

SOUTH BRENT COMMUNITY BENEFIT FUND



Guidelines for applicants

The fund is the direct result of the solar farm operating on land at Marley Thatch Farm. From 2013 for ten years £6,300 per year will be paid to the Parish Council for this fund by the operating company. The fund is not for the general use of the Parish Council. The fund will be administered by the Parish Council.

Please read the guidelines for applicants before completing the form.

Who can apply?

Community groups, charitable organisations and individuals residing in the parish of South Brent may make an application and the fund is primarily for the benefit of the community of South Brent. (Statutory bodies may not apply.)

Individuals not resident in the parish but associated with South Brent organisations can also apply. Please use the appropriate application form.

Where the application is to enable an individual to participate in a South Brent organisation activity, the organisation should make the application.

Categories

The fund is to be used for charitable, educational, environmental and/or amenity purposes within the area of the community with preference being given to purposes that promote sustainability.

The fund shall not be used for political, religious, entertainment or hospitality purposes, or for any purpose adverse to the operator's interest in the scheme.

How much can be applied for?

Applications for £100-250 (attached) may be submitted to the clerk to South Brent Parish Council clerk@southbrent.gov.uk by 15 January, 15 April, 15 July or 15 October.

Applications for more than £250 (maximum up to £1,000 or 50% of the project cost, whichever is the lower figure, within the capabilities of the fund) should be submitted by 30 April.

Grants will only be paid to a bank so every application should include relevant details.

Any award may have conditions attached which may include a presentation at the Annual Parish Meeting and confirmation that the award was spent on the project.

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Applicants are reminded that other sources of funding exist in the area;

South Brent Parish Council, clerk@southbrent.gov.uk 01364 72894

Sustainable South Brent Sustainability Fund,

<http://www.sustainablesouthbrent.org.uk> 01364 73665

Feoffees, southbrent@luscombemaye.com 01364 646170

Traders Calendar, mavis.hewitt@hotmail.co.uk 01364 72972

SBCES Community Benefit Fund, www.sbces.org.uk

County Cllr Rosemary Rowe: rose.rowe@devon.gov.uk 01803 782222

District Cllr Cathie Pannell Cllr.Pannell@southhams.gov.uk 01364 72275

District Cllr Peter Smerdon Cllr.Smerdon@southhams.gov.uk 01364 642207

Town And Parish (TAP) Fund guidelines

<http://www.southhams.gov.uk/CHttpHandler.ashx?id=1164&p=0>