

## NZC Fundraising Toolkit - Appendix A Trusts & Foundations Database

### Key

	Suitable for the Diocese to lead
	Individual parishes
	Smaller group of churches

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Duke of Devonshire's Charitable Trust	<a href="http://www.ddct.org.uk">www.ddct.org.uk</a>	Up to £10k	23/08/2024	Eastbourne, single year, community?
Cadogan Charity	<a href="#">Charity Commission</a>	Varies from 5k to 500k		Particular reference to London and Scotland. Recognised national charities. They donate to three rectors of local churches in the Cadogan holdings area in central London (17.5k) and say they support accommodation/building costs. They do donate to churches and Anglican Centre in Rome under social welfare priorities.
Builder Depot Charitable Donations Programme	<a href="#">Charitable Donations Programme   Charity   Builder Depot</a>			In kind building resources
Brighton and Hove Capital Funders resource list	<a href="#">Favourite Funders for capital and equipment costs   Resource Centre</a>			
Bernard Sunley Foundation	<a href="#">Welcome - Bernard Sunley Foundation</a>		No deadlines	Contribution to project costs. Must have secular community involvement. Projects £10k-£5M. Capital projects funded but not capital fees. Will only fund solar panels/air source heat pumps as part of a larger project. Emphasis on community benefit. No salaries
Alliance Family Foundation Ltd	<a href="#">Charity overview, ALLIANCE FAMILY FOUNDATION LIMITED - 258721, Register of Charities - The Charity Commission</a>			Donations to a general range of charitable causes including the advancement of education and religion and the relief of poverty. Think might be Jewish priority?
The Albert Van Den Bergh Charitable Trust	<a href="#">Charity overview, THE ALBERT VAN DEN BERGH CHARITABLE TRUST - 296885, Register of Charities - The Charity Commission</a>			All our donations are donor directed, supporting a wide area of charities and voluntary organisations throughout the UK. We favour Cornwall, Sussex and Surrey based groups.
Albert Gubay Charitable Foundation	<a href="http://The.albert.gubay.Charitable.foundation(albertgubayfoundation.org)">The.albert.gubay.Charitable.foundation(albertgubayfoundation.org)</a>		General funding closed for this year	Worship and associated community outreach. To ensure places of worship are energy efficient and watertight with an emphasis on wider community use of church halls or Church buildings where those buildings are redundant or too large and where the parish has a focus on non-conditional outward facing work. NB Roman Catholic priority

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Village Halls Small Grant Funds	<a href="#">Village halls small grants fund - ACRE</a>		Expected to stay open until Dec 24	Grants of between £2,000 and £5,000 to help make improvements to rural community buildings in England. Grants are intended to support smaller capital projects in village halls such as boiler replacements, insulation, toilet upgrades and new kitchens.  Awards can be made to cover 20% of eligible project costs, up to a maximum amount of £5,000. The balance of funding for the works proposed must be in place, or at least confirmed within 6 weeks of making an application to small grants fund. The project is to fund capital improvement projects rather than routine maintenance. Improvements to church halls or to guide or scout halls, WI halls or similar charitable halls which serve as the local village hall and can demonstrate they are available for, and used by, a wide variety of community activities and improvements to non-listed churches to bring them into use as a village hall will be considered if they will form the principle village hall type facility in the parish as a result of their scheme. Note that in such cases any grant would be subject to a condition that the premises are made available for a wide range of community use for a minimum period of 21 years and would be repayable if this ceased to be the case. parishes of under 10,000 population will be eligible.
29th May 1961 Charity	<a href="#">Charity overview, THE 29TH MAY 1961 CHARITY - 200198, Register of Charities - The Charity Commission</a>			
Freshfield Foundation	<a href="#">Charity overview, THE FRESHFIELD FOUNDATION - 1003316, Register of Charities - The Charity Commission</a>	Up to £3k	31/07/2024	The provision of grant funding to other charities with particular emphasis on those involved in the general fields of sustainable development, climate change mitigation and overseas disaster relief .
