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To all Members of the West Bridgford Special Expenses and Community Infrastructure Levy Advisory Group

Dear Councillor

A Meeting of the West Bridgford Special Expenses and Community Infrastructure Levy Advisory Group will be held on Tuesday, 12 March 2024 at 4.00 pm in the Council Chamber Area A, Rushcliffe Arena, Rugby Road, West Bridgford to consider the following items of business.

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Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Gemma'.

Gemma Dennis
Monitoring Officer

AGENDA

1. Apologies for Absence
2. Declarations of Interest

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3. Minutes of the Meeting held on 11 December 2023 (Pages 1 - 6)
4. Expressions of Interest Consultation Responses for the Group to Consider (Pages 7 - 58)

Membership

Chair: Councillor D Viridi
Councillors: J Chaplain, S Dellar, R Mallender, P Matthews, A Phillips, D Polenta, G Wheeler and J Wheeler

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MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WEST BRIDGFORD SPECIAL EXPENSES AND COMMUNITY INFRASTRUCTURE LEVY ADVISORY GROUP MONDAY, 11 DECEMBER 2023

Held at 3.00 pm in the Council Chamber Area A, Rushcliffe Arena, Rugby Road,
West Bridgford

PRESENT:

Councillors D Virdi (Chair), J Chaplain, S Dellar, R Mallender, A Phillips,
D Polenta, G Wheeler and J Wheeler

OFFICERS IN ATTENDANCE:

J Bate

Team Manager - Planning,
Monitoring and Implementation
Democratic Services Officer

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APOLOGIES:

Councillors P Matthews

10 Declarations of Interest

As Borough and Ward Councillors for some of the Expressions of Interest applications being discussed, Councillor J Wheeler, Councillor D G Wheeler and Councillor R Mallender declared a non-pecuniary interest.

11 Minutes of the Meeting held on 9 October 2023

The minutes of the meeting held on 9 October 2023 were approved.

12 Expressions of Interest for the Group to Consider

The Chairman provided a brief overview of the 16 Expressions of Interest (EOI) that had been submitted in this first round of bids for CIL funding, explaining that:

- some are straightforward and meet the eligibility criteria,
- some require further clarification in order to meet the criteria,
- and 2 out of the 16 do not meet the criteria.

The Group were provided with a summary for all 16 EOI and were asked to consider whether the projects meet the criteria set out in the Council's Infrastructure Funding Statement for Neighbourhood CIL and the supplementary Strategic CIL reserves.

The Team Manager – Planning, Monitoring and Implementation reminded the Group of the tight timescales for consultation in the New Year.

The Team Manager – Planning, Monitoring and Implementation explained that CIL reserves have been collected since the Council adopted the Community Infrastructure Levy charge in October 2019.

The Group were advised the total CIL reserves to date amounted to £170,500 in respect of neighbourhood CIL for the West Bridgford Area (15% of the funds collected against developments within that area), with an additional 10% of Strategic CIL also earmarked locally for project categories on the Council's adopted infrastructure list.

Before considering each individual EOI that had been submitted, Members of the Group questioned whether future developers would be able to commit to paying the CIL contributions up front given market forces and what would happen if the housing market slows' and future funding does not come forward. The Team Manager – Planning, Monitoring and Implementation explained that once a development has commenced the developer is committed to pay the CIL contribution and whilst we have an instalment policy it is based on time triggers after commencement, not progress on a development, adding that there is a further £100,000 of CIL funding already expected. The Chairman expressed his concern in relation to the future trajectory, adding that it might be mindful if the Council did not commit 100% of the current reserves.

The Group considered the following EOI for Local Community Proposed Schemes:

NHS Social Prescribing Service – Community Hub

Members questioned why the NHS was asking for funding from the Borough Council and where were they proposing to receive other funding from, they also asked what the CIL funding would actually be spent on and suggested more information be submitted before agreeing to put forward for public consultation.

The Team Manager – Planning, Monitoring and Implementation explained the Council has an obligation to provide healthcare services and this meets the criteria as an enhancement to existing services. The Group were reassured that further detail would need to be provided before funding was granted.

The Group approved the project for community consultation, but sought confirmation of how these projects are funded in other areas.

Better By Bike

The Group noted that the applicant, Nottingham Bikeworks was based in Nottingham City. However, the Group were advised that the submission for CIL funding is based on the expansion of its services within the Borough.

The Group approved the project for community consultation.

Church of the Holy Rood – Path Improvements

The Group approved the project for community consultation.

