (£2,000 requested)

Councillor Sandell commented on the underspend of CIL funding in the village. It was clarified that a parish couldn't spend from one project bid for to another. £10,040 had been returned to the central CIL pot. The Parish CIL allocation had now been allocated.

**Agreed:** That £2,000 be awarded.

11 Feltwell Pre School Play Group – Play ground resurfacing (£16,240 requested)

Members spoke in support of the application.

**Agreed:** That £16,240 be awarded.

32 West Lynn Community Action Group - West Lynn Footpath (£287,000 requested)

Councillor de Whalley spoke in support of the application which he drew attention to the fact that it supported the active travel element of the Corporate Strategy.

Councillor Blunt asked if any support had been received from Norfolk County Council, it was confirmed none had been received, except for the Norfolk County Councillors support with her £5,000 highways allocation.

**Agreed:** That £287,000 be recommended to Cabinet for approval.

08 Emneth Bowls Club – New toilet block (£4,422 requested)

The Chair drew attention to no match funding the unallocated parish CIL of nearly £4,000 available. Attention was drawn to the funding already allocated to the village.

**Agreed:** That £4,422 be awarded.

07 Emneth Bowls Club – Grass Cutting Machinery (£13,000 requested)

The officer recommendation was for refusal as it was not Capital Expenditure or infrastructure support.

**Agreed:** That the application be refused.

44 Titchwell Parish Meeting – Titchwell Speed Reduction (£21,000 requested)

The Chair asked for clarification on whether the County Council was reducing the speed limit in Titchwell. It was reported that it was a project to undertake research to see if it was possible to reduce the speed limit. Norfolk County Council hadn't raised concern about the speed. Norfolk County Council was obliged to carry out the research into whether a speed reduction was required if someone applied.

Councillor Sandell asked if a TRO was being requested. Councillor Blunt sought clarification if this was to do the research on the car numbers and speed. He confirmed it was expensive to do, but there was no parish Council for Titchwell as it was a Parish Meeting.

It was confirmed that £5,000 was for the signage and £15,000 was for the research.

Councillor Sandell suggested that as it was a small village the County Councillor could contribute to this.

The Chair commented that he felt the County Council should pay for this. It was confirmed that the £21,000 was the total requested.

The Panel did not consider this was for infrastructure, or for the CIL fund.

**Agreed:** That the application be refused.

The summary of the total amount allocated, subject to Cabinet ratification, was £1,399,258.57 from a pot of £1.47m.

There were no questions on the officer report submitted.

The Chair thanked officers and colleagues for the work involved.

A paper of additional information provided is attached to the minutes.

8                    **DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

To be confirmed.

**The meeting closed at 12.15 pm**

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Score: 15

Parish	Nordelph
Reference	FY24_2/28
Total Score	15
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£13,720.00
Project Name	To repair and/or replace approximately 136 concrete posts and tubular railing over 600m of riverbank in Nordelph.
Organisation Name	Nordelph Parish Council
Project Description	The 600m of concrete posts and railings, situated on the riverbank, running through the centre of the village of Nordelph, installed in the 1950's by the Isle of Ely Highways, are in need of repair and/or replacement. Neither Norfolk County Council, the Middle Level Commissioners nor the Well Creek Trust will accept responsibility for them and carry out the necessary repairs. The only way the repairs will be carried out is if the Parish Council takes on responsibility of them and arranges for the work to be done. In many places there are old, rusty pieces of metal protruding from posts and rails that have either a) subsided towards the Well Creek over the last 70 years or b) been knocked over and/or removed. These posts and railings run through Nordelph's conservation area and form part of the character of the village and the general consensus from residents is that they'd like to see them repaired to improve the overall look of the centre of the village.
Community Benefit	These railings run straight through the centre of the linear village of Nordelph. From the top of the High Street all the way down to the bottom of Birchfield Road and form part of the conservation area. They are adjacent to all of the properties along the High Street and Birchfield Road and are an eyesore in many places. Many sections are also now a health and safety hazard with rusty pieces of metal sticking out over the grass verge. Parishioners have commented that they feel these railings also form a physical safety barrier between the road and the river as they demarcate the boundary of the verge from the river; especially during bad weather.
Match-Funding Summary	81%+ Match Funding = 5 Points
Support Summary	5 Points - This project has been a topic of conversation at Parish Council meetings for a few years now. This year's Annual Parish Meeting was dedicated to the matter when, with public support, it was resolved to try and get the railings replaced and repaired. Many residents from the High Street and Birchfield Road have attended meetings expressing their wish for the posts and railings to be repaired to restore the look of the centre of the village to a good standard. The Village Hall Committee and hall user groups are also in support of the project as well as our County Councillor and Borough Councillors.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Sedgeford
Reference	FY24_2/22
Total Score	15
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£5,280.00
Project Name	New Cemetery Path
Organisation Name	Sedgeford Parish Council
Project Description	Installation of a new path to ensure families of the deceased can easily access graves. Repair of existing path
Community Benefit	Many village residents have deceased family/friends buried at the cemetery. Many residents have already purchased rights of burial for plots at the cemetery when their time comes. This project will ensure ease of access to the graves so that deceased family/friends can tend to the graves and ensure that the cemetery remains a safe, clean and tidy resting place.
Match-Funding Summary	81%+ Match Funding = 5 Points (Maximum Points)
Support Summary	5 Points - Local Council, elected members (Cllrs Parish, Jamieson, Chenery), community groups, new/existing users, other – All of the above think the plan to install a new path at the parish cemetery will help with access to graves and that repairing the existing path to reduce any hazard risks. This project will ensure that relatives of the deceased and other visitors to the graveyard can access and tend the graves of their loved ones safely. Improving the look and the safety of the access at the cemetery will help to make any visits easier, safer and more pleasant for all.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Clenchwarton
Reference	FY24_2/50
Total Score	15
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£31,000.00
Project Name	Clenchwarton Hall Road Parking
Organisation Name	Clenchwarton Parish Council
Project Description	The existing parking close to the school fills to capacity extremely quickly and parents in a rush or unwilling to walk the extra distance will park on the road immediately outside the school or on the roads opposite including the blind corners.. Despite the best efforts of the club to deconflict start times, Hall Road deals with over 100 parked cars for the majority of the weekend. The current parking arrangements are a safety issue and several incidents have been brought to our attention previously. Our proposal is to increase the existing Hall Road parking by 730sqm which would create an additional 47 car parking spaces, 4 motorbike dedicated spots and 40 bicycle parking spaces - the bike racks to cater for this will be delivered under a later phase of the project due to matched funding and precept requirements. This additional parking which is close to the school, shop, play park and football club would go a long way to alleviating the parking issues. Clenchwarton is aiming to upgrade the village amenities and improve rural living for not just itself, but the surrounding villages who will be able to make use of the facilities.

Community Benefit	Parking is a constant issue for Clenchwarton residents. This will go some way to improving the situation and drastically increasing safety as it should see cars no longer parking on junctions or creating blind spots for residents exiting drives. Which coupled with the speeding issues that many villages suffer, is only a matter of time until the inevitable happens.
Match-Funding Summary	81%+ Match Funding = 5 Points (Maximum Points)
Support Summary	5 Points - Parish council, supporting letter from Clerk. Local Borough Cllr Cllr Steven Bearshaw. Local County Cllr. Alexandra Kemp Clenchwarton Football Club. Clenchwarton St Margaret's Church. Residents letter.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Emneth
Reference	FY24_2/41
Total Score	15
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£22,299.00
Project Name	Total retarmac of hall car park
Organisation Name	Emneth Central Hall Management Committee
Project Description	To labour & material costs involved in completely resurfacing in a tarmac finish the entire hall car park including marking out car parking spaces when completed
Community Benefit	Many regular groups use the hall, ie indoor bowls, slimming world, over 60's, dance fitness, bingo evenings, parish council meetings as well as the general public for wedding receptions, parties etc. Also we allow local inhabitants to use the car park when using the local facilities, therefore keeping the road way free of parked cars
Match-Funding Summary	81%+ Match Funding = 5 Points (Maximum Points)
Support Summary	5 Points - Have emails from groups using the hall that these works should be carried out as soon as possible so as to provide a safe environment to use for parking cars when using the hall or local facilities
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Tilney All Saints
Reference	FY24_2/52
Total Score	15
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£8,800.00
Project Name	Village Hall Refurb - Green Energy
Organisation Name	Tilney All Saints Village Hall Committee
Project Description	Tilney All Saints Village Hall come a long way in the last 70+ years from a wooden shack to being replaced by a brick building in 1968. Since 2017, the hall has undergone major upgrades to make it eco and disabled friendly. This includes the installation of air source heating, double glazing, new flooring throughout, newly fitted kitchen, addition of a disabled toilet, gravel car park, defibrillator, security system and more recently, it has been redecorated throughout. With the ever increasing price of electricity, being the only source of energy