Ford Britain Trust	<a href="#">The Ford Britain Trust   Ford UK</a>			Contributions to capital projects (e.g. refurbishments). Work that has clear benefits to the local community/environment. Grant applications will be considered for projects being undertaken/expenditure being made in all UK postcodes however locations near Ford Motor Company Limited / FCE Bank plc UK operations are given a higher weighting (closest is Southampton so this could actually be a Portsmouth funder...)
The F Glenister Woodger Trust	<a href="#">Charity overview, THE F GLENISTER WOODGER TRUST CIO - 1187947, Register of Charities - The Charity Commission</a>			The promotion of such objects or purposes which are exclusively charitable, as the charity trustees shall in their absolute discretion from time to time determine.
Ernest Kleinwort Charitable Trust	<a href="#">Grants (ekct.org.uk)</a>			Support beneficiaries located in Sussex, within one of EKCT's focus areas as follows: Might get it under environmental conservation... possibly!
Veolia Environmental Trust	<a href="#">Our Criteria (veoliatrust.org)</a>	£10k-75k		Community focus. Creation of a sustainable carbon neutral community space. Must take place on a single site.
Thompson Family Charitable Trust	<a href="#">Charity overview, THE THOMPSON FAMILY CHARITABLE TRUST - 326801, Register of Charities - The Charity Commission</a>			
Thameslink Community Fund	<a href="#">Thameslink - Your station Your community Improvement Fund (thameslinkrailway.com)</a>		Maybe December?	Supporting environmental projects that reduce emissions, increase recycling, restoring natural spaces or encouraging sustainable mobility shift to encourage customers to make greener choices to travel by rail and getting to our stations sustainably - by bike, bus, foot or electric car. NB this is a priority from 2023

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Sussex Community Foundation	<a href="#">Home - Sussex Community Foundation</a>		Three rounds per year; September, January and May	Main grants priorities include acting on climate change; this covers people who are affected by climate change, loss of nature and biodiversity who are taking action locally, engaging local communities and building networks to grow their impact
Stanley Smith UK Horticultural Trust	<a href="#">Charity overview, STANLEY SMITH UK HORTICULTURAL TRUST - 261925, Register of Charities - The Charity Commission</a>			Assisting in the creation, development, preservation and maintenance of gardens accessible to the public;
South East New Energy	<a href="#">South East New Energy (SENE)   Low Carbon Kent</a>	Up to £30k	CLOSED	Only East Sussex. Free energy audits and surveys for renewable energy projects. Grants of up to £30,000 towards investment in energy projects (no more than 25%)
Rowan Bentall Charitable Trust	<a href="#">Charity overview, ROWAN BENTALL CHARITABLE TRUST ( R11 ) - 273818, Register of Charities - The Charity Commission</a>	Small		The trustees support charities in Southern England, assisting medical, churches, children, elderly, special needs, education, environmental, national disasters and animal welfare.
National Lottery Community Climate Action Fund	<a href="#">Stories   The National Lottery Community Fund (tnlcommunityfund.org.uk)</a>			Not sure it's right, multiple stakeholders, read in more detail. Webinar here: <a href="https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/climate-action-fund-our-shared-future">https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/climate-action-fund-our-shared-future</a>
N+P in East Sussex Fund	<a href="#">N+P in East Sussex Fund   East Sussex County Council</a>	Max £5k, probably less	28/06/2024	Environmental sustainability, community involvement, local need
Morrisons Foundation	<a href="#">Charitable Grant Policy   Morrisons Foundation</a>	£10k		Enhancing community spaces, facilities and services
Lawson Trust	<a href="#">About The Lawson Trust</a>			Environment? Kent and Sussex. Maybe through Sussex CF.