Notts Gymnastic Academy (NGA) – Café, Office and Viewing Facilities

Members questioned whether there was a conflict of interest with similar provision at the school, Rushcliffe Spencer Academy. Councillor J Wheeler advised that the school and NGA have a shared services agreement and improvements to its provision can only enhance the facilities for the wider community.

The Group approved the project for community consultation.

Little Bounds Cricket Pavilion – Accessible Toilet Renovations

The Group approved the project for community consultation.

Lady Bay Scout Hall – Commemorative Mosaics and Tree Planting

The Group felt this was a modest application and the Scout Hall is used by a number of other community groups.

The Group approved the project for community consultation.

West Bridgford South Trent Girlguiding – Paxdien Hall Renovations

Members questioned the lack of detail in respect of the installation of a leader's accommodation and expressed whether this would benefit the wider community. The Group were happy to support the kitchen and wet room extension and suggested officers seek further clarification in respect of the leader accommodation before agreeing any funding.

The Group approved the project for community consultation, subject for clarification on costs which seemed high for the proposal, particularly in connection with the 'leaders accommodation,' which they considered would be rarely used.

The Hook – Wildlife Pond Restoration

The Group approved the project for community consultation.

Grantham Canal Improvements (Trent Bridge Section) Grantham Canal Management (Lady Bay Section)

The Team Manager – Planning, Monitoring and Implementation advised the Group that both applications had time restraints for when the work was to progress and there was also the potential of duplication or overlapping with elements of one project effecting the other. The Group were mindful that there were too many unknowns with both applications which required a joined-up approach.

The Group recommended both applications be deferred.

Boat Club Balcony Replacement Boat Club – Kitchen Facilities

The Group raised concerns regarding S106 funding from the Nottingham Forest development which would potentially provide the funding for both projects and felt both applications did not meet the criteria as they currently stand.

The Group recommended that both applications be deferred.

St Pauls Wellbeing Hub – Community Bus

The Team Manager – Planning, Monitoring and Implementation advised that a minibus refers to infrastructure which meets the criteria. However, the maintenance and running costs would not be funded and this would be highlighted if the project was successful.

The Group approved the project for community consultation, subject to clarification on future running costs being met outside of CIL and the omission of MOT/Service/Insurance from the bid.

Nottingham Falcons – Korfball Equipment Storage

The Group questioned where the equipment would be stored and asked that more information be provided.

The Group approved the project for community consultation, subject to confirmation on where the proposed storage could be accommodated.

Pedals – Gamston Bridge Crossing

The Group felt this project was not viable as street signage is the statutory obligation of Nottinghamshire County Council as the Highways authority.

The Group recommended the application be refused.

West Bridgford Sport Club – Replacement Tractor

The Group felt replacing the tractor did not enhance or support any new development of the sports club.

The Group recommended the application be refused.

The Group considered four Council proposed schemes for the additional 10% of the strategic element of CIL funding and the Group were asked to note that the funding would also be supported by other match funding streams, for example Sports England.

- **Sir Julian Cahn Pavilion West Park**
- **Alford Road Playing Field**
- **Bridgford Park**
- **Bridge Field**

It was noted that each of the projects were seeking £25,000.

The Group were reminded that the strategic element of CIL has tighter restrictions on where the money can be spent, which is predominantly Council provision of community indoor and outdoor sports.

The Group expressed all four projects would make a real difference within West Bridgford and the wider community, particularly with regard to accessibility and inclusivity, providing a welcome benefit for the Council.