	<p>available to the hall, we now need to find another way to supplement our energy costs (£4,000 per annum and rising) so that the hall can continue for another 70+ years being an asset to the community. Our proposed solution is to install solar panels on the roof of the hall and an electricity energy storage system which could reduce the energy cost of the hall by up to 88%. The PV system will supply Tilney All Saints Village Hall with clean, green electricity and in sunny periods some will also be exported back to the grid. In conclusion, Tilney All Saints Village Hall will be making a huge contribution by reducing CO2, not just by lowering the carbon intensity of its own electricity, but by putting low-carbon electricity back into the grid for others to use. This will allow the village hall to continue to be offered as a community recreation/meeting place for many years to come without any major increases to the hire fees</p>
Community Benefit	<p>Tilney All Saints Village Hall is one of only two community assets in the village, as stated in the Tilney All Saints Neighbourhood Plan for the period 2020-2036, the other being the village school. The objects of Tilney All Saints Village Hall, which has been for the past 70+ years, is to provide a facility in which the &amp;ldquo;physical and mental training and recreation and social moral and intellectual development through the medium of reading and recreation rooms library lectures classes recreations and entertainments or otherwise..for the benefit of the inhabitants of the Parish of Tilney All Saints and the immediate vicinity; It has come a long way in the last 70+ years from a wooden shack, reaching charitable status in 1963 to being replaced by a brick building in 1968. There are 15 regular groups using the hall including dog training, sports, tabletop gamers, exercise classes, arts and crafts groups to the Tilney All Saints Memories Group who are capturing the life and memories of people in the village. It is also used by various committees, including the Parish Council, as a meeting point and as the polling station for the village. The hall is regularly hired out at weekends for parties, wedding celebrations and wakes. The management committee, who are responsible for the running of the hall, hold tea parties, craft fayres, quiz nights, etc. For the past 2 years, the hall has been a Warm Welcome Space for 2-3 days a week for 4 months of the year and for the rest of the year it holds weekly coffee mornings</p>
Match-Funding Summary	81%+ Match Funding = 5 Points (Maximum Points)
Support Summary	<p>5 Points - Tilney All Saints Village Hall project, Eco-friendly Cost Saving Carbon Reduction, has the full support of: 1. Tilney All Saints Parish Council who use the hall for their meetings (see attached letter from Mr A S Laughton, Chair, Tilney All Saints Parish Council); 2. Cllr Steven Bearshaw, Clenchwarton district councillor (see attached email) 3. Cllr Julian Kirk, Marshland North county councillor (see attached email). For the past 2 years, the hall has been a Warm Welcome Space for 2-3 days a week for 4 months of the year with over 75 individuals supporting the cause and for the rest of the year the village hall management committee holds a weekly coffee</p>



	<p>morning which receives 15-20 regular visitors. In 2023 the Tilney All Saints Village Hall was awarded the Tilney All Saints Parish Council Community Award in recognition of its outstanding contribution to the community. The National Childbirth Trust (NCT) has chosen to support Tilney All Saints Village Hall by holding its classes for the Kings Lynn area in the hall. Similarly, the East of England Area of National Association of Flower Arrangement Societies (NAFAS), which was formed in 1954 and is the largest of the 21 Areas, are now using Tilney All Saints Village Hall as one of their meeting places on a monthly basis for education and demonstrations.</p>
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Shouldham
Reference	FY24_2/20
Total Score	15
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£16,145.82
Project Name	Shouldham Community Orchard Trod
Organisation Name	Shouldham Parish Council
Project Description	<p>A call for a Community Orchard was submitted by residents to the Parish Council in 2019. The Shouldham Poors Charity offered the allotment land at the entry of the village from Mill Road, no other suitable areas were available. The PC resolved to support the Community Orchard group that was formed by extending and upgrading the Lynn Road trod and the proposal was supported by the NCC Highways Engineer. A survey of residents was carried out and there was support for the PC raising funds for the project. A NCC Parish Partnership Scheme (PPS) grant application for 50% was submitted for the estimated Highways cost of £15,500 (£7,750 contribution). The project was delayed until 2023 due to the pandemic and then the cost of living and inflationary effect of the war in Ukraine resulted in Highways advising cost would increase by c£5,000. Th PC didn't have the additional £5k and was advised by Highways to withdraw from the PPS agreement and submit for £50% of the increased cost in Autumn 2024, raising a further c£2500 from the Precept in 2024/25. This was agreed and £7,750 contribution refunded by NCC. The revised estimate was requested, and costs have risen significantly from £15,500 to £49,791.64 putting the project beyond the financial reach of the PC. It was agreed to apply for CIL funding to bridge the increased funding gap.</p>
Community Benefit	<p>The trod extension would provide a safer pedestrian access to the Community Orchard from the village and facilitate access for the school and less mobile residents. This would also reduce the current Orchard Community Group members reliance on cars where parking is limited to 2 vehicles. This would reduce the project's carbon footprint, increase the number of people able to participate in the Community group, with improved wellbeing benefit. It would also be good educational resource for the village primary school. The trod would also have a secondary benefit by creating a circular walking route, connecting pavements to the public rights of</p>

	way. Furthermore, the extension would improve road safety for pedestrians from the neighbouring hamlet of Shouldham Thorpe accessing the amenities in Shouldham.
Match-Funding Summary	81%+ Match Funding = 5 Points (Maximum Points)
Support Summary	5 Points - A survey of resident and the primary school was carried out and of 67 respondents 63 were in favour. 43 respondents in addition to the school said that lack of a safe walking route to the orchard prevented them participating in the Community Orchard or visiting the orchard. The PC, Poors Trust and Ward Cllrs supported the proposal and it was approved by NCC Highways as suitable for a trod.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Score: 14

Parish	East Rudham
Reference	FY24_2/27
Total Score	14
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£11,963.00
Project Name	Village Green Kerbing
Organisation Name	East Rudham Parish Council
Project Description	To install kerbing (using NCC Highways department) along the northern edge of the village green joining previous kerbing at Western end and finishing at Eastern end. The previously completed section is at least two kerbstones high so the Parish Council has decided that normal kerbing rather than conservation kerbing be used on cost grounds. The Village Green is the principle village asset and is used by residents and visitors alike. The northern edge is being eroded by traffic making maintenance difficult and putting users at risk. Kerbing will also act as a safety barrier on this busy A road.
Community Benefit	The Village Green is the principle asset of the Parish Council and is well used by both villagers and visitors for a wide variety of activities from picnics to accessing the bus stop . The kerbing will prevent further traffic erosion from this busy A road. It will enable the Parish Council to easier maintain the green for public use, grass cutting etc. By being two kerbs high it will help keep traffic on the road ensuring a safe environment for those enjoying this village amenity.
Match-Funding Summary	81%+ Match Funding = 5 Points (Maximum Points)
Support Summary	4 Points - The Parish Council has unanimously endorsed this project as their main priority in 2024. Our Ward Councillor was at the meeting and supports. The Village Hall Committee has indicated support as has users of the bus stop (on the green). Highways have indicated their approval by suggesting applying for Parish Partnership Scheme funding
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Score: 13