Naturesave Trust	<a href="#">Projects Funded by The Naturesave Trust - Green Insurance by Naturesave</a>	£1-5k	30th October 2024	September priority is renewable energy, e.g. energy audits, small Net Zero capital expenditure
SUEZ Communities Fund	<a href="#">SUEZ Communities Fund - Grantscape Grantscape</a>	Up to £50k	Quarterly; next 15/5, 14/8	Eastbourne or Bognor. No salaries! At all!
Congregational and General Charitable Trust	<a href="#">Funding Guidance   Congregational &amp; General Charitable Trust (candgtru)</a>	Up to £25k	Quarterly; next 1/8	Net Zero must be part of another development project. Funding is 25% max of project costs.
Community Energy Fund	<a href="#">Community Energy Fund - Greater South East Net Zero Hub (gsenetzerohub.org.uk)</a>	£40k for feasibility study	Three more rounds this year. Expressions of interest are continuous.	Not for capital costs, equipment or service delivery. For community energy asset costs or community energy efficiency or advice projects; this would probably be in collaboration with a community energy network/local authority etc. More information here: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N_LFitVOObQ&amp;t=101s">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N_LFitVOObQ&amp;t=101s</a>
MCS Foundation	<a href="#">Funding – MCS Foundation</a>	£5k-50k		Retrofit projects with a UK-wide impact (in this case, developing best practice which can be shared more widely). Themes: community engagement? Skills development and CPD? Business case development, strategy planning? Seed funding or support delivery of proof of concept?
National Churches Trust	<a href="#">Our grants   National Churches Trust</a>			Could try this but seems like it might need to be as part of a refurbishment or maintenance project
Chichester District Council	<a href="#">Chichester District Council grant programme - Chichester District Council</a>			

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The Alligator Trust				<p>A discretionary grant-making charity providing small grants to a diverse range of UK registered charities working in the UK and/or overseas. Charities working in the areas of the arts, faith, health, overseas aid and the relief of poverty are regularly supported. The Trust's Charity Commission entry lists its areas of interest as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Accommodation and housing.</li> <li>o Community and economic development.</li> <li>o Overseas aid and famine relief.</li> <li>o Prevention or relief of poverty.</li> <li>o Religion, and</li> <li>o General charitable purposes.</li> </ul> <p>To enquire about the availability of grant support, contact the Trust at the following address: Richard Juneman FCA, The Alligator Trust, 8 Great James Street, London. WC1N 3DF. Tel: 020 7404 7001. Email: richard@filmaccounting.co.uk</p>
The Andrew Anderson Trust				<p>Provide small grants of £1,000 or less for UK registered charities working in the areas of religious activities, education and training, health and sickness, and overseas aid. The Trust's main area of grant support is evangelical organisations and churches. Individuals are also regularly grant aided. Please note that the Trust does not maintain a website. Applications may be made at any time addressed to: Miss A A Anderson, Secretary, The Andrew Anderson Trust, 1 Cote House Lane, Westbury-on-Trym, Bristol, BS9 5UW, Tel: 07983 355 9127 Email: andrew_r_anderson@yahoo.co.uk</p>