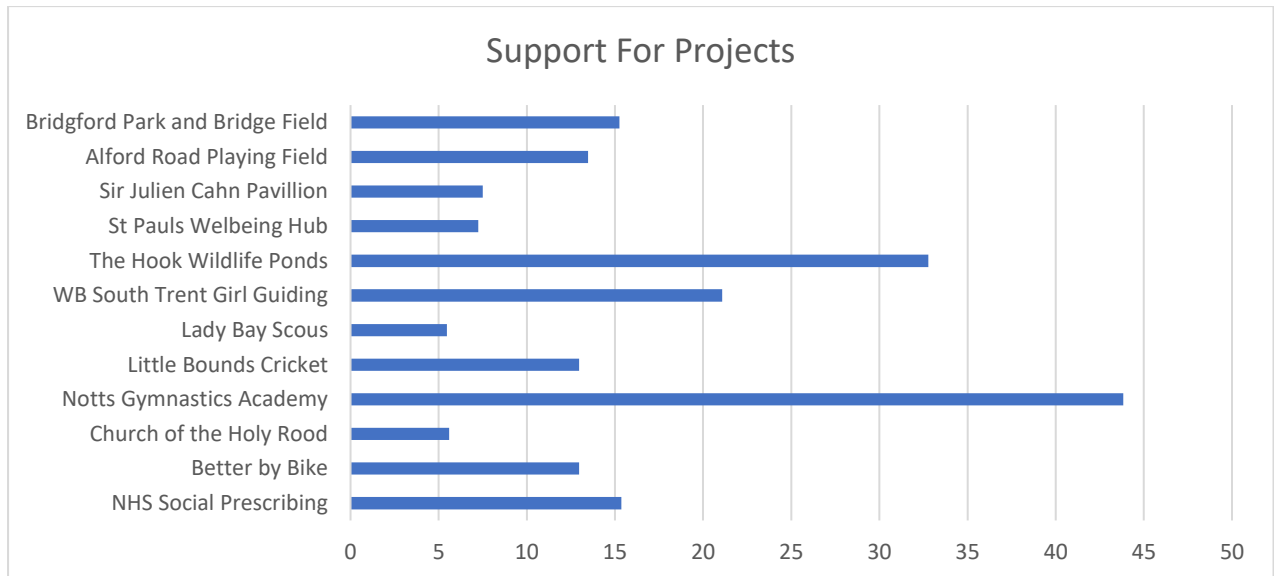
With regards to what happens next in respect of the consultation timescales, the Team Manager – Planning, Monitoring and Implementation explained that the consultation would commence early in the new year for a period of 21 days, adding that the consultation would be publicised on the Council's website, social media platforms, mail shots, community venues and via West Bridgford Wire.

The Group noted that a further meeting would be scheduled in February 2024 to look at the projects in greater detail and agree which projects would be funded. It was also noted that the process would be repeated in 6 months' time when further CIL charges from development sites are received.

The meeting closed at 4.53 pm.

CHAIR

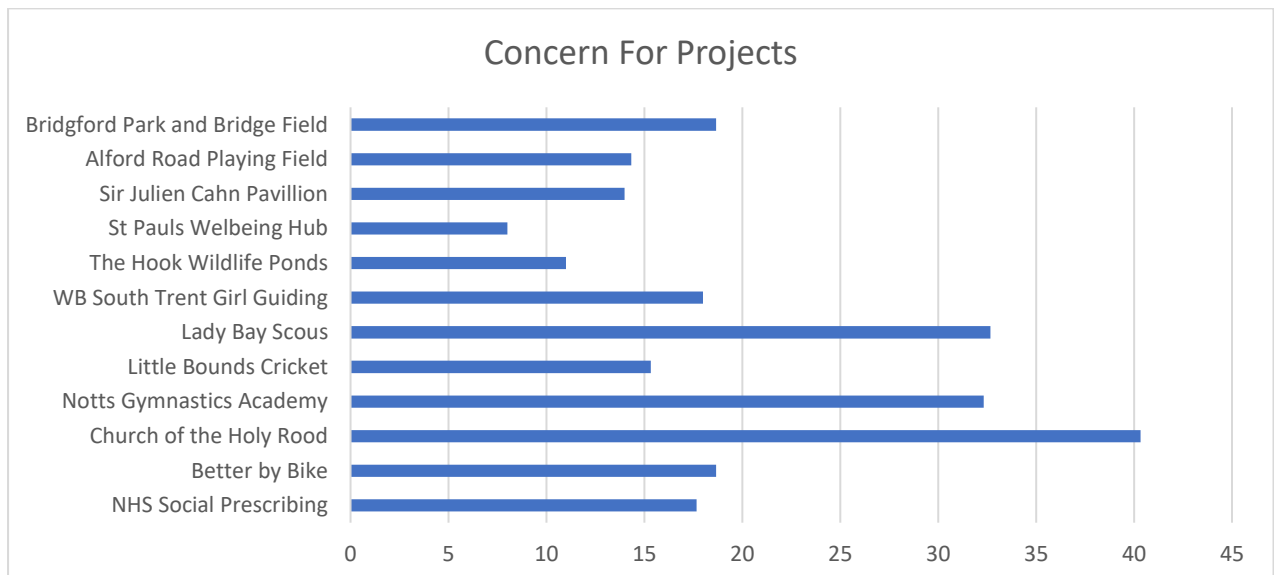
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Graphs:**Project Support**

The greatest levels of support are for Notts Gymnastics Academy, The Hook, and WB Girl Guiding.