Parish	Thornham
Reference	FY24_2/13
Total Score	13
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£89,809.75
Project Name	Sports Pavilion - Thornham Playing Field
Organisation Name	Thornham Village Hall & Playing Field Ltd
Project Description	<p>To construct a new Sports Pavilion at Thornham Village Hall &amp; Playing Field. The existing wooden Cricket Pavilion is 50 years old, and is no longer fit for purpose due to H&amp;S and safeguarding concerns. It is old, dilapidated and beyond economic refurbishment. Its changing rooms are now used for storage as both teams change in the Village Hall. The floor is disintegrating in places, the windows need replacing, and there is no room for match officials to retire away from the players. The kitchen area is cramped and there is no proper space for serving food and refreshments except outside. The new proposal includes two fully functional changing rooms, two additional changing rooms for juniors / girls, a kitchen and room for officials. It has disabled access and facilities as well. These will be positioned around a large central area capable of seating teams and spectators. A further area at the back can be used as a meeting room. Thornham has an active Cricket Club with 3 teams plus Vets, Ladies and Children's teams desperate for new facilities to enable the Club to expand. There is also a Tennis club with a membership 60 which currently has no changing facilities. Thornham also had a football team which could be restarted with new facilities. Phase 1 – the setting up of a committee; allocation of responsibilities; garnering support and finance from key village organisations, getting planning consent - is now complete. Phase 2 – is on-going and includes detailed planning with the architect; quantity surveyor; engineers; building control site visits; involving TVH &amp; PF and TCC with the initial ground clearing. Phase 3 – starts immediately after the last match in mid-September: removing the old pavilion; digging and laying the foundations; constructing the building; plumbing and electrics; internal decoration and fitting-out. This will create a wonderful facility for Thornham. We have consulted an architect who lives in our village, a quantity surveyor who plays cricket for the village, and a well-regarded builder who has worked for Thornham residents in the past. With the full support of the TVH&amp;PF Trustees who are responsible for the existing pavilion, and after seeking support and advice from Thornham Parish Council, we submitted a planning application to King's Lynn and West Norfolk Borough Council, who gave their approval. A Working Party has been set up, planning permission is in place and matched funding secured.</p>
Community Benefit	<p>The new Pavilion will provide facilities to improve the physical and mental well-being of young and old residents of, and visitors to, the village. It will allow open air activities both for players and spectators. The facilities will encourage new members to join and allow us to increase the number of sports on offer giving a wider and more inclusive membership.</p>

Match-Funding Summary	81%+ Match Funding = 5 Points (Maximum Points)
Support Summary	5 Points - Letters of support for the Pavilion and the opportunities offered are attached to this proposal. Parish Council, Cllr Jamieson, Tennis & Cricket Club, Users/Residents
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 9 - 12 Months = 3 Points

Parish	King's Lynn
Reference	FY24_2/35
Total Score	13
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£10,000.00
Project Name	St. Martha's Early Year's Playground redevelopment
Organisation Name	St. John the Baptist Catholic Multi-Academy Trust
Project Description	<p>St. Martha's Catholic School, King's Lynn, recently had a Health and Safety Monitoring Report, carried out by a Health and Safety Advisor from Norfolk County Council. During their visit, they flagged a worrying Health and Safety concern with the Nursery/Early Year's playground. The report states that immediate action is required to this outdoor space, due to multiple slip, trip and fall hazards. In order to eliminate these hazards, we are now prioritising a landscaping project for this area, and whilst doing so, we hope to improve the environmental educational opportunities to the young learners of the school. We have decided that we will install rubber mulch on the sloped areas which are unsuitable for play. Our plan for a muddy grassed area is to create a very green and environmentally friendly wildlife area, for the children to be educated from, whilst improving the green infrastructure of the School. This will include a new raised bed garden zone with archway entrances, leading to a stepped path between the beds. In these beds, there will be many plants and herbs sown, all for the children to attend to and be a part of their growth. There will be a revamping of the mud kitchen existing features with an archway entrance installed and a painted picket fence surround. The mud wallow will be extended to provide more play area for the children to experience textures, amongst other play and learning opportunities. There will be a new hedge zone, which will include a mushroom table, with 3 carved seats, a giant snail log, centipede log, and a big Ed carved timber statue. There will be another area called BugVille, which includes a terrace of bug hotels, all for the children to witness the many varying types of insects Britain has to offer. The musical zone will also be revamped, with recycled objects being turned into instruments for the children to enjoy. This will also be separated by a picket fence, with an archway entrance. The outside space has become a dangerous area for them to frequent, and I believe our ideas will provide safety and a new progressive way to learn about nature.</p>
Community Benefit	This environmental project will benefit the local and wider community, due to the following reasons. Environmental education plays a crucial role in schools by equipping students with the knowledge, skills, and values needed to become environmentally responsible citizens. By integrating

	<p>environmental education across the curriculum, schools have the opportunity to shape the next generation's understanding and stewardship of the world around them. Environmental education plays a critical role in increasing students' awareness of pressing environmental issues, such as climate change, pollution, and biodiversity loss. It fosters a sense of responsibility and motivates students to take action in order to protect our planet. By spreading awareness about the fragility and indispensability of the physical environment, we can initiate efforts to address that which threatens it. Schools are one of the best places for cultivating environmental awareness early on. Environmental education in schools promotes sustainable practices among students, fostering a lifelong commitment to sustainability. Through hands-on, real-world activities, children develop critical thinking and a sense of environmental responsibility. They also gain an appreciation for the interconnectedness of all living things and learn about the impact of human actions on the environment. Environmental education develops environmentally conscious individuals who are dedicated to sustainable practices and conservation. It empowers children to be advocates for a better future, instilling values of responsibility and empathy. Environmental education has the potential to cultivate numerous young people who understand the importance of environmental stewardship for the benefit of future generations. Environmental education promotes critical thinking and problem-solving skills among students by presenting real-world environmental challenges. Through analysing complex issues, evaluating evidence, and developing innovative solutions, students are effectively prepared to tackle future environmental and societal challenges.</p>
Match-Funding Summary	81%+ Match Funding = 5 Points (Maximum Points)
Support Summary	3 Points - The trust is part of a diocese that have been made aware of the dangers that the current playground presents to the students and are very keen to ensure their safety, as this is an integral part of what we aim to achieve as a trust. Norfolk County Council, who made the report, would also back this project. They stated that the area requires urgent action, before a health and safety incident occurs.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Gayton
Reference	FY24_2/36
Total Score	13
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£3,364.49
Project Name	Resurfacing Church Car Park
Organisation Name	St. Nicholas Church Gayton
Project Description	Preparation of area, excavation and laying drains and laying of road planings.
Community Benefit	The current car park has many large pot holes and following heavy rain the holes cannot be seen and it becomes dangerous and hazardous. The car park leads off Church Farm

	Barns Road. This is a short cut from Back Street to the Bus Stop which is adjacent to the Church wall on B1145. We do not discourage people using the Church path as a short cut as it adds security to the church. The car park gives pedestrian access to the Churchyard and access to the Church.
Match-Funding Summary	81%+ Match Funding = 5 Points (Maximum Points)
Support Summary	3 Points - We have canvassed support from the residents of Church Farm Barns, Cllr Anota & Parish Council
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Pentney
Reference	FY24_2/47
Total Score	13
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£30,000.00
Project Name	Narborough Road Playground Re-Vamp
Organisation Name	Pentney Parish Council
Project Description	<p>Whilst undertaking consultations on the neighbourhood plan it became apparent that there was a need for equipment for Teenagers/Adults. The Council undertook a consultation and with the help of a grant and precept were able to purchase a zip wire and some adult gym equipment. It has now come to the stage where the original equipment on the playing field which was mainly for the younger generation now does not meet health and safety grounds and most has had to be removed e.g. no swings, no little bouncing swingers and the wooden trim trail has rotted away. This leaves the zip wire which is too big for the toddlers, a roundabout which has seen better days and a mound slide. We have had lots of concerns from parents regarding the lack of equipment and not being able to travel to neighbouring village with equipment. The council went out to village and undertook a consultation early in 2024 in the hope to be able to get some new equipment for the current summer holiday. The parishioners took little time to get their comments to us, mainly via Facebook where there were 59 comments, but also via telephone and email. The equipment that the children and parents would like to see were new swings both cradle and flat but also a nest swing. A trim trail for various ages, some more bouncy ride ons for the toddlers, a climbing frame and a new roundabout. Over the next couple of months, the Clerk met with 10 playground companies on site and obtained quotes to put this equipment in place. The Council then met and looked at the proposals and narrowed it down to three companies. The Council then received a letter from a mother asking for disabled friendly equipment on the site. The Council went back to the three companies and asked for an inclusive roundabout and the means to be able to access with a wheelchair and this was added to the proposal.</p>
Community Benefit	New equipment will contribute to a safe and attractive community play facility for children. This will make a positive contribution to village life and hopefully be a factor in encouraging families to remain in the village which along with