The Brownlee Charitable Trust				<p>Small grants for Christian and other charities in the UK and overseas working in the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o The advancement of religion.</li> <li>o The prevention or relief of poverty.</li> <li>o The advancement of education.</li> <li>o The advancement of citizenship or Community Development.</li> <li>o The advancement of the arts, culture, heritage or science.</li> <li>o The advancement of animal welfare, and</li> <li>o The promotion of the efficiency of the ambulance services.</li> </ul> <p>Examples of the types of project supported by the Trust may include (please note this is not an exclusive list):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o To assist evangelical churches in their on-going ministry, including building projects</li> </ul> <p>Applications may be made at any time in writing, addressed to: Colin Grimwood, Chair The Brownlee Charitable Trust. 12 Alice Driver Road. Grundisburgh. Woodbridge. Suffolk. IP13 6XH. Tel: 01473 738856 Email: colin.grimwood12@hotmail.co.uk</p>
The Fort Foundation				<p>Grants of variable sizes to registered charities in England and Wales working in the areas of amateur sport, arts and culture, citizenship, community, education, environment, health and religion. Applications may be made at any time in writing.</p> <p>*Please note that the Foundation does not maintain a website. Applications may be made at any time in writing, addressed to:</p> <p>The Fort Foundation, Fort Vale Engineering Limited, Calder Vale Park, Simonstone Lane, Burnley, Lancashire. BB127ND. Tel: 01282 440000 Email: info@fortvale.com</p>

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The Hintze Family Charitable Foundation				Grants of varying sizes for registered charities in England and Wales to support museums, libraries and art galleries, advance education in schools, colleges and universities, support for the Christian faith, and charities working with the sick and terminally ill. Applications may be made at any time in writing. Contact details for the Foundation are: Lady Dorothy Hintze, The Hintze Family Charitable Foundation, 4th Floor, One Strand, London. WC2N 5HR. Tel: 020 7201 2444 Email: enquiries@hfcf.org.uk
The Joseph Rank Trust	<a href="http://www.ranktrust.org/">http://www.ranktrust.org/</a>			An independent Christian grant-maker working with all Christian denominations in the UK. The principal object of the Trust is "to advance the Christian Faith" - to further the Kingdom of God. The Trustees have identified two main areas of interest - projects that demonstrate a Christian approach to the practical, educational and spiritual needs of people of all ages; and the adaptation of Church properties with a view to providing improved facilities for use by the church and its work in the community in which it is based. Will not consider roof projects, insulation projects, solar energy projects, lighting conductors, heating systems, replacement boilers, replacing windows with new frames or the repairing of existing window frames or repairing of existing glass.
Michael and Betty Little Trust	<a href="http://MichaelandBettyLittleTrust(mbltrust.org)">Michael and Betty Little Trust (mbltrust.org)</a>			West Sussex is a priority area (they are based in Chichester). I can't find any examples of funding church buildings but they do state religion as a funding priority.
The Ross Russell Trust				Grants for registered charities in England, Scotland and Wales for educational, social welfare and church projects. The Trust's charitable objectives state that the Trust will award to any charity or charitable purpose. *The Trust does not maintain a website; Applications may be made in writing at any time: The Ross Russell Trust, 30 Ladbroke Square, London. W11 3NB Email: graham@rossrussell.com
Gatwick Airport Community Trust	<a href="https://gact.org.uk/application-process/">https://gact.org.uk/application-process/</a>	Normally 1-5k	2024 applications closed, will reopen next year	Environmental improvement and conservation Improvements to community facilities such as village halls. Grants will NOT normally be made where it is evident that little or no effort has been made or is being made to raise funds elsewhere. Determined efforts to raise money elsewhere or to demonstrate match funding will be helpful.

