The KTR Environment Fund

Introduction:

Thank you for your interest in applying to the KTR Environment Fund. This is a recent fund established to support local community groups and charities in Bromley.

Please read the following guidance notes and then click the link below to complete the application form online.

On this occasion, the Fund can provide grants of up to £5000 to groups that serve Bromley residents and are active within the Borough.

The eligibility criteria are simple:

Your project should be for the purpose of maintaining or enhancing the local environment, which can include projects with priorities such as:

- Climate change mitigation or adaptation
- Biodiversity conservation
- Pollution reduction (air, water, soil)
- Renewable energy or energy efficiency
- Sustainable land use
- Recycling or waste reduction

Applications will open at 9am on Thursday 28th August and will close at 11.59pm on 25th September.

Applications must be made via Community Links Bromley's online grants portal.

Application questions

- 1. Your Name: *
- 2. Organisation name: *
- 3. Organisation status: * (please tick all that apply)
 - Constituted voluntary or community organisation
 - Constituted group or club
 - Registered charity
 - Charitable incorporated organisation (CIO)
 - Not-for-profit company
 - Community interest company (CIC) limited by guarantee
 - Community interest company (CIC) limited by shares (you must follow the Regulator of Community Interest Companies' guidance on the sharing of profits)

- 4. Your position in the organisation: *
- 5. Charity number (if applicable):
- 6. Address: *
- 7. Email: *
- 8. Telephone number: *
- 9. How much money are you applying for: *
- 10. What will it be spent on (please list specific items and cost): *
- 11. How will you meet the Fund's criteria: *
- 12. What do you require the Grant for and how residents will benefit (max 500 words): *
- 13. Where will the project take place and do you have the appropriate permissions to undertake the work? *

Frequently asked questions which you may find helpful

Do you fund projects outside of Bromley?

No. Our remit is the London Borough of Bromley only.

Will you consider giving more than £5,000?

No, £5,000 is the maximum. There is a very modest amount of funding available.

Will you require further information?

We will ask for just basic information initially and that may be sufficient. However, we may seek clarification if your answers are unclear. If successful we will ask for supporting information around banking arrangements. If the project requires face to face engagement with individuals, then safeguarding practices will need to be evidenced. If you are successful in receiving a grant, we will require some confirmation information on how the grant was used and the impact but will not require onerous reporting.

Is there a minimum grant?

No. If your scheme meets the criteria and only needs £100 and you can tell us what it is for, then apply for that amount.

What if we are not a registered charity?

You do not need to be a registered charity to apply. Please see the list in the application form to see the types of organisations that can be supported.

What reporting do you require from grantees?

We do not require onerous reporting, though we may like to collect some feedback on the impact made by our grants and grantees.

How long until I can expect a response to my application?

We will do our best to be timely and would expect to normally respond with a decision within a few weeks. If your requirement is urgent, please make that clear in your application.

Will I get any feedback on an unsuccessful application?

Unfortunately, we do not have the capacity to give feedback to unsuccessful applicants or expand on any decisions taken. Your application will be processed through the Award Force platform managed by Community Links Bromley (CLB). CLB will be able to advise on your application and be able to provide additional support. Please contact fdo@communitylinksbromley.org.uk for further information.

Will you provide regular funding?

No. Our mandate is for single, one-off grants, with every new application judged on its own merits. However, you can apply for a grant to cover staff or service costs for a fixed period of time of up to one year.

Do you provide funding for core services, equipment etc?

It depends on what they encompass. We would like to know what precisely you need the grant for and how it would be spent to make a judgement on your application. (If any further questions not answered above, please email fdo@communitylinksbromley.org.uk.