	<p>many other Norfolk villages has an older demographic. We hope to see an increased use of the playing field and outdoor gym area by local families. Residents will see that the Parish Council is active on their behalf. The project will engender greater pride amongst village residents. Outcomes - Happier and healthier children, Improved social cohesion, sends a message that children are valued and important to the village. Making a difference - The current playground is not fit for purpose, and most has been taken out of service. If this application is successful their replacements and new asked for editions will make an enormous difference to the children who come to enjoy the playing field - the safe outdoor space, fresh air and having fun. The project will make a positive contribution to childhood physical development. Outdoor play is important for improving confidence, motor skills, fitness, agility and stamina, balance and strength. Play is also a social activity engaging children with other children and parents with children. Who will benefit and how: Local families will benefit from the new equipment. We would expect to see increased use of the playground by local families and potentially (as a knock-on effect) increased use of the outdoor gym nearby. The project will positively contribute to the happiness and well-being of children - and by extension their parents and carers. A village with good facilities engenders local pride in residents and the wider community and makes them feel valued.</p>
Match-Funding Summary	81%+ Match Funding = 5 Points (Maximum Points)
Support Summary	<p>3 Points – Cllrs Moriarty &amp; Devulapalli, Parish Council, Residents/Users: The Parish Council received lots of complaints from families regarding the equipment and even had parents plea that the damaged cracked swings be replaced as their children had nothing to play on. There was a large amount of take up of the consultation the most that the village has received, which only proves the need. 53 family undertook a poll that Parishioners set up on Facebook where the top favourite items were voted on. Mothers spoke to other mothers to get people to respond. We have had emails from grandparents asking for equipment as they use to take their grandchildren and see them play which is now missing from their lives.</p>
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points



Score: 12

Parish	Welney
Reference	FY24_2/12
Total Score	12
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£4,681.00
Project Name	Final Stage resurfacing Hurn Drove
Organisation Name	Welney Parish Council
Project Description	The Parish Council in conjunction with the William Marshall Playing Field Charity are exploring the potential of bringing the standard of the Hurn Drove access to the Village Hall to a safe condition. The current surface is totally unacceptable for car & pedestrian usage and is particularly dangerous to wheelchair & mobility scooter users.
Community Benefit	The village hall and playing field events aims to bring people together to enjoy community events. Social inclusion is important to promote health and wellbeing within our community especially those who may experience loneliness and isolation or those who may wish to use the playing field area for general use or outdoor exercise. The ease of safe access is incredibly important and sadly in its current state may restrict people from being able to join in with community events and or being able to enjoy use of the playing field.
Match-Funding Summary	21%-40% Match Funding = 2 Points (Maximum Points)
Support Summary	5 Points - Community Groups: William Burt Centre, Resident & Users Feedback, NCC, Cllr Spikings & Rose
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	West Winch
Reference	FY24_2/25
Total Score	12
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£67,023.15
Project Name	Car Park Resurfacing
Organisation Name	West Winch Parish Council
Project Description	To provide a completely resurfaced carpark at the Village Hall and Playing Field facilities of West Winch. The car park has been patched up many time overs the past few years and potholes repaired. The overall condition of the car park has now become almost unusable and will result in damage claims for the users before long. The area is also prone to flooding in the winter months and the sitting water has also caused us problems. We aim, if we are to be successful, to dig up the carpark and install new drainage measures to help alleviate the sitting water. Then to re-lay and resurface the car park to bring it up to a standard expected by all the users.
Community Benefit	The Facilities that have been provided and updated over the recent years are a great meeting place and an asset to the village, they provide a "hub" for the community. We aim to make it a greener space by removing the broken speed humps to assist with the environmental impact, to renew the pathways and to add more disability parking spaces. The benefits of

	providing a car park for all the users, new and old, that is fit for purpose will help drive new visitors to the site and make it a better and safer experience for all.
Match-Funding Summary	21% - 40% Match Funding = 2 Points
Support Summary	5 Points - We have received support locally from all types of users. From the many clubs that use the facilities to the parents of the children that use the nursery, from the grandparents taking their grandchildren to the park to the visiting teams of the local West Winch football clubs, adult and juniors alike, as well as Cllr Kemp.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Docking
Reference	FY24_2/51
Total Score	12
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£12,406.30
Project Name	Docking Community Garden
Organisation Name	Docking Parish Council
Project Description	To provide the village with a community garden and orchard, improve biodiversity.
Community Benefit	Not only will this project be wonderful for biodiversity in the area, it will provide recreational space which is much needed for the whole community. All ages, abilities and genders can use this space which will be accessible to all. People will also have somewhere to exercise their dogs, learn about nature, come together as a community to hold events and participate in the cultivation of free food. The space will also be a quiet and tranquil space for anyone who needs a calm place to reflect. The community garden will back onto Docking House (home for the elderly with dementia) we aim for them to be able to access the space from their property and will provide a lovely place for them to enjoy and socialise with the community.
Match-Funding Summary	21% - 40% Match Funding = 2 Points
Support Summary	5 Points – Cllrs Sandell, Howard & Chenery, community Groups, New Users, Parish Council, Residents: All of the above are either very excited about the project and their future use of it or they support the project with their Cllr capacity.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Outwell
Reference	FY24_2/30
Total Score	12
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£106,716.54
Project Name	Well Creek River Railings
Organisation Name	Outwell Parish Council
Project Description	The River Railings along the Well Creek which runs through the village of Outwell are an absolute eye sore and are now deteriorating rapidly. They have been in need of repair for many years but as there was no one to hold accountable to take on the maintenance they have just been left to collapse/decay.

	Outwell Parishioners are constantly asking the Parish Council when this matter is going to be addressed. Should the CIL application be successful, we can carry out the repairs and Outwell Parish Council will then take on the maintenance for the railings going forward. It will make a huge difference to the look of the village and attract more tourism along this beautiful waterway.
Community Benefit	Outwell Parishioners are proud of their village and the unique waterway that runs right through the centre of the village. The railings as they are now are ruining the beauty of the waterway and making the whole village look neglected.
Match-Funding Summary	41% - 60% Match Funding = 3 Points
Support Summary	4 Points - We have the backing of the residents of Outwell, Middle Level, Welle Creek Trust, Outwell Parish Council, Cllr Chris Dawson, Cllr Harry Humphrey and Cllr Chris Crofts.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Score: 11

Parish	King's Lynn
Reference	FY24_2/17
Total Score	11
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£69,789.52
Project Name	Modernisation of the School Community Spaces
Organisation Name	Springwood High School
Project Description	We are seeking to overhaul our aging lighting rig and other technical theatre equipment in order to massively reduce our energy consumption, enhance the audience experience, and to ensure it is fit for purpose for the foreseeable future, both for internal events and the wider community. We currently operate with tungsten lighting, which is high wattage and heat producing, with high consumable costs. Moving to an LED system would make our energy use 500% more effective.
Community Benefit	Springwood High School is a community hub for external arts organisations, we pride ourselves on being able to support companies such as Theatre Train, Male Voice Choir, West Norfolk Music Centre, West Norfolk Community Band to name a few. The newly developed space and facilities will enable our school and guests using them to experience world class lighting and theatre resources. We have already been approached by local amateur dramatics organisations who are looking for a performance space due to King's Lynn Guildhall being refurbished over a two-year period. The upgrade of lighting equipment would also give our students the opportunity of operating equipment that is now typically used in professional theatres, this would prepare students for a career in the technical theatre industry
Match-Funding Summary	1% - 20% Match Funding = 1 Point
Support Summary	5 Points - Significant local support including Cllrs Rust & Bland, Trues Yard, RAF Cadets, Music for Youth, Kings Lynn Players. Theatre Train. Rock Choir, West Norfolk Music Centre. West Norfolk Jubilee Youth Orchestra, Festival Too, TheatreTrain - 10 letters of support are attached to this application.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	North Wootton
Reference	FY24_2/33
Total Score	11
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£100,611.5
Project Name	Park Pavilion - Upgrade
Organisation Name	North Wootton Parish Council
Project Description	Wootton Park is a great asset for the villages of North and South Wootton. On the park there is a pavilion that is used by the local football team, the Woottons Football Club. The Club provides a friendly environment for locals and visiting teams to meet and chat and encourage the children to play football. This project is to bring the pavilion back up to a standard that will encourage families to support their children even in the bad weather. Taking the foot print of the pavilion as it is now and to change the internals so that we can provide better changing