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Biffa Award Community Buildings strand	<a href="https://www.biffa-award.org/">Community Buildings - Biffa Award (biffa-award.org)</a>			<p>Priority is given to projects that demonstrate a wider community benefit. We expect your building to be used by many groups, benefiting people of different ages and demographics. Applications for projects in places of worship must be able to demonstrate wider community use and benefit. We cannot fund repairs to windows, spires, steeples, bell towers or any areas not accessed by the public. Application value must be between £10,000 and £75,000</p> <p>Total project cost must be no more than £200,000 including VAT</p> <p>The project site must be within five miles of a significant Biffa Operation or within 10 miles if this is an active Biffa Landfill Site (check the project postcode using the Postcode Checker below)</p> <p>The project site must ALSO be within 10 miles of any licenced landfill site in England and Northern Ireland (to find your nearest landfill site, telephone the regulator Entrust on 01926 488300)</p> <p><a href="https://view.officeapps.live.com/op/view.aspx?src=https%3A%2F%2Fassets.publishing.service.gov.uk%2Fmedia%2F650bfd5327d43b0014375a6f%2FLFT-Registered-Landfill-Sites-19-09-2023.ods&amp;wdOrigin=BROWSELINK">https://view.officeapps.live.com/op/view.aspx?src=https%3A%2F%2Fassets.publishing.service.gov.uk%2Fmedia%2F650bfd5327d43b0014375a6f%2FLFT-Registered-Landfill-Sites-19-09-2023.ods&amp;wdOrigin=BROWSELINK</a></p>
Beatrice Laing Trust via Laing Family Trusts	<a href="https://www.laingfamilytrusts.org.uk/">Beatrice Laing Trust   Beatrice Laing Trust (laingfamilytrusts.org.uk)</a>	Generally £2k-10k	Rolling applications	<p>Priority for church building projects: To support new church building, extension or redevelopment projects, with a particular emphasis on churches using their physical resources to communicate Christian faith and respond to needs in their local community (preference for evangelism). Except in exceptional circumstances we do not make grants to umbrella, second tier or grant-making organisations; Church restoration or repair* (including church roofs, spires, organs, bells, wall paintings etc)</p>
Centrica Energy for Tomorrow	<a href="https://www.centrica.com/">Energy for Tomorrow (centrica.com)</a>	They give examples of £20k and £100k so potentially a big grant	Currently South West priority geographic area; they will let me know when South East comes up	<p>Check with them to see if this is geographically specific funding and if it is rolling deadlines.</p> <p>"Energy For Tomorrow is seeking projects, initiatives and ideas that can accelerate the energy transition. We want to support those who have a clear social mission; a viable and feasible idea; and can demonstrate one or more of the following: You're energy innovators; You're changing behaviours; You're supporting communities. Innovative projects.</p>
Bishop Radford Charitable Trust	<a href="https://www.bishopradfordtrust.org.uk/">The Bishop Radford Trust – Supporting Christian Ministry</a>	Development grants £5k; collaborative unspecified	Open grants should re-open in August but this would be a relationship-building enquiry	<p>Christian funder. They will not fund any building-related costs BUT they do have an invitation-only grant for collaborative working and development grants. This could be a really good hearts and minds ask to support strategic development and collaborative working with other stakeholders. If there is a project that involves a funding group with funders + charities + churches working together we are interested to know more. If you have something to propose, please get in touch at <a href="mailto:enquiries@bishopradfordtrust.org.uk">enquiries@bishopradfordtrust.org.uk</a></p>

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B&Q Foundation	<a href="http://bqfoundation.org.uk">B&amp;Q Foundation   B&amp;Q in the Community (bqfoundation.org.uk)</a>	Up to £10k	Quarterly	"We help charities who are supporting people in need in the UK – those experiencing homelessness, in financial hardship, impacted by health, disability, or other disadvantage or distress. We believe that everyone needs a place to feel at home. So, we are looking to fund projects that decorate, renovate, or create spaces where people can feel at home and have a sense of belonging." Net Zero wrapped into community spaces (must demonstrate secular impact too). Work must take place within six months of receiving the grant.
Hodge Foundation	<a href="#">Funding - Hodge Foundation</a>			The Foundation supports communities by providing funds towards projects such as facilities in church buildings and inclusive activities for the wider community.
