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SSG assessment and recommendations 2023/24 to 2025/25

Table 1 (below) shows the key details of each application and the final panel score both in percentage and points out of 5 (with Table 2 explaining the point values below).

Organisation	Theme	Amount applied for Annually £	Officer Panel Score (Average)	%
Arts & Minds	MHW	£6,000	3.50	70%
Farmland Museum	ACH	£10,000	4.00	80%
Home Start	MHW, AS	£13,711	4.20	84%
Citizens Advice	AS	£100,000	4.60	92%
Cambridge Dial a Ride	IL	£15,000	3.25	65%
Care Network Cambridgeshire	MHW, IL, VCS	£23,009	4.20	84%
Cambridge Council for Voluntary Service	VCS	£11,400	4.70	94%
Cambridgeshire Older People's Enterprise	MHW, IL, VCS, ACH	£3,333	3.90	78%
Disability Huntingdonshire	AS	£34,186	4.10	82%
Royston & District Community Transport	IL	£7,000	4.00	80%
Reach Community Projects	AS	£10,000	4.20	84%
The Voluntary Network	MHW, VCS	£8,807	4.20	84%

Legend	
Mental Health and Wellbeing	MHW
Advice Services	AS
Independent Living	IL
Support for the voluntary and community sector	VCS
Arts, Culture and Heritage	ACH

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Table 2

Evaluation of answers under each heading	Scoring
Proposals meet the required standard in all material respects	5
Proposals meet the required standard in most material respects, but are lacking or inconsistent in others	4
Proposals fall short of achieving expected standard in a number of identifiable respects	3
Proposals significantly fail to meet the standards required, contain significant shortcomings and/or are inconsistent with other proposals	2
Completely fail to meet required standard	1
Nil response (no answer provided)	0

Table 3 Shows the recommendations for grants following further consultation with the Lead Member for Resources, Chair of Grants Advisory Committee and Lead Cabinet Member for Communities. This table fully allocates the available funding.

Organisations	Requested Amounts	Mental Health and Wellbeing	Advice Services	Independent Living	Support for the voluntary and community sector	Arts, Culture and Heritage
		£17,711.00	£111,289.00	£27,000.00	£11,400.00	£0.00
Farmland	£10,000.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
CCVS	£11,400.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£11,400.00	£0.00
CDAR	£15,000.00	£0.00	£0.00	£5,000.00	£0.00	£0.00
CNC	£23,009.00	£0.00	£0.00	£8,000.00	£0.00	£0.00
COPE	£3,333.00	£0.00	£0.00	£2,000.00	£0.00	£0.00
RDCT	£7,000.00	£0.00	£0.00	£7,000.00	£0.00	£0.00
TVN	£8,807.00	£0.00	£0.00	£5,000.00	£0.00	£0.00
CAB	£100,000.00	£0.00	£100,000.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Reach	£10,000.00	£0.00	£5,000.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
DISH	£34,186.00	£0.00	£6,289.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Home start	£13,711.00	£13,711.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Arts & Minds	£6,000.00	£4,000.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Total		£17,711.00	£111,289.00	£27,000.00	£11,400.00	£0.00
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Organisation and summary of activity

Farmland Museum

Provide a valuable visitor attraction and leisure amenity for the benefit of residents of South Cambridgeshire. Working towards the development of a sustainable business model.

Arts & Minds

To provide a rolling series of Arts on Prescription in Cambridge and one series outside of Cambridge for adults experiencing depression, stress or anxiety. To be attended by a minimum of 7 South Cambs residents with an aspirational target of 21.

Home Start Royston & South Cambridgeshire

To provide outreach support to families in crisis or under stress in South Cambridgeshire.

Citizens Advice (CAB)

The four Citizens Advice organisations covering South Cambridgeshire offer: free, independent, confidential advice service to South Cambridgeshire residents; in person over the phone, by email and online.

Cambridge Dial-a-Ride (CDAR)

Provides local transport services via a Membership Scheme that are safe, affordable, and accessible to community groups and to individuals who have difficulty in accessing public transport.

Care Network Cambridgeshire (CNC)

Support communities to involve local people to support each other both individually and through groups and activities. Specifically through community transport and independent living schemes.

Cambridge Council for Voluntary Service (CCVS)

Provide support services to community and voluntary groups in South Cambridgeshire; support and advise parish councils on community related projects and advise on non-statutory governance matters and to provide representation on the behalf of the Voluntary and Community Sector in South Cambridgeshire.

Cambridgeshire Older People's Enterprise (COPE)

To develop the capacity and skills of members of the socially disadvantaged community of older people within Cambridgeshire so they are better able to identify and help meet their needs and to participate more fully in society. To disseminate news and information of interest to older people in South Cambridgeshire and provide representation of older people on some public sector meetings and groups as appropriate.

Disability Huntingdon (DISH)

Provide South Cambridgeshire residents with disabilities, and their families and carers, with an advice and information service, at an accessible location or, where necessary, in the client's home.

Royston & District Community Transport (RDCT)

Provide a transport service for the benefit of those persons who do not have access to a private car and are unable to use public transport. Their role is to develop, deliver and publicise flexible community transport services across the District in conjunction with other service providers.

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REACH Community Projects

To tackle poverty in and around Haverhill, providing outreach debt advice, and income maximisation services via home visits in villages in the South East of South Cambridgeshire with monthly surgeries in Linton.

The Voluntary Network (TVN)

Provide a transport service for the benefit of those persons who do not have access to a private car and are unable to use public transport. Their role is to deliver and publicise flexible transport services to South Cambridgeshire residents in the Haverhill area.