NHS Social Prescribing, Bridgford Park/Bridge Field, Alford Road, Elserie Cricket and Better By Bike forming a second cluster of support.

Some of this support may be skewed by bidders canvassing their members/users to up-vote their project and so not representing wider support.

Project Concern

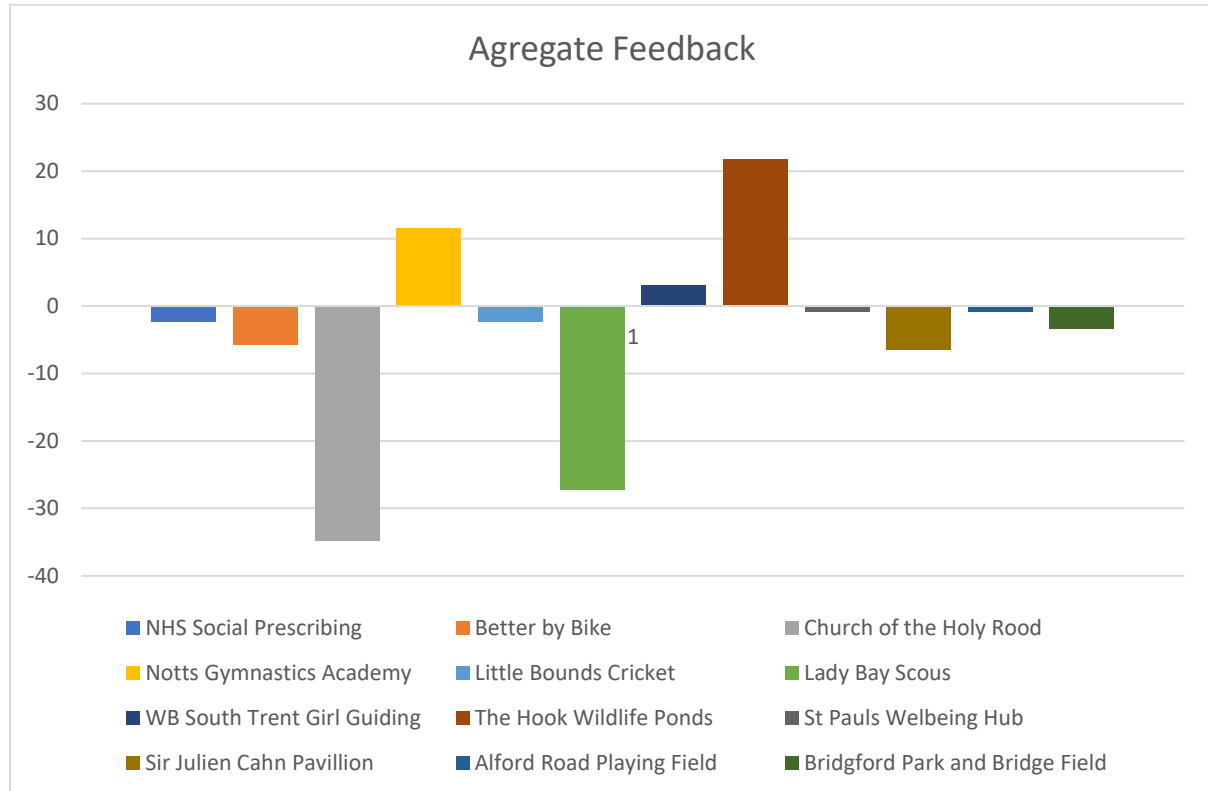
The 'don't support' is considered less likely to be influenced by groups canvassing for support amongst members.

The projects which attract the greatest concern in relation to funding are: Church of Holy Rood Garden, Notts Gymnastics Academy and Lady Bay Scouts. [Notts Gymnastics Academy is interesting](#)

as it features as both a highly supported project, and one which attracts substantial concern (see section in blue on next page).

The least concern is expressed for the St Pauls Wellbeing Hub and The Hook Wildlife Ponds.

Overall Balance; Support-Concern



When aggregating the feedback for each project (subtracting concern from support for each project) We find that the **projects with the least overall support are Lady Bay Scouts and Church of the Holly Rood Garden.**

Most other projects hover around neutral while **Notts Gymnastics Academy and The Hook Wildlife Ponds attract the greatest level of overall support.**

A summary of feedback follows – however it is worth considering that the majority of concerned comments for the least supported projects can be summarised as:

- Don't support projects which 'foster segregation'.
- Don't support religious projects.
- Don't support funding for 'wealthy' organisations.
- Don't support funding for projects that would be able to raise funds themselves relatively easily.
- Comments questioning the 'value for money' of a mosaic signage project.