Sir Halley Stewart Trust	<a href="#">Sir Halley Stewart Trust   Home</a>	Up to c. £60k over three years	21/11 for meeting in Feb 2025	<p>Not capital costs but... A salary funder!! Maybe an environmental officer type role. The Trust funds projects that focus on the prevention (rather than the alleviation) of human suffering. All Trust grants must fall under one or both of the following categories: Innovative research projects: i.e. those which explore and test new ideas, methods, approaches, interventions and/or devices. Pioneering / ground-breaking development projects: i.e. those which are original and represent the first of their kind and/or lay the foundations for further developments. Encourage dialogue between Christian faith and contemporary issues in a secular society. The Trust prioritises projects that:</p> <p>Break down religious and secular divides.  Are untested and have the potential to be 'game-changers'.  Involve the vocational development of key people within relevant fields.</p>
Garfield Weston Foundation	<a href="#">Application guidelines - Garfield Weston Foundation</a>		Rolling applications	<p>Case study: <a href="https://garfieldweston.org/what-we-fund/organisations-we-have-funded/st-peter-st-paul-church-great-casterton/">https://garfieldweston.org/what-we-fund/organisations-we-have-funded/st-peter-st-paul-church-great-casterton/</a> "We fund small local organisations and large national institutions. Our grants range from £1,000 to several million pounds, depending on each charity's size and scope of work. Our grants can be for your organisation's running costs, for a specific activity or for capital projects. We are flexible and fund what charities need the most". Normally, our capital grants are no more than 10% of a total project cost. However, for local community projects (e.g. village halls, community centres, places of worship, etc.), grants are likely to be no greater than £30,000 regardless of the project size. In our experience, evidence of local fundraising activity shows how much your local community values your organisation. So please tell us what you are doing to raise funds locally – it's the activity not necessarily the amounts we're interested in.</p>
Postcode Society Trust	<a href="#">FAQs   Postcode Society Trust</a>	£500-£2,500	Round 3 open 26/8 - 2/9	Funded by People's Postcode Lottery. One of their themes is responding to the climate emergency. Prioritises organisations with an income below £250k

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Green Hall Foundation	<a href="#">Greenhall Foundation – A Registered UK Charity</a>	£1k-10k	Trustees meet in May and November; November only for charities with income <£250k. Nov meeting applications open 2 Sep 24 and close when 150 applications have been received	The objective of the <b>Green Hall Foundation</b> is to sustainably improve lives: among the sick, the elderly, the disabled and the disadvantaged particularly in the UK. Overseas project are also supported provided that the applicant charity is registered in the UK. Preference is given to appeals where the Foundation can meet a significant proportion of the funding required and to appeals where permanent equipment or building is required as opposed to funding salaries or the charity running costs.
Energy Resilience Fund	<a href="http://thekeyfund.co.uk/funding/community-business-fund-2/">thekeyfund.co.uk/funding/community-business-fund-2/</a>			This might be relevant if there is a community business, e.g. an environmental network or similar, which operates out of a church building like a village hall or similar. It's financing and you have to have been declined finance by a bank, but with the potential for a grant and also an energy audit grant if one has not been completed. The community business would need to apply rather than the PCC.
The Rotherwick Foundation	<a href="#">The Rotherwick Foundation</a>			the advancement of religion and other charitable works and of the maintenance of churches;
Delamere Dairy Foundation	<a href="#">Home - Delamere Dairy Foundation</a>	£1k-5k	31/08/2024; think it's quarterly	Probably for things like community gardens; protection of the environment
Chalk Cliff Trust	<a href="#">Home (chalkclifftrust.org)</a>	£3k-5k		Community; environment. Doesn't have to be project costs, can also be seed funding or core administrative costs
Ian Askew Charitable Trust	<a href="#">Charity overview. THE IAN ASKEW CHARITABLE TRUST - 264515. Register</a>	Mostly £1k		Community; environment. Have given to Lewes District Churches. Based in Sussex, South East geographic preference
High Weald Nature and Community Fund	<a href="#">High Weald Nature and Community Fund - High Weald</a>	Small grants: £500-£20k. Large grants for collaborative projects: up to £100k	Reopens in 2025	High Weald specific. Creation of new, wildlife-friendly green spaces; improve habitats; engage communities in the management of green spaces. Must have a demonstrable public benefit.
