

CHILHAM PARISH COUNCIL

POLICY FOR ASSESSING RECYCLING FUND BIDS

The following types of bids will be considered:-

a) Capital Bids

Bids up to £1,000 will be considered for equipment and other items of a capital nature. The Council may set conditions around agreed sums such as match funding and evidence of income generating initiatives. Funds will normally be released upon completion of order placed but where staged payments are demanded by a supplier or provider- the CPC will endeavour to be supportive.

b) Revenue Bids

Bids up to £1,000 will be considered to support recurring or extraordinary revenue expenditure. However, the bidder should be able to demonstrate that it is a sustainable entity and that the bid is to encourage and pump prime initiatives for the future. Funding may be agreed on a tapered basis over a period not exceeding three years.

c) Individual Parishioner Support

The CPC will consider bids to support individual parishioners where this will provide outstanding opportunities for deserving individuals to receive professional guidance in the areas of sport, music, culture and the arts. Grants may be agreed up to a sum of £250.

Bids will also be assessed against the following criteria:-

- i) the community as a whole;
- ii) youth in the parish;
- iii) seniors in the parish;
- iv) the environment
- v) other funding

4th September, 2012.