

Appendix A

Reference	XCWDGBKB	Community Chest Grant		
Name of Organisation	St Nicholas Church Parochial Church Council			
Organisation Type	Charity			
CCVS Registered	No			
Parish	Great Wilbraham			
Landowner	St Nicholas Church			
Project Type	Equipment / capital purchase			
Green option considered?	Shed is made entirely from recyclable steel, with no plastic components. Rainwater harvesting will be carried out from the roof			
Documentation Status	Safeguarding	Yes	Accounts	Yes
	Quote	Yes	Mission Statement	Yes
District Councillor Support	Yes – Cllr Graham Cone and Cllr Carla Hoffman			
Parish Council Support – does the PC support this project in principle	Have not asked			
Have the parish council supported the group financially previously? If yes when, what did the group purchase? and how much?	No			
Officer Summary				

The Parochial Church Council (PCC) is the executive committee for the Church of England Parish of St Nicholas in Great Wilbraham. It is a charitable trust formed in 1956 and nine PCC members are trustees.

The churchyard is visited by many people throughout the year, some tending to relatives' graves, but others coming to enjoy the walk in a quiet green space. It has attracted birdwatchers from all over the country as it has been home to the rare Spotted Flycatcher for a number of years. The increase in rewilding parts of the space has brought a greater variety of wildlife to the area and makes it more attractive to the community. It is also a crucial part of the Safe Route to School for a large number of pupils of the nearby Primary School and their parents/carers.

Regular maintenance of the whole churchyard ensures it is safe and pleasant for all who visit or pass through it. This is done carefully so as to contribute to the aims of the Conservation area within which it sits. The PCC has recently joined many other churches in the Cambridgeshire Churchyard Conservation Award Scheme and were presented with a bronze award for the first year. Plans are already in place so that they can improve on this.

A new ride on petrol mower is needed as the existing mower is now beyond economic repair. Secure housing is needed to store the mower along with other equipment used to maintain the churchyard. Funding for a shed made entirely from recyclable steel, with no plastic components is required for this purpose. The shed needs to be secure police approved shed to minimise insurance costs which would be prohibitively high otherwise.

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Total costs are £2,378 and £2,000 has been requested from the Community Chest:

- [7'4" x 10' 11" shed](#)- £2,078
- Concrete base- £150
- Shuttering (part of the base construction-wooden frame into which the concrete is poured)- £150 (labour to be carried out by volunteers).

Plans are to carry out rainwater harvesting from the roof to help provide water for the churchyard during dry times.

The Parish Council is unable to support any projects or maintenance work for the Church.

Cllr Graham Cone:

Thanks for info on this, happy to support grant application, keep me updated going forward happy to help wherever I can.

Cllr Carla Hoffman:

Yes I will be happy to support it.

Total Project Cost:	£2,378	Total Applied For:	£2,000
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[Community-Led Plan Application](#)

Reference	SFVRDFRZ	Community Chest Grant		
Name of Organisation	Litlington Parish Council			
Organisation Type	Parish Council			
CCVS Registered	No			
Parish	Litlington			
Landowner	N/A			
Project Type	CLP Start-up costs			
Green option considered?	N/A			
Documentation Status	Safeguarding	Yes	Accounts	Yes
	Quote	Yes	Mission Statement	Yes
District Councillor Support	Yes- Cllr Susan van de ven			
Parish Council Support – does the PC support this project in principle	Yes-application is from the Parish Council			
Have the parish council supported the group financially previously? If yes when, what did the group purchase? and how much?	Application is from the Parish Council			
Officer Summary				

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Litlington Parish Council previously undertook a [Community Led Plan](#) back in 2015. A new Plan is now needed, the results of which will enable the Parish Council to agree on future initiatives and how best to spend the precept in the community.

A copy of the questionnaire is provided in **Appendix C**

Total known expenditure to date, excluding the analysis of data is £631 and £531 has been requested from the Community Chest for the printing costs:

- printing of 330 A4 questionnaires- £222
- printing of 100 A4 copies of the final Plan-£309
- prize draw-£100

The CLP working group are aware that there will also be costs associated with the analysis of the data on the returned questionnaires but currently they have no firm quotations. The working group also intend to provide a £100 prize draw as an incentive for residents to return the questionnaire (applicant has been contacted to see who will fund this £100).

Cllr Susan van de ven:

I've read through the questionnaire for the Community Led Plan and am really inspired by the comprehensive scope of it. I would enthusiastically support the parish council's application and am always mindful of the strategic way that the PC seeks to improve services for village residents, and community life generally.

Total Project Cost:	£631	Total Applied For:	£531
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