

Ward Flexibility Funding Application Form

Thank you for your interest in Stockport Council's Ward Flexibility Fund. To give your group the best chance of success please read the guidance notes and the questions on the application form carefully.

Please ensure that all boxes on this form are completed. You must also include all additional information that is requested.

1. About Your Organisation						
1. Name of	Organisation/ Group					
STOCKPO	RT CANAL BOAT TRUS	ST				
2. Organisa	ation/Individual Addres	SS				
3. Main Co	ntact Details (for corre	spondence)				
Title: MRS						
Name: SUE	E WOODGATE					
Role:	CHAIRMAN					
Address:						
Postcode:						
Home Phor	ne Number:					
Mobile Pho	ne Number:					
Email Addre	ess:					

4. Please provide your bank ac	ccount details					
Account Name:						
Account Number:						
Sort Code:						
5. What is the status of your Operator Please Tick	rganisation/ G	roup?				
A New Group		Voluntary Organisation				
A Registered Charity No. 1075844	\boxtimes	Company Limited by Guarantee No. 1075844	\boxtimes			
Applying for Charitable Status		Unregistered Association				
Friendly Society		Other (Please specify)				
Housing Association						
6. Please describe the main ac	tivities of you	Organisation/ Group				
To provide accessible narrowboat trips for people with additional needs their families and carers on the High Peak and Macclesfield Canals						
7. When was your Organisation/Group established? 1981						
	_	policies and procedures in place to send copies of all relevant docum				
A governance/management con	nmittee	\boxtimes				
A Constitution/governing document/set of rules						
An Equal Opportunities Policy		\boxtimes				
A Child Protection Policy (NOT NECESSARY)						
A Health and Safety Public liabil	lity	\boxtimes				

2. About Your Application

9. Please give us a brief description of your proposed/planned project or activity

As a result of the development of the houses and the new service yard at the wharf in Marple, our previous arrivals departure area which we had developed over the years, into and attractive place for both our passengers, boaters arriving in Marple and local people was demolished. A new service area has been created however this is now just bare stone with no attractive features or seating. We plan to work with Marple Men In Sheds to develop this area into both an attractive and supportive area for our clients and an attractive waterway frontage between the Wharf transhipment shed and the new houses. This will be done by providing seating, planting and features such as bird boxes to support wildlife. The initial phase is to build to 2 secure waterways themed seats to enable passengers to wait safely at the beginning and end of the trips. The design of the seats and their location has been agreed with CRT the landlords at the yard.

10. Who will benefit from this grant?

All users of New Horizon and eventually users of the Community building on site.

The people who will build the seats at Men in Sheds.

The local community as we develop ideas on how to use this area for community events such as SANTA on New Horizons.

10(a) How Many Stockport residents will benefit?

Up to 2000 per annum.

10(b) Are there any restrictions on who will benefit from the funding?

11. Your Project's Budget

Please provide a breakdown of cost for your project including VAT where applicable and submit any estimates for the purchase of equipment or work to be done.

- **11(a)** How much will the project/activity cost in total? Men in Sheds have indicated that the materials required will cost £500. Labour, installations costs etc will be covered by MIS
- 11(b) Tell us about other any other sources of income you have already applied for or raised so far in relation to this project

None.

- **12.** How much are you applying for from the Ward Flexibility Budget? £300
- 12(a) If the amount you are applying for covers only part of the project/activity, then please tell us how do you intend to fund any shortfall?

Sponsorship and reserves.

13. What is the planned timescale for spending this grant?

Early Summer 2024

Start ASAP

Finish - Hopefully the build will be completed and installed by July.

3. Which Wards are you Applying to?

You may tick more than one box. Please note that no grant of more than £1,000 in totality will ordinarily be made.

Please tell us for each ward you wish to make an application to:-

- (a) how many people will benefit in that ward; and
- (b) what proportion of funding from your overall application you are seeking from each ward.

		Number of beneficiaries	How much funding you are seeking
Bramhall & Cheadle Hulme South Area Co	mmittee		
Bramhall North			£
Bramhall South & Woodford			£
Cheadle Hulme South			£
Central Stockport Area Committee			
Brinnington & Stockport Central			£
Davenport & Cale Green			£
Edgeley			£
Manor			£
Cheadle Area Committee			
Cheadle East & Cheadle Hulme North			£
Cheadle West & Gatley			£
Heald Green			£
Heatons & Reddish Area Committee			
Heatons North			£
Heatons South			£
Reddish North			£
Reddish South			£
Marple Area Committee			
Marple North	\boxtimes	1000	£150
Marple South & High Lane	\boxtimes	1000	£150
Stepping Hill Area Committee			
Hazel Grove			£
Norbury & Woodsmoor			£
Offerton			£
Werneth Area Committee			
Bredbury & Woodley			£
Bredbury Green & Romiley			£
	Totals		£300
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This total should add up to the figure you provided in **Question 12**



4. Application Checklist and Declaration

1.	I am authorised to make this application on behalf of the above organisation	\boxtimes		
2.	I certify that the information contained in this application is correct	\boxtimes		
3.	If the information changes in any way I will inform Democratic Services accordingly.	\boxtimes		
4.	I give permission for Democratic Services to contact my organisation and/or myself by phone, mail or e-mail with information about its activities and funding opportunities.	\boxtimes		
5.	I/ we agree (if required) to attend an Area Committee meeting to explain how the proposal will improve the environmental, economic or social wellbeing of the area and to answer any questions.	\boxtimes		
6.	Our details can be used for promotional purposes should this request be successful	\boxtimes		
7.	I/We will use this grant for the proposed project/activities stated in our application.	\boxtimes		
8.	I/we will not use the grant for any other purpose prior to contacting Democratic Services in order to seek authorisation.	\boxtimes		
9.	I/we will provide appropriate proof of expenditure to Democratic Services, within 12 months from the Grant being made.	\boxtimes		
10.	I/we will highlight the support of the Area Committee in recent publicity material.	\boxtimes		
11.	I/we agree to providing information to assist in the future monitoring of the effectiveness of the funding including reporting back to the Area Committee on how the grant has been spent and what difference it has made.	\boxtimes		
12.	I/we agree that the content of this completed application form and any supplementary information provided may be published on the Council's website and other publications as part of the application process.	\boxtimes		
Print your name: S. G. Woodgate Signature:				
or if submitted electronically tick this box to signify your agreement to the above terms				
Date:	15/4/24			