

Organisation	Towards	Requested	Nbr beneficiaries %	beneficiaries who are Seton residents	Ward	Aims and objectives of organisation (from application form)	Technical Appraiser	SCC grant history (all applications both funded and not)	Supporting Docs	Notes	Annual income (last financial year)	Is the organisation / project viable?	Does application meet technical requirements enough to be funded?
Acorn Chaplaincy	To pay some of the running cost of our charity, such as: Office space for two half days a week, space for drop-in centre tow half days a week, recovery course one evening a week. Course materials for recovery course refreshments for guests volunteer travel expenses public liability insurance telecommunication cost	2,500.00	200	100%	City wide	The purpose of Acorn Chaplaincy is to relieve persons in need and hardship by reason of addiction, free for all adults who seek our help, through the provision of pastoral care, support services and information, being true to our Christian ethos and spirituality, in order to aid those affected by addiction and related forms of ill health, poverty and disadvantage.	Michelle Chan	N/A	Requested further information	Has not evidenced costs of rent, materials and communication.	N/A	Yes	No
Dahlia Gardening Club	The Council originally agreed to give us grants to improve and maintain our communal gardens, which we have done so for 10 years now. In 2019 we got together as a volunteer group to work as a team and to raise funds to ensure the communal gardens were kept as a place of refuge, peace and beauty for all the residents of these four areas. With the grant we have able to replace broken tools, invest in PVC Greenhouses for seed planting and growing new plants as well as storage, communal seating areas and of course a variety of plants to keep the garden interesting throughout the year. Asked for: tools, plants, compost, strimmer, wheelbarrow, garden storage container	2,500.00	200	100%	Woolston	We are residents of 4 different sheltered housing blocks: Lower Mortimer Rd, Mullen Court, Drummond Court and more recently Radstock Rd Sheltered Accommodation. We maintain the communal gardens for all of the above blocks, which are in SO19 Woolston area.	Michelle Chan	Community Chest Grant 2019/20 Round 2	All provided		N/A	Yes	Yes
FareShare Southern Central - Weston Larder	To establish a mobile food larder in the Weston area. Helping struggling communities from hardship caused by the pandemic, providing better access to affordable and nutritious food. Food larders are a mobile food provision for communities that have been identified as hard to reach with high levels of food insecurity. By becoming Larder members, individuals can access food on a weekly basis without relying on referrals or assessment by a third party. Asked for: volunteer expenses, fuel costs, van maintenance costs.	2,080.00	3,000	100%	Woolston	Fareshare Southern Central is an organisation based in Southampton that saves good food from going to waste and redistributes it to people in need across Southampton, Hampshire, and Dorset.	Michelle Chan	N/A	Requested further information	No quotes/estimates, or accounts. Only submitted the application form.		Yes	No
Frontline Debt Advice Thornhill	We are applying for a grant to cover our budgeted costs for the next year. We are a branch of a charity but receive no financial support from them and, to be able to continue in operation, must pay for essential services they provide including charity costs, insurance, accounting and financial reporting, legal advice, and DBS cost. In addition, we want to recruit and train more advisers to cope with the ever-increasing demand we expect in the aftermath of the COVID crisis. Other outgoings include postage, telephone and software costs. Asked for: costs towards essential services supplied by our parent charity, Recruitment and training costs for new advisers, Telephone, IT and software costs, Postage	2,180.00	100+	100%	Harefield	We provide debt and benefit advice to those disadvantaged by the burden of debt, often through no fault of their own, and find it difficult to manage their finances. We help people improve their wellbeing and quality of life and reduce the stress and anxiety caused through financial problems.	Michelle Chan	Thornhill Healthy Communities Grant, awarded in 2015, 2016, 2017.	Requested further information	No evidence of expenses.	£2,040	Yes	No
Ghana Association of Southampton (GHASSO)	We are planning an inauguration of the Association this summer (2022) and would need some funds for: 1. Venue for the event - hire 2.Materials for use such as basic stationery 3.PA System for the event 4.Organisation and mobilization expenses 5.Publicity materials including digital publicity, newsletters, flyers We also need money for: 1.Our regular meetings - hire 2.Volunteer expenses	6,860.00	200	90%	Bitterne	As a community group, we aim at facilitating the development of Ghanaians living in Southampton within the areas of career, education, and social life. To organise Ghanaians living in Southampton and its surrounding areas in the undertaking of community and charitable work within the city of Southampton.	Michelle Chan	Community Chest Grant 2017/18 Round 2	Inadequate	No quotes/estimates, or accounts, refer to events grant		No	No
In Focus Education & Development CiC	This pilot project will develop a series of community focused creative hybrid workshops (online & live at the same time) that are an introduction to photography. The workshops, 4x 90-minute sessions, will cover the basics of photography whilst also help the participants with other transferable skills such as problem solving and decision making. The grant would be used to employ a local artist for delivery, a variety of digital handouts and guides to use between and after sessions, and active evaluation. This pilot scheme will have the aim to expand to across further courses in the future.	2,318.88	15-20	100%	Bevois	Team members of In Focus have been providing much needed arts-based, extra-curricular, educational services to multiple at-risk and minority groups in Southampton and Hampshire for over a decade. We are an unfunded CiC that works closely with local authority to implement projects where they are needed most.	Michelle Chan	Community Chest Grant 2021/22 Round 1	Inadequate	Have not detailed project costs within their expenses, or provided evidence of this.	-	Yes	No
Sholing Valleys Study Centre Association	We are seeking funds to cover our running costs. This includes utility bills (water, electric, internet, phones line). Keeping the building running allows us to conduct all sorts of public outreach activities. We have recently been asked to host a networking meeting of East Social Prescribers. This will create connections with local GP surgeries and improve the design of our activities to suit those that are interested in volunteering with us.	2,498.68	2,500	90%	Sholing	Sholing Valleys Study Centre was set up to preserve the Miller's Pond Local Nature Reserve and to educate the public about this unique environment and the wildlife that can be found there.	Michelle Chan	Lovell Grants (Weston & Sholing), Community Chest. Multiple awards 2014-2020	All provided		N/A	Yes	Yes
The Disability Union	We have recently started a family membership programme offering our members and families the services listed below to make a real difference for the families across the country who have been effected the most due to being so vulnerable during the pandemic. To make this service a reality we are requesting funding to support wages for our community development team and early years specialists. Asked for contribution to wages (£6,949.80 = cover of one year)	2,500.00	372 families requested the use of this type of service	80%	SO53.3DY	The Disability Union supports disabled people and carers to lead full and interdependent lives we do this by supporting our members through: Access to membership events 1:1 casework support A referral for one legal consultation	Michelle Chan	N/A	Inadequate	Missing accounts details and quotes/estimates.	-	Yes	No