NGA is interesting as it attracts the highest level of support, but also some of the greatest amount of concern: Most of the positive comments for NGA focus on the benefits of the 'viewing area' part of the proposal, most of the concern is either "supports only a small group – young people specifically interested in gymnastics" or "how does the café element support the work of NGA?" As such it

seems to be the 'café' component which attracts the concerns and the viewing area which is widely supported.

The bid was for £25,000 and this includes furnishings and CCTV equipment totalling to £27,000 (the viewing area would be for CCTV viewing, presumably as it wouldn't be possible to create viewing area which would allow good views of all stations or training areas within the Gym) – if there was concern about CIL funding of the 'Café' element we could be satisfied that our portion of the funding would cover the 'viewing area' component and not the kitchen and café equipment costs.

Summary of Types of Comments Received:

Why We Should Fund:

General Comments

- Young people gain skills and opportunities through scouting and guiding and other youth services and clubs
- Volunteers generally benefit their communities so volunteering projects and organisations should be supported
- Support benefiting local young people with improved facilities
- Whatever is supported should be open/available to all
- Support projects that will struggle to gain funding from other sources
- I've picked largely projects which will improve the whole community's wellbeing and community.
- Support for projects which help the vulnerable and with access to services
- Support for projects believed to have the widest community benefit
- Support for projects which benefit the environment/wildlife

Project Specific Comments

- The Hook pond is a haven for wildlife and used to educate the community including nursery, school and voluntary groups
- Hook benefits wellbeing and mental health
- The hook is currently looking under-maintained and would benefit from works
- Lots of support for NGA on various topics inc
 - Prestige from training national, international and Olympic athletes in the Borough
 - Supports over 1000 children
 - Viewing areas support 'safe and transparent coaching' and safeguarding benefits
 - Supports the health of the community
 - Viewing area would also allow younger gymnasts to watch and learn from the older and more experienced and have somewhere to socialise between training sessions
 - ***Note a small proportion of comments in support of NGA are from members of the public who live outside of West Bridgford**
- Guiding and Scouts are voluntary organisations which benefit young people greatly and deserve support
- Scouts/Guides can help young people with confidence and mental health as well as allowing access to try different activities
- Lack of toilet facilities hampers Elserie Cricket Club **–comments mostly appear to be about only having one gents toilet at present**

- Cricket club has done a lot to increase participation and has increased its junior and youth participation.
- Garden at Holy Rood is a space for contemplation and relaxation for all
- Bikeworks is an asset to Lady Bay and provides a range of second-hand bikes to the local community
- The NHS benefits everyone and should have extra support
- The Sir Julian Cahn building is a fine example of the architecture of it's time and should be preserved as it adds to the character of West Bridgford

Why We shouldn't Fund:

- Groups which 'foster segregation' such as girl guides (limited by gender) shouldn't be funded
- Bids from 'inherently wealthy' bodies – such as the Church – shouldn't be supported
- Social Prescribing should be funded by NHS, Council parks should be funded through Council Tax and other "my taxes already pay for that" type responses
- Likely car biased "bike riders can be a hazard – don't encourage more of them" type comments
- Public funds shouldn't fund 'religious' projects – **a somewhat unexpected number of these comments including some which incorrectly presume involvement of the Catholic Church**
- "wouldn't benefit me / my children" type comments
- "more worthy projects on this list" type comments
- Project could easily find funds from elsewhere (this comment was made in respect of practically all of the bids on the basis of direct wealth or access to other funds– some suggesting that NGA could access Sports England/Lottery Funds, or that The Church Of England is rich so should fund its own works.
- Project would target a small audience – again this one was raised in relation to many of the projects Scouts, Girl Guides, NGA, Better by Bike, Churchyard Paths etc.
- Venues run as a 'business' that charge a hire fee should be self funding so shouldn't need to use public funds (mostly raised in relation to the council projects)
- Some comments questioned how a café would directly benefit the work of NGA
- Comments favouring public venues for funding as they have wider benefits (ie RBC grounds above Ellerslie CC).
- Too much money has already been spent on X – raised in relation to cycling
- Bridge Field should be self-funding – charge the events which take place here.
- Council facilities are already well maintained so don't need the investment

What Else Could We Look to Fund?

