

Round 1 2017/18: Table of Recommendations

Rejected applications

| Ref. # | Organisation | Project | Amount requested | Amount recommended | Reason for recommendation |
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| 180254 | SMILE Through Sport CIC | Start to SMILE (Gateshead) | £9,740 | £0 | Application from CIC for existing work, therefore outside Fund criteria. |
| 180541 | GWK Woodshed CIC | Volunteer Training programme | £6,500 | £0 | Application from CIC for existing work, therefore outside Fund criteria. |
| 180575 | Equal Arts | Development and implementation of a tailored CRM | £6,245 | £0 | Annual income in excess of the programme limit. |
| 180574 | Gateshead Indoor Bowls Club | Spectator seating with tables | £4,235 | £0 | Reserves in excess of the programme limit. |
| 180595 | Fighting All Cancers Together (FACT) | Friends Together with FACT | £9,500 | £0 | Annual income in excess of the programme limit. |
| 180600 | Angel Enterprise North East CIC | Angel Enterprise North East CIC | £7,500 | £0 | Application from CIC for existing work, therefore outside Fund criteria. |
| 180604 | Regal Respite | Exploring the demand for a kosher respite care community business | £8,500 | £0 | Reserves in excess of the programme limit. |
| 180531 | Ryton Community Library Volunteers Association | Library Enhancement Fund | £4,000 | £0 | Reserves in excess of the programme limit. |
| Total rejected applications | | | £58,620 | £0 | |

Applications not recommended for funding

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| 180572 | Anxious Minds | The Let's Talk Project | £9,900 | £0 | Organisation based outside Gateshead, therefore low priority. Not a strong application against the Fund criteria. |
| 180558 | Vale Mill Trust | Survival of the Disadvantaged | £10,000 | £0 | Not a strong application against the Fund criteria as it does not focus on change, innovation or development of best practice. |
| 180493 | Silverline Memories CIO | Provision of Utilities to Springwell Community Memory Garden | £9,896 | £0 | The group received funding for the majority of this work in 2016 and has not referred to it in monitoring. |
| 180602 | Gateshead Muslim Society | Healthy lifestyle and wellbeing for BME communities. | £8,545 | £0 | Not a strong application against the Fund criteria as it does not focus on change or innovation. |
| 180607 | Gateshead Jewish Family Service | Solid Foundation | £10,000 | £0 | No direct beneficiaries during the life of the project and a grant would not represent good value for the Fund. |
| 180621 | Workplace Foundation | Workplace Foundation public engagement and audience development programme in Gateshead. | £10,000 | £0 | Not a strong application against the Fund criteria and objectives. |

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| 180615 | EMTEP | FBSB (Float like a Butterfly Sting Like a Bee) | £5,970 | £0 | Not a strong application against the Fund criteria. |
| 180625 | My Mental Story CIC | My Mental Story - Edges First! | £8,848 | £0 | Some concerns over the business model proposed, which contains high income projections. |
| 171772 | Dunston Community Centre (deferred from R3 2016/17) | Refurbish Blue Room | £2,400 | £0 | Awarded a grant in 2016/17 and is not able to report on project objectives at this time. Applicant to be advised to reapply once project is completed. |
| | | Total not recommended for funding | £75,559 | £0 | |

Applications recommended for funding

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| 180535 | Blue Sky Trust | Think For Yourself | £5,000 | £5,000 | The grant will increase the group's capacity to engage with schools in Gateshead. The project will have positive social impact with the young people involved. |
| 180557 | The Blaydon Shed | The Blaydon Shed | £10,000 | £10,000 | A grant will support an increase in the group's capacity through the introduction of additional hours and paid workers. |
| 180556 | Parish of Bensham and Teams | St.Chad's Church - Inspired Futures | £9,500 | £9,500 | The project will strengthen the PCC's role as a provider of community services, build sustainability and support the creation of a new social enterprise. |
| 180573 | Gateshead Redheugh 1957 | Being Self Sufficient/New Tractor and Attachments | £10,000 | £10,000 | The project will enable the provision of better playing surfaces, which will be more cost effective an increase usage. It will also improve capacity through improved staff training. |
| 180605 | Soundroom Community Music Project | Developing the capacity of The Soundroom | £9,531 | £9,531 | A grant will enable the organisation to create links within the Gateshead community and build a strong core of volunteer support. It will provide an opportunity for people to express themselves through music. |

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| 180606 | Whickham Fellside Youth Football Club | Watergate Park Facilities - Widening the Impact | £8,800 | £8,800 | A grant will help to establish the Club as an inclusive, family friendly facility, which will engage with more people and encourage them to live healthy and social lifestyles. |
| 180609 | Teams & Bensham Community Care | Strengthening Social Care for Vulnerable Older People | £4,302 | £4,302 | A grant will support further development of TBCC to enable the provision of local services, develop its capacity, as well as creating a stronger local community asset |
| 180610 | The Josephine and Jack Project CIO | Josephine and Jack In Gateshead | £9,050 | £9,050 | Funding will help develop best practice and offers Gateshead residents the opportunity to benefit from a highly respected programme. |
| 180627 | North East Young Dads and Lads Project CIO | Foundations for Fatherhood | £9,999 | £9,999 | A grant will improve participants' sense of self-worth and responsibilities as parents and members of the community, |
| 180620 | NEETZOTZ Ltd | Moving into Mental Health | £10,000 | £10,000 | The project will support young people with mental health issues, reducing the need for support later in life. |
| 180617 | Gateshead Youth Organisations Council | Gateshead Youth Council | £10,000 | £10,000 | A grant will extend the organisation's capacity to deliver and provide a basis for future sustainability. |
| 180616 | Gateshead Fell Cricket Club | Refurbishment to Improve the Condition of Existing Facilities | £10,000 | £10,000 | A grant will fund improvements that will allow the Club to increase revenue through sporting club usage and private hire, as well as promoting healthy living. |
| 180654 | Birtley Community Partnership | Birtley Community Partnership | £9,800 | £9,800 | A grant will enable a more flexible and accessible space with increased activities. It will also improve capacity and make the organisation more sustainable. |

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| 171570 | NRASS (deferred from R3 2016/17) | Deaf Awareness and budget training project | £9,000 | £9,000 | A grant will support NRASS to expand services across Gateshead, reaching more people. |
| 180608 | Jewish Community Council of Gateshead | 'Survive - to Thrive' | £10,000 | £10,000 | Funding will support the service delivery and sustainability of JCCG, helping to ensure its social and economic benefits are extended across Gateshead. |
| 180851 | Clara Vale Village Hall Association | Refurbishment/electrical rewiring Clara Vale Village Hall | £10,000 | £10,000 | A grant will enable the Association to complete essential electrical rewiring to support completion of a small business hub in the hall, which will support organisational sustainability. |
| Total of R1 applications | | | £276,761 | | |
| Total shortlisted | | | | £144,982 | |
| Total recommended for funding | | | | £144,982 | |