	facilities for the players and referees. We will also provide an area inside where people will be able to sit and chat. We feel that by doing this it will encourage a more community spirit and inclusion. The aim is to encourage other clubs and societies to use this great asset located on the park.
Community Benefit	The villages of North and South Wootton are expanding as more housing is being built in the villages. It is important that the facilities in the village keep up with the new housing stock, as this encourages families into the area. The last time there was any major work done at the pavilion was back in the 1990s. This project will bring the pavilion into the 21st Century. Children from the age of 7 upwards come to play football at the Woottons, and will have lasting memories of their time at the pavilion, it is therefore very important to ensure that experience is a great one. The idea of the pavilion upgrade is to make the environment more inclusive and friendly. This will encourage more people to use it, and then to bring in different groups of people, that can use it at different times of the week.
Match-Funding Summary	1% - 20% Match Funding = 1 Point
Support Summary	5 Points - North & South Wootton Parish Councils; Wootton Park Recreation Association, Borough Councillors for the Woottons - Councillors Simon Ring & Paul Bland, Parents from the Wootton Park Football Club, Local Football Association
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Wiggenhall St Germans
Reference	FY24_2/21
Total Score	11
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£42,000.00
Project Name	Phase 2 - Resurface Memorial Hall Car Park
Organisation Name	Wiggenhall St Germans Memorial Hall & Playing Field
Project Description	To re surface second half of car park surrounding Wiggenhall St Germans Memorial Hall to rectify problems with flooding and covering up of deep potholes which fill with water and then spill over on to the highway. Tarmac would also reduce further maintenance requirements.
Community Benefit	Improvement of safety to area surrounding the Memorial Hall for users of the Hall and the School. Rectify flooding and do away with the gravel surfacing that has many trip hazards. Easier access for wheelchair users and pushchairs, and vulnerable people who can be unsteady on their feet. Make the Memorial Hall more desirable for future letting and use from various groups from not only St Germans village but other surrounding villages. Provision of easier and safer access to the playing field
Match-Funding Summary	1% - 20% Match Funding = 1 Point
Support Summary	5 Points - Letters enclosed from Cllr Brian Long, Mike Inder, Clerk to Parish Council, Bowls Club, Ladies Group, Sunshine Club, St Germans Academy, and West Norfolk Surfacing

	quotation. Verbal support from Yoga Group, Slimming world, Post Office, Community Hot spot attendees.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Stow Bardolph
Reference	FY24_2/42
Total Score	11
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£3,991.00
Project Name	Emergency Lighting and Fire Alarm Upgrade
Organisation Name	Barroway Drove Village Hall
Project Description	The Barroway Drove Village Hall Charity is applying for CIL funding to upgrade the emergency lighting and fire alarm systems in our community hall. This project addresses critical safety needs by replacing outdated systems with modern, compliant equipment, ensuring the safety and security of all users. The hall serves as the sole indoor community space in Barroway Drove, hosting a variety of activities including craft workshops, social events, and community meetings. The upgrades will enhance the hall's functionality, making it a safer and more reliable venue for a wide range of activities and events, fostering greater community engagement and cohesion.
Community Benefit	This project will benefit the local community by ensuring a safer environment in the village hall, which is essential for hosting social, educational, and recreational events. The upgraded systems will comply with current safety regulations, providing peace of mind for all users and making the hall a more attractive venue for various activities. This will enhance community engagement, reduce social isolation, and improve the overall quality of life for residents.
Match-Funding Summary	21% - 40% Match Funding = 2 Points
Support Summary	4 Points - We have strong support from the Parish Council, ward councillors, and various community groups who regularly use the hall. Existing users have expressed enthusiasm for the improvements, highlighting the importance of a safe and reliable community space. Cllrs Crofts, Long, Dawson, Spikings & Rose are in support of this project.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Heacham
Reference	FY24_2/43
Total Score	11
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£9,749.06
Project Name	Solar Power In Old Friends Hall
Organisation Name	Heacham Parish Council
Project Description	To supply and install solar panels and storage battery into the Old Friends Hall. The hall is a community building (owned by the council) used by the council and parishioners for various events. The main reason for looking for the solar power is that we are currently undertaking work to move the parish council office and meeting facilities into this building whilst

	development takes place in the currently used building. The addition of the solar panels and battery would reduce the carbon footprint of the building dramatically whilst it is in use as the council office both during the day whilst the office is open and also (by use of the battery) whilst being used for evening meetings. the solar panels would also futureproof the building for long term use after the office has moved back out.
Community Benefit	This project will benefit the community by reducing the running costs of the councils office facilities in the short term, whilst aslo potentially providing funding by way of selling electricity back to the grid. It will also futureproof the hall for the long term by reducing ever increasing running costs meaning that future events and any future letting of the building (fitness classes, art clubs, adult services etc.) will be at as low a cost as possible without impacting parish budgets.
Match-Funding Summary	21% - 40% Match Funding = 2 Points
Support Summary	4 Points - The parish council voted to apply for this application unanimously with both a borough councillor and a county councillor in attendance who both expressed their support for the project. There is a local community coffee morning that use the hall once a month and we have had support shown from them for the project as it shows a long term investment into the building and its future
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Heacham
Reference	FY24_2/48
Total Score	11
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£18,172.00
Project Name	Heacham Outdoor Amenity Enhancement
Organisation Name	Heacham Parish Council
Project Description	The project aims to further improve and enhance our green spaces within the village. We have recently undertaken several projects (some previously CIL Funded) within our green spaces to provide improved facilities within the village, these have been so well received that we would like to continue these improvements. To this end we aim to undertake several projects across our green spaces. Within our recreation ground we have recently had a range of new children's equipment installed and would now like to add some adult outdoor gym equipment, giving a broader range of facilities on that site. We aim to re-landscape some areas around Brays pit (a large pond) to improve the aesthetics of the site in general and to make it a more usable space with the addition of new benches We have had a viewing platform created at the chalk pit (highest point in the village) and would like to extend this to its completion, giving a fantastic view over the village and across the wash. Once the platform is completed an information board will be installed with a map showing the various landmarks visible from the platform. We would also like to improve the flood memorial at north beach, as this is a monument to those who died in the '53 floods and would

	greatly benefit from an update. All of these will hugely improve the facilities and amenities within the village, whilst also enhancing the general appeal of the village to parishioners and visitors alike.
Community Benefit	The project will benefit the community in several ways. The fitness equipment within the recreation ground will promote general fitness and wellbeing for all adults within the village, with the added benefit for the residents of the care homes situated close to the recreation ground, as this type of equipment has been proven to greatly benefit their health and general wellbeing. This will also provide a facility for use by parents whilst their children are using the other play equipment on the site. Other facilities such as benches etc. will provide additional benefit for those using any of the facilities within the site. The works in brays pit and the chalk pit will further encourage members of the community to make use of these fantastic outdoor spaces for walks, exercise, picnics etc. by enhancing the appeal and versatility of the sites. Particularly the completion of the viewing platform and map will enable members of the public to see the fantastic sights across our village and beyond. These would include more local landmarks, such as the church, but also views across the wash to Boston Stump and Skegness. As the view from the platform also faces west there is fantastic opportunities to view some amazing sunsets, potentially leading to some fantastic photography opportunities. The addition of the new benches etc. at brays pit will enable more people to enjoy the peace and quiet of the site and to watch the varied wildlife on the site. The re-design of the flood memorial will uplift and enhance the general feel of the area it north beach which is frequented by many visitors throughout the summer but is also well used by the more local community all year round. This would also act as a much more fitting memorial some 70 years after the event.
Match-Funding Summary	21% - 40% Match Funding = 2 Points
Support Summary	4 Points - The parish council are unanimously in support of the application including borough and county councillors who were present. Community groups such as our "in bloom" and our local Wildfowlers club are in support of the project as it will enhance and improve areas that they use. Several residents have been spoken to over the course of the preparation of the project who are all in support of improvements to the facilities that they make use of.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Terrington St Clement
Reference	FY24_2/10
Total Score	11
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£15,792.00
Project Name	Playground Shelter
Organisation Name	Friends of the School Association Terrington St Clement Community School



Project Description	We would love an outdoor shelter in the playground; big enough to hold a class of pupils to learn topics outside, protect them from rain or sun at play times, offer a space for outside performances and pop up fundraising stalls.
Community Benefit	The children of the school are the local community. It will enrich the education they receive, benefit their mental health by learning outside and encourage children to sit together in a multi-functional space. It can be used for performances to the local community if they are welcomed into the space. Parents and carers will be able to use it to come together to shelter from the weather when in the playground. It can be used by FOSA themselves for bake sales, book sales, and other multiple fundraising efforts that the community are welcomed to attend.
Match-Funding Summary	61% - 80% Match Funding = 4 Points
Support Summary	3 Points - The children, staff, FOSA and Governors at the school are all in support of the project, also the village vets too.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Holme next the Sea
Reference	FY24_2/14
Total Score	11
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£22,804.80
Project Name	Park Piece Path Works
Organisation Name	Holme-next-the-Sea Parish Council
Project Description	Holme-next the-Sea Parish Council are submitting a bid to the CIL Infrastructure Fund for an all-weather footpath on part of Park Piece and for replacement of two footbridges that link to Westgate. The Parish Council has decided to do this to improve access for visitors to Park Piece who may have a disability or mobility issues which currently restricts their enjoyment of this public space in the heart of the village.
Community Benefit	Park Piece is a well-used local resource. As a Field in Trust and it is legally protected and can never be sold for development. In addition, it is a designated Green Space in the Borough's Local Plan. However, due to poor drainage and an uneven surface, the space proves difficult to use for many months of the year for those with disabilities or mobility issues. In addition, the two footbridges that provide access from Westgate across a ditch onto Park Piece slope down, have poor surfaces and unsuitable handrails. The 2021 Census shows that 53.7% of the population of Holme-next-the-Sea are 65+ and 25% are disabled as defined under the 2010 Equality Act. Installation of an all-weather footpath and levelling the access would provide a link from both footbridges to a seated picnic area (already in place) which could be used all-year round. A successful bid would mean groups that are under-represented as users of Park Piece would be able to enjoy this green space and have the opportunity to improve both their physical and mental health. For the wider community, who already make use of the space, there will be an improvement to the village's green infrastructure and a positive contribution