Little Cheyne Court Wind Farm Fund	<a href="#">Little Cheyne Court Wind Farm Fund - Sussex Community Foundation</a>	£500-£7.5k	27/09/2024	Administered through Sussex Community Foundation. Geographically specific: must be within around 6 miles of Dungeness, so only really available for Rye and surrounding area. Core costs or minor capital expenditure. Community or environment are both priorities but seems quite general.
Rampion Community Benefit Fund	<a href="#">Rampion Community Benefit Fund - Sussex Community Foundation</a>	Up to £20k	Closed for 2024	Administered through Sussex Community Foundation. 2024 priority was grants of up to £20,000 for capital projects to improve community buildings in terms of energy conservation /renewable energy generation. St Matt's, Worthing got a grant in 2024. The Fund will support new or improved community buildings/village halls through energy conservation (reducing energy use) and renewable energy generation to reduce CO2 emissions, raise awareness of energy solutions and provide lasting benefits to community organisations through annual energy cost savings. For capital projects for community buildings, we recommend carrying out a building energy audit to inform your proposals. Also supports community projects up to £10k. Geographically specific: Littlehampton to Beachy Head and up to the A272 near Twineham.



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Chapman Charitable Trust	<a href="#">Guidelines — Chapman Charitable Trust</a>	£1k-6k on average	Trustees meetings in March and September each year; application in by the month before	Nature Conservation and our Natural Environment priority: We also support projects which seek to reduce human impacts on biodiversity and natural systems, particularly through reducing waste and reducing use of fossil fuels. Applications for projects under this heading which engage local communities or children or provide benefits to disadvantaged groups are also encouraged. Have donated to A Rocha UK in 2023, Climate Resilience Centre Worthing. Geographically specific, priority area includes all of East and West Sussex.
The Benham Charitable Settlement	<a href="#">Charity overview, THE BENHAM CHARITABLE SETTLEMENT - 239371, Reg</a>	Generally seems to be under £2k but a few at £5k		Priorities include Christian mission and church maintenance. Although they specify that their priority area is Northamptonshire, they donated to a church in West Wittering and one in Chichester in 2023.
Horsham District Council	<a href="#">Community Climate Fund   Horsham District Council</a>	up to £5k	1st-31st October 2024; 1st-31st January 2025	Community Climate Fund; not-for-profit organisations seeking to create a new project that will reduce carbon emissions through at least one category of energy, water, waste, biodiversity or transport. Nature Recovery Award; Only projects that improve habitats for Wildlife are eligible for this award. Amenities for people, education projects or survey work, for example, fall outside its remit.
The Belgae Trust	<a href="#">Charity   The Belgae Trust</a>	up to £3k		Under the conservation of the environment strand. Priority is Hampshire but they say they do occasionally fund neighbouring counties
Beaverbrook Foundation	<a href="#">Grants - Beaverbrook Foundation</a>	up to £5k		Variety of awards made, including health and old age, education, including the provision of scholarship awards, maintenance allowances or grants, and the Christian faith. Grants typically under £5,000 and can be made for building expenditure, revenue/running costs and special projects.
G C Gibson Charitable Trust	<a href="#">GC Gibson Charitable Trust   Intro (gcgct.org)</a>	small	1st August 2025 reopens	The majority of donations are recurring as the trustees recognise the importance of helping charities with their core expenditure. However consideration is also given to capital or special projects but not the fabric of church buildings. £16k spend on religion priority last financial year. Possibly more likely to fund community projects, but no reason this couldn't include
W G Edwards Charitable Trust	<a href="#">W.G.Edwards Charitable Foundation » Funding Guidance. (wgedwardscharitablefoundation.org.uk)</a>	average £1.5k	Quarterly	Capital projects but must be for parishes who have projects with the over 65s, or at least 80% of participants are over 65. Also not planning stages of building projects.