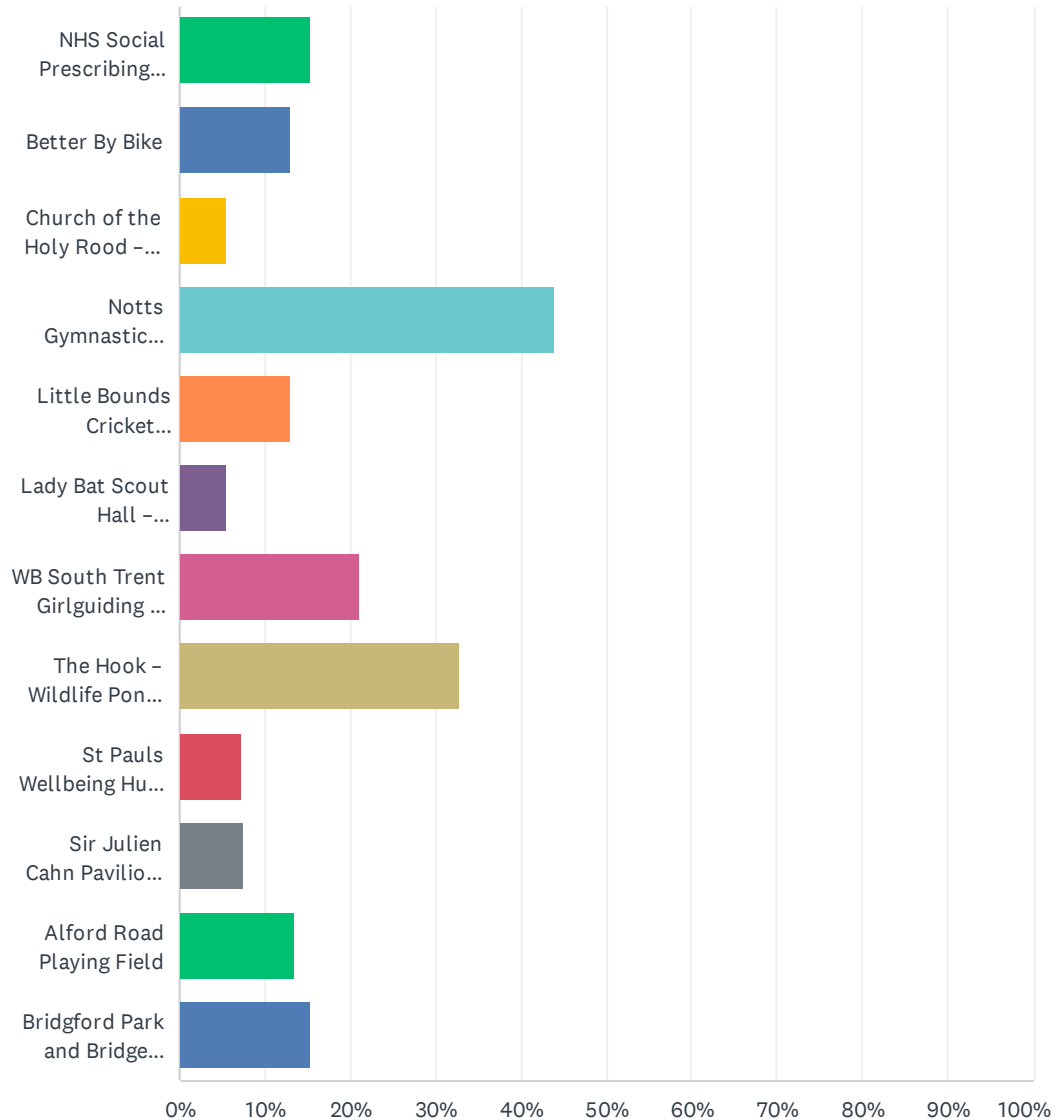
- A small number of "I live elsewhere why not spend money here" comments
- Libraries comes up quite often
- Skate Park / BMX Track
- Public Toilets
- Homelessness
- Mental Health Support
- Support for Foodbanks
- Fixing Potholes
- Subsidise hire costs for clubs
- Support Projects for elderly and vulnerable in their homes

- Tree Planting
- Lady Bay Arts and Todlers groups
- Council should use this money to invest in “flexible energy schemes” solar/wind farms to offset its energy costs
- Gamston Canal mentioned several times
- Play groups
- West Bridgford Operatic Society – Arts are often overlooked and struggle to get funding elsewhere
- Broad support for projects benefiting: Youth, The Elderly, poorer members of local society, The Arts and Sports

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Q1 Which, if any, of the following projects would you support being funded through West Bridgford Neighbourhood CIL funds?