TOTAL

23,437.56

Technical appraisal comments	Panel Comments	Panel Recommended Amount	Suggested Conditions
Free service. Helping members of the community struggling with addiction. Involves members of the public as volunteers, all staff are volunteers. New charity, piloting the recovery course. Charity is nationwide and registered office is in Brockenhurst - would need confirmation of how the grant would benefit Southampton residents. Cannot recommend funding as they do not fulfil technical criteria based on their religious component ("Christ-centred ... seek to lead people to Christ"). We can only fund religious organisations, for non-religious activities.	Good service, however goes against Community Chest criteria as it promotes religious activity and therefore cannot fund.	£0.00	
Community group, brings sheltered housing residents together, runs many projects, creating gardens. They maintain council gardens for free as volunteers so rely on grants and donations to carry on their work. Would recommend for funding.	Reasonable application, no issues. Promoting self help and benefitting the community. Concerns about being reliant on SCC grants.	£2,500.00	Make a note for any future applications - expenses they wish to fund must be different than what has been funded before. Also should work to find ways of being more self-reliant e.g. fundraising.
Not strictly benefitting the city of Southampton, funds will go on work based in Hampshire and Dorset. Need to check that there is a need for the project and speak to Jason/Chris about whether they are happy to fund the project. Organisation located in Totton. Also have not provided any supporting documents, therefore failing the technical criteria.	Many recipients are benefitting from them in Southampton. Councillors are comfortable with this application. Area of operation is a low income area - there is a need for this service.	£2,080.00	Need supporting documents. Grant must be used for Southampton. Make a conditional offer.
Providing a service to those in need, they liaise with the local primary care network - GP practices, Social Prescribing Link Workers and mental health agencies like Solent Mind. Need quotes. Seem to be paying a license fee to use the Frontline name but it's not clear what they get from this. The money would stay in Southampton and they do great work but unable to fund without detailed breakdown of costs.	Concern about being reliant on SCC funding due to previous grant awards. Need evidence of expenses. A service which is in need, especially in recent times.	£2,180.00	Contact for further evidence. Make a conditional offer.
Better suited to the Events grant. Requested amount is far above the maximum amount able to be considered by Community Chest and they have indicated that they would not be able to go ahead with part funding. Organisation appears to be previously well attended but not active for some time. Inadequate supporting evidence.	Problems with this application - have made vast requests.	£0.00	
Already funded in Round 1 of community chest 2021/22 so unable to fund again.	Concern with reliance on grants.	£0.00	
Well supported by communities - praised for their good work at looking after Sholing Valleys. Nothing in the guidelines which says we cannot fund utilities, however Community Chest should not be used as long term funding so concerned about long term viability of project.	Ideally wouldn't want community chest to fund things like utilities. Concern with reliance. However, they do their own fundraising, and are very active in the community. Running costs are an understandable issue they face. Very frequent applications from this organisation. Would rather fund projects which involve children/community etc.	£2,498.68	
As part of community chest criteria - we cannot solely fund wages so cannot accept this application. Also there is no guarantee that the grant money will solely go towards Southampton as their services are for the UK.	Have ignored criteria.	£0.00	

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