	made to leisure time activities. Park Piece is one of very few facilities in the village itself but is one of the most loved and given the likely profile of the new households - the new footway will clearly support this growth. It is also hoped, that if successful, the Parish Council could look to extend the all-weather footpath to other areas of Park Piece in the future.
Match-Funding Summary	1% - 20% Match Funding = 1 Point
Support Summary	5 Points - A public survey (attached) conducted by the Parish Council of users of Park Piece showed an expressed demand for improved access to Park Piece. This has been repeated at an Annual Parish Meeting. The Parish Council also commissioned West Norfolk Disability Information Service (WNDIS) to undertake a review (attached) so that the needs and views of people with disabilities could be sought. WNDIS fully support the Parish Council's bid. Cllrs De Winton & Jamieson are also in support of the project.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Score: 10

Parish	Leziate
Reference	FY24_2/16
Total Score	10
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£3,368.00
Project Name	School Playgroup Markings
Organisation Name	Friends of Ashwicken School
Project Description	We would like the money for playground markings. A variety of markings will make our school outside area more bright, inviting to children and keep them fit and entertained throughout break times. We would also like to invite other local schools to use this, for example, a netball match! We have been hoping for these markings for a couple of years and would really appreciate this help.
Community Benefit	Improvement to school play facility to improve fitness and encourage outdoor play & learning.
Match-Funding Summary	1% - 20% Match Funding = 1 Point
Support Summary	4 Points - School PTA, parents & children. Cllr Bland
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Emneth
Reference	FY24_2/38
Total Score	10
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£113,580.00
Project Name	Resurface the car park
Organisation Name	Emneth Playing Field Cmte
Project Description	The car park for Emneth Playing Field is in a terrible state. It is very uneven, dangerous, and parents with prams or anyone with a disability simply cannot use the car park. Its quite large, so its costly to repair. I am attaching 3x quotes (I have taken the middle quote for this application) - support from 2 councillors, and lots of support from the local community. Thank you for your time.
Community Benefit	The car park is the heart to any local facility - disabled users and parents with prams really struggle to use the car park as it is so uneven. Walking over it is dangerous, and when it rains, massive puddles form. With a car park that is much more accessible, it would attract more users for the football fields, and the 2 children's play areas.
Match-Funding Summary	1% - 20% Match Funding = 1 Point
Support Summary	4 Points - I have attached the community feedback from my Facebook post, an email of support from Chris Crofts and an email of support from Harry Humphry. The Parish Council also fully support this application (minutes of meetings available upon request).
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Nordelph
Reference	FY24_2/45
Total Score	10
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£43,800.00
Project Name	Village Hall: Sustainability, Efficiency and Repair
Organisation Name	Nordelph Village Hall
Project Description	This project is to reduce expenditure, update some of the worn facilities and to add to what can be offered. The Village Hall is the only venue within the village and as such supports a variety of events for the community. With the recent rise in fuel cost the committee has seen funding significantly reduce and costs become elevated. The committee are trying to reduce the costs so future fund-raising events can be more than to cover the running costs.
Community Benefit	Once this project is complete the cost to run the hall will be greatly reduced allowing the committee to continue with their work to support the community. The Village Hall is the only focal point for the community, and this project will allow the committee to secure the future of the hall. We have a diverse community with a mixture of elderly people and young families and we have created an environment where everyone is welcome and they feel comfortable. We have groups that travel from other villages as they prefer the welcome at Nordelph. The fund-raising we have achieved this year has only gone to cover the increased costs and not to the projects we would have preferred to complete and this project will allow us to focus on other improvements.
Match-Funding Summary	21% - 40% Match Funding = 2 Points
Support Summary	3 Points - This project is fully supported by the Villagers and those from the surrounding area that support the Hall, including Cllrs Spikings & Rose
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Welney
Reference	FY24_2/09
Total Score	10
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£11,676.20
Project Name	Outdoor Gym Equipment
Organisation Name	Welney Residents REC and Green Spaces (RUG)
Project Description	In 2022 Welney RUG community group raised National Lottery Community funds to install 3 pieces of outdoor gym equipment. This has proved to be a huge success in terms of engaging the local community in physical activity and social engagement in a rural area that suffers from degraded public transport infrastructure and poor access to fitness facilities. Our outdoor gym equipment is used regularly (some residents use it every day) and achieves a broad reach of users. However, they tell us that they find the current 3 pieces of equipment limiting, and have asked us to expand to 6 the workout options. We agree with them.
Community Benefit	Sandgate Meadow Park is located off Chestnut Avenue - the main area of social housing in Welney and its most deprived

	location. Social and economic inequalities combine here with health inequalities. It is important to provide access to opportunities for physical activity and fitness in rural areas and areas of deprivation where gym membership is neither practical (no gyms nearby) or affordable. Welney has an ageing population and degraded public services. The outdoor gym offers not only opportunities for improved physical health, but also provides opportunities for social connection and stronger communities.
Match-Funding Summary	1% - 20% Match Funding = 1 Point
Support Summary	4 Points - The outdoor gym equipment we currently have was chosen by a vote of local people at community engagement events, as is the next phase. The park has been developed and shaped via multiple social and community engagement events. The parish council & councillors support.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Watlington
Reference	FY24_2/18
Total Score	10
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£18,000.00
Project Name	Watlington Community Primary School Library Refurbishment Project
Organisation Name	Watlington Community Primary School
Project Description	Our library is currently in a poor state of repair, it has suffered leaks and damage. As a school we value reading and would like to make our library a place where children want to spend time, share books and enjoy reading. We understand that reading is a vital part of children's education to help them gain knowledge. We also appreciate the joy that reading for pleasure can bring. The school council has identified the library as a place that requires improvement in school. We need new age appropriate books, but also books that have varied interests yet accessible for pupils that struggle to read and may need additional support. The library requires more furniture to invite children to sit and read and help them to find books they enjoy more easily as well as improved shelving to make the books accessible to all children. All schools should have a library that children want to spend time in and explore the wonderful world that books can open. We would like to make our library one that achieves that.
Community Benefit	This project benefits the community in various ways, firstly through providing a place for children in the community to enjoy reading, which has significant benefits to children's education. Through teaching children to read for pleasure and for information we introduce them to a lifetime of learning. Secondly, we would like to be able to use our library as a community venue and allow for children to enjoy the space before and after school in breakfast club and after school clubs. We would also like to hold our monthly stay and play

	<p>sessions for children aged 2-4 in the new library, this offers another environment in which pre-school children and their parents can come together and share community. A new library space would also offer the option to run parenting classes from the space as a community venue, in conjunction with the new community and school hubs. From the work we currently do with our families and supporting agencies, it is apparent there is a need for this kind of family support in the community. This space could also be used as a place for teachers CPD out of school hours and benefit teachers beyond our village. There is also opportunity for the local pre-school to use the newly refurbished library as part of their pre-school education but also for transition to primary school. We also share this space for end of term celebrations and so they too would benefit from the improved space. The governing body are keen for the project to commence due to not only the education benefit for the pupils but also to make the school more attractive to potential new applicants which would help the school to grow and fulfil its PAN, also securing the future of the school.</p>
Match-Funding Summary	21% - 40% Match Funding = 2 Points
Support Summary	3 Points - The local pre-school is in support of the project due to the benefit in to the children in their pre-school education and transition to school. The members of the school council and school staff has identified this space as an area of the school which needs improvement and development. Potential applicants would also benefit from the improved space and the use of the space to the school and community teams or offer as an area for teachers CPD. The governing body are also in support of the project and the school's PTA.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Southery
Reference	FY24_2/26
Total Score	10
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£77,445.31
Project Name	Southery Village Hall - main hall refurbishment
Organisation Name	Southery Village Hall
Project Description	To undertake a refurbishment of the Southery Village Hall, to include the replacement of lighting, heating and flooring. In addition, it is our intention to refresh internal decoration.
Community Benefit	The hall is the hub of the village and is in use almost every day by regular user groups including the church, Parish Council, Doctor prescription hub, WI, SWISH (Southery WISH), local schools and playschool, keep fit classes, crafting group, village auction, bingo and dog training. There is frequent use at weekends for celebrations such as wedding and birthday parties and village events including charity events - for community lunches, quizzes, afternoon teas and pantomime &ndash; all of which bringthe community and surrounding villages together. We are also the emergency base for the

	village in times of emergency evacuation. The hall is also used as a polling station.
Match-Funding Summary	1% - 20% Match Funding = 1 Point
Support Summary	5 Points - The groups, clubs and individuals within the village rely on the village hall for their meetings and events. The hall therefore needs to be fit for purpose.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 6 - 9 Months = 4 Points

Parish	North Creake
Reference	FY24_2/46
Total Score	10
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£103,395.00
Project Name	Multi Use Games Area
Organisation Name	North Creake Parish Council
Project Description	To install a Multi Use Games Area (MUGA) on the playing field in North Creake. The playing field currently has no sport facilities and no play equipment aimed at older children. This project would install a games area that could be used by residents of all ages in various sports and games activities, greatly improving the playing field and play equipment as well as providing a location for local fitness groups to use, encouraging residents of all ages to get and stay active. As part of the installation of the MUGA any soil dug out would be reused on site to create a wildflower bank, further enhancing the playing field and biodiversity in the village.
Community Benefit	This project will benefit the local community by providing an area suitable for use by children of all ages encouraging them to engage in healthy activity as well as providing a location for local groups to use for outdoor group activities.
Match-Funding Summary	1% - 20% Match Funding = 1 Point
Support Summary	4 Points - The Parish Council have consulted with local residents, all replies received were supportive, this is a sample... This would be great for north creake. Its a wasted space that could be valuable to the community around. That would be amazing! I'd be up for running some things there! Excellent idea, the kids need something to do; this would be so lovely, wouldve loved this when i was younger. grew up here and let's face it the park isn't exactly very exciting; Great idea to get the kids outside instead of sitting in front of a screen as I know a lot of them do these days. Brilliant idea it will be so good to see the field used for sport again; Brilliant idea, playing field is such a wasted open space; My grandchildren love going to our park, I know they would love something like this , it's a brilliant idea.The Parish Council also received interest from a local Personal Trainer and also a Touch Rugby Coach both expressing an interest in using the MUGA for training/coaching for residents
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Score: 9

Parish	Upwell
Reference	FY24_2/19
Total Score	09
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£4,740.00
Project Name	Upwell Village Hall - Skylight Windows
Organisation Name	Upwell Parish Council
Project Description	To install skylights in flat roof to bring some much-needed daylight into the hall. Natural light means less need for electric lights. The introduction of a roof skylight replaces lighting elements. Fewer lights mean more savings in electricity. Various seasonal changes also bring benefits. In the winter, a skylight can provide warmth from the sun. In the summer, the same skylight will provide ventilation benefits by expelling hot air. This can help reduce your heating usage.
Community Benefit	Skylights have health benefits. Natural light is a great way to elevate your mood. This is a valuable health benefit in a building that is gloomy. Skylights also help individuals feel more attached to the outdoors. When they are open, air quality and circulation is improved. Increased light leads to increases in your vitamin B and D levels. Boosts your immune system, improve circulation, and improve the quality of your life with natural sunlight.
Match-Funding Summary	21% - 40% Match Funding = 2 Point
Support Summary	2 Points - Cllr Rose (Upwell & Delph), Cllr Spikings, and the parish council
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Crimplesham
Reference	FY24_2/34
Total Score	09
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£13,000.00
Project Name	Double Swing Set, Ivy Tangle Climber & Goal Posts
Organisation Name	Crimplesham Parish Council
Project Description	The parish council are looking to address issues raised on our annual inspection of the playing field and respond to the community's feedback on our playing field. The annual report indicates concerns with the current swings in the playing field and in that certain elements are not meeting the current standards of BS EN1176 part 1 & 2. The council does not have funds to undertake remedial work on the swings and would like to replace it with updated equipment to meet current standards. The climbing frame is of an old metal construction and also requires updating to meet the requirements of the young and older children. On feedback from the villagers, we have received a request for a full-size goal post so the older children and practice with the parents. Through our community engagement, the council are trying to improve these facilities for all ages. The council have communicated this with the villagers during parish meetings and on social media and have received constructive feedback on what the villagers would like for their children and grandchildren.



Community Benefit	The playing field is a key area for bringing our villagers together. Unfortunately, our village hall is not fit for purpose and the parish council are looking to operate events in the summer in the playing field to bring the community together. These involve car boot sales, craft events etc. This would creating a strong sense of community. Community playgrounds provide children the opportunity to practice and hone key skills including social, emotional, cognitive and physical. Children are constantly learning through play, making new friends, sharing, taking turns and interacting with other children.
Match-Funding Summary	1% - 20% Match Funding = 1 Point
Support Summary	3 Points - Support from Borough and County Councillors, the Parish Council and Parishioners
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Walpole
Reference	FY24_2/15
Total Score	09
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£10,529.00
Project Name	Adult outdoor equipment
Organisation Name	Walpole Parish Council
Project Description	We have received a number of requests from residents regarding outdoor equipment for young adults up to older adults. The play area does not offer them anything as for younger children.
Community Benefit	To give the young adults and older people something to do and help keep fit and improve mental well being.
Match-Funding Summary	21% - 40% Match Funding = 2 Points
Support Summary	2 Points - Residents requests, Parish, Borough and County Councillors
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Wereham
Reference	FY24_2/40
Total Score	09
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£3,537.00
Project Name	Refurbishment of the Wereham Spring Monument
Organisation Name	Wereham Parish Council
Project Description	To refurbish the monument standing at the Wereham pond which is a conduit, over 150 years old of the Wereham Spring that runs through the village into the pond. To bring it back to something the village can be proud of and to highlight its importance and history to visitors. To avoid further deterioration.
Community Benefit	Locals will notice this monument that is looking tired and unkept once it is refurbished, and this will help to keep it for a further 150 years. It has declined in appearance and now requires a clean the railings which maybe as old as the monument 150 years to be restored to their former glory. Because of its current state it could be overlooked by passers by. It appears on the village sign and is a unique part of the

	village as the natural spring run through the conduit.&nbsp; A history plaque will be included on the site to bring prominence to life.
Match-Funding Summary	1% - 20% Match Funding = 1 Point
Support Summary	3 Points – Cllrs Storey & Lintern, parish council, community feedback
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Score: 8

Parish	Stow Bardolph
Reference	FY24_2/04
Total Score	08
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£15,000.00
Project Name	Improvement and additions to enhance playing field
Organisation Name	Stow Bridge Village Hall and Playing Field
Project Description	Our project is in the main improvement and additions to the playing area on the field adjacent to our village hall, we have many children who use this field including 6 junior football teams using the facilities, and feel it would provide a better recreational area for the youngsters in the village thereby reducing their need to play in dangerous areas, reduce boredom and vandalism and provide better stimulation for them, we hope it will engender pride in the area and motivation to become involved in their hall and its care. The £5,000 we have raised towards this project we would like to retain to use for Insurance and inspections for the next three years.
Community Benefit	The project will benefit the local community by providing a more comprehensive play area for children of all ages and abilities, we have at present limited equipment and nothing at all that is considered 'inclusive', following chats with local mums and the children, we have tried to encompass new equipment that meets those needs they have expressed.
Match-Funding Summary	21% - 40% Match Funding = 2 Points
Support Summary	1 Point - Following chats with mums and youngsters I feel we do have the support of the whole village in the same way that support was there all those years ago when the village rallied to raise funds and get the hall built
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Feltwell
Reference	FY24_2/05
Total Score	08
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£6,500.00
Project Name	New furniture for Feltwell Royal British Legion
Organisation Name	Feltwell and District Royal British Legion
Project Description	Due to the ever increasing amount of people attending our events and the events of others who use our building (Feltwell Bowls Club, Feltwell Parish Council), it is necessary to replace and purchase additional chairs and tables.
Community Benefit	Feltwell and District Royal British Legion's building is well used by the local community. It houses the parish council, the local bowls club, the RBL and a local exercise group. By being able to replace a number of our broken or torn chairs with new chairs and adding additional capacity by adding additional tables and chairs to the numbers we already have, it will mean more people can come to any meeting and fundraising event anyone uses our building for. Our building is often used for race nights and quiz nights, all using tables and chairs. Currently

	additional items are needed to be sourced and brought along for these events. With the bowls club thriving, more tables and chairs are needed for their matches for people to sit and watch.
Match-Funding Summary	1% - 20% Match Funding = 1 Point
Support Summary	2 Points - Our current users are all in support of this application, as are Cllrs Storey and Lawrence.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Upwell
Reference	FY24 2/29
Total Score	08
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£2,000.00
Project Name	Install new flooring to corridor and disabled toilet and new heaters to committee room at Upwell Village Hall
Organisation Name	Upwell Parish Council
Project Description	Flooring The right flooring for wheelchair users is crucial, as it needs to satisfy specific requirements to facilitate ease of use and ensure longevity. The weight of wheelchairs can vary significantly, from as light as 5kg for more lightweight models to upwards of 30kg for motorised versions. Therefore, the selected flooring must be capable of withstanding this weight, while also providing a smooth surface for the wheelchair to operate efficiently. This is why carpets are typically discouraged, and harder surfaces like Ceramic and Porcelain, and Vinyl are favoured. Radiators The thermostats help save money by allowing you to adjust the temperature on different radiators in the room. Also having programmable ones allow you to accurately control and programme the electric radiators to ensure energy efficiency is maintained and cuts heating costs.
Community Benefit	Provide new flooring & heaters to Upwell Village Hall for wheelchair users
Match-Funding Summary	1% - 20% Match Funding = 1 Point
Support Summary	2 Points - Supported by ward councillors (Cllrs Spikings & Rose) and the parish council
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Feltwell
Reference	FY24 2/11
Total Score	08
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£16,240.00
Project Name	Playground Resurfacing
Organisation Name	Feltwell Playgroup
Project Description	Our playground is in a state of disrepair and therefore needs to be resurfaced. We are a registered charity, committee run pre-school that has been a part of our village for over 40 years. We are very lucky to have a large playground, however in its current state it is not fit for purpose. It has cracks and bumps and weeds growing through with patchy unstable sections. The

	surface is crumbling and breaking down which is making it very slippery when wet. These all are trip hazards for our young children (ages 2-4 years old), resulting in lots of cuts, scrapes and grazes when the children fall over and limiting our ability to have children spend time outside during wetter months as it is risk assessed as unsafe. We would love to have the outside area resurfaced with wetpour rubber to create a lovely, clean and safe environment for the children. In regards to the quotes, we would like to go with Soft Surfacing with a wet pour ideally. We feel they will complete the task with the right material the best out of all the quotes.
Community Benefit	The new resurfaced playground would provide a safe and enjoyable surface for the children of Feltwell Playgroup. It will allow them to run and explore freely without the dangers of falling over. Government guidelines show that children aged 1-5 years old should take part in physical activity for at least 3 hours per day. Having a safe outside area will enable the children of Feltwell Playgroup to take part in physical activities outside and more regularly.
Match-Funding Summary	1% - 20% Match Funding = 1 Point
Support Summary	2 Points - We have the full support of the Edmund de Moundeford Trust. The Trust owns the building and the land that our setting operates from and agree that the outside area needs fixing. The Feltwell Women's Institute fully support our application. They are the lease holders of the hall, whom we pay rent to. They also agree that the outside area is in need of repairs.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	King's Lynn
Reference	FY24_2/32
Total Score	08
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£287,000.00
Project Name	King Charles Trail, footpath surfacing.
Organisation Name	Norfolk County Council
Project Description	This bid is to provide a 1.2m wide hard surface to an existing well used trail (Registered as FP17), which runs from the C801 Clenchwarton Road at Freebridge, and follows the existing walked route in the centre of the flood defence embankment to meet the concrete millennium path, a length of 1.2km. Surfacing the footpath supports Active Travel and will allow the route to be accessible to all and forms part of the West Lynn Transport plan with string support from the local elected member (Cllr Kemp) and the community. As part of the bid there is work to do to align the FP17, Right of Way with the flood defence following historical flood defence work and the Environment Agency have given outline agreement to dedicate the path and work with Norfolk CC legal to adjust the Definitive PROW map. The works will be designed and delivered by Norfolk CC using their term framework contract, which has already been awarded by competitive tender, to ensure best value for money so additional quotes are not required. £52,000

	for design, consultation with Environment Agency and agreeing works and land dedication & legal fees. £240,000 for construction and supervision
Community Benefit	The footpath has been heavily used by hundreds of residents and visitors, from both sides of the river including from Clenchwarton and Terrington. The riverbank footpath is visible in the maps of 1886, 1904 and 1970s. Residents stress that the cycle path from the Clenchwarton Road is unsuitable as a walking route to Lynn, as it makes residents walk alongside the heavy traffic, HGVs and Anglian Water tankers when the footpath joins the Clenchwarton Road at the East Coast Business Park. Walkers find the noise and pollution intimidating and this deters them from walking. So residents are requesting proper surfacing of the riverbank, so they can walk away from heavy traffic and pollution, in a nature setting all year round, better for health, comfort and safety. The footpath is an Active Travel route into Lynn, including days and evenings when the Ferry is not working. The CIL Bid satisfies the Borough Council's Policy Framework under the following 9 policy headings: Climate Change, Air Pollution, Active Travel, Disability, Joint King's Lynn Transport Plan, Supporting Development, Tourism, Healthy Lifestyles, Health Inequalities (Marmot)
Match-Funding Summary	1% - 20% Match Funding = 1 Point
Support Summary	5 Points - Footpath surfacing along the King Charles Trail West Lynn Riverbank is requested by residents to make it accessible for walking in all weathers, especially for pram users, buggies and people with disabilities, as the current footpath is not disability compliant and is muddy during wet weather. This stretch of path links in to the South Lynn Riverbank footpath, on the opposite side of the river as a key Active Travel Route in to King's Lynn. There is a residents' petition, letters of support from residents, County and Borough Councillors and from West Lynn Church, West Lynn Action Group, West Lynn Allotment Association and a West Lynn Transport Survey conducted last year. The project supports KLATS, the King's Lynn Transport Plan, with its goals to reduce cars coming into Lynn and car journeys of less than 5 miles. The project is supported by the Director of Infrastructure, Highways, Transport, Waste.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 12 - 18 Months = 2 Points

Score: 7

Parish	Emneth
Reference	FY24_2/08
Total Score	07
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£4,422.00
Project Name	New Toilet Block
Organisation Name	Emneth Bowls Club
Project Description	We currently have a 30 year old portaloo that has now come to its end of life. Therefore we would like to install a new double toilet block to provide better facilities for everyone who uses the bowls green
Community Benefit	It will provide the local community with facilities to use when at the bowling green.
Match-Funding Summary	none
Support Summary	2 Points - New and current users have said that a new toilet facility would greatly enhance their current experience when playing bowls. The local county bowls association have said this is the only thing stopping us holding county games!
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Emneth
Reference	FY24_2/07
Total Score	07
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£13,000.00
Project Name	Equipment Overhaul
Organisation Name	Emneth Bowls Club
Project Description	This year we are celebrating 30 years as a club and in that time we have had the same machinery. It is all at a stage where it is costing us more to fix them than what its worth. The poor condition of the equipment is now starting to effect the playing green which is putting off locals to come and play on it. Therefore we would like to purchase some new modern machines to help bring our dying green back to life and encourage locals to join.
Community Benefit	The new equipment will help provide the local community with a better bowling green than the current dilapidated machinery allow
Match-Funding Summary	none
Support Summary	2 Points - The local short mat club and also local parishioners.
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 0 - 6 Months = 5 Points

Parish	Titchwell
Reference	FY24_2/44
Total Score	07
AMOUNT REQUESTED	£21,000.00
Project Name	Speed Reduction Project
Organisation Name	Titchwell Village Meeting

Project Description	The villagers of Titchwell are concerned that the speed limit is 40mph, and would like to see this reduced and speed calming measures put in place to safeguard the people who live in the village and the 100's of annual visitors.
Community Benefit	Saving Lives in the village - there have been no fatalities thankfully - but the speed cars enter the village from Brancaster on to a bend there have been many near misses
Match-Funding Summary	1% - 20% Match Funding = 1 Point
Support Summary	4 Points - The villagers have been surveyed and all are in support of reduced speed in the village, NCC support, as well as community groups & residents
Timescales Summary	Time to complete from start: 12 - 18 Months = 2 Points