Solar Farms - Oving	<a href="#">Grant Funds Available – Oving Community</a>	Small - £11k total p.a.	Rolling applications	Projects with an environmental or social benefit to the community of Oving parish
The Stobart Sustainability Fund	<a href="#">The Stobart Sustainability Fund   Stobart (eddiestobart.com)</a>	Unspecified	Rolling applications	Aimed at supporting community-led sustainability projects and initiatives lead by not-for-profit organisations, community groups and educational facilities, such as schools and colleges, to help transform their local community through projects that tackle climate change, reduce carbon emissions or that protect and enhance the environment.

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The Tree Council Branching Out Fund	<a href="#">Branching Out Fund - The Tree Council</a>	£250-2.5k	1st December 2024	The Tree Council grant for community groups, schools, small registered charities, and Tree Warden Networks seeking to establish trees, hedgerows, and orchards. Projects must be completed by late March 2025.
Foyle Foundation small grants	<a href="#">Small Grants Scheme Guidelines – The Foyle Foundation</a>	£2k-10k	31st January 2025	We make single grants only (no multi-year grants) towards core costs (including supporting salaries), projects, essential equipment or building projects. Our priority will be to support local charities still active in their communities which are currently delivering services to the young, vulnerable, elderly, disadvantaged or the general community. If applying for funding towards a capital project please apply towards the end of your fundraising campaign, when the majority of funding has been raised and you have an estimated start date for the works. If your application is successful, the pledged grant offer is only valid for 12 months. Please note that the Foundation does not fund feasibility studies. Applicants must show how any grant will make a significant difference to their current work. NB The Foyle Foundation is winding down its grant giving so applications are extremely competitive.
Schroder Charity Trust	<a href="#">Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) - Schroder Charity Trust</a>	Up to £5k	Rolling applications	Environment and Conservation / Strengthening Communities priority (they seem to fund charities whose core work fits those priorities, so I would go for an environment ask for a strengthening communities core charitable activity). Small capital costs as opposed to a contribution to a large capital project.
Ferry Farm Solar Community Retrofit Surveys	<a href="#">Funded Retrofit Surveys   Ferryfarmsolar</a>			Funded energy audits for community buildings in Selsey and Sidlesham
Crowdfund East Sussex	<a href="#">Crowdfund East Sussex   East Sussex County Council</a>			ESCC have a crowdfunding platform; some projects will be eligible for a contribution from the Community Wellness Fund up to £5k
Miller Homes Community Fund	<a href="#">Miller Homes Community Fund   Improve Your Community</a>	£250-£2.5k		Donations from the fund can be used in a variety of ways to meet the needs and aspirations of people in the area where you live. Our fund will focus on causes that: are linked to education/promote wellbeing/promote the environment/encourage participation in sport. I know they have a new development near Chichester.
Van Neste Foundation	<a href="#">Van Neste Foundation</a>		Trustees meet three times per year, usually January, June and October	<p>The Trustees of The Van Neste Foundation believe that social and environmental issues are interlinked and whilst we do not see ourselves as an environmental charity we do think that humans face an unprecedented environmental crisis which is bringing with it social pressures on a scale that we have not seen before. Social Change</p> <p>We want to encourage organisations that seek to change society in a positive way. We want to support community organisations trying include those who have become marginalised, either as a group or as individuals. We want to give to those who want to promote a sense of place and environmental improvement whether that be urban or rural.</p> <p>Finally we want to back those whose work encourages the systemic change necessary to alleviate poverty and make us a more just and less unequal society.</p>

Name	Website	Amount	Next funding round	Priorities and notes
Swire Charitable Trust	<a href="#">Our work - The Swire Charitable Trust</a>	Less than 10% of turnover	Rolling applications	<p>Connecting people to the environment: We fund charities that inspire and motivate individuals and communities to enhance our natural and built environment and help guide those who wish to live more sustainably. They fund core costs so potentially salaries/fees for an environmental community advocate. This is a large grant-maker so would potentially be a complex application; around 70% of applications are unsuccessful, per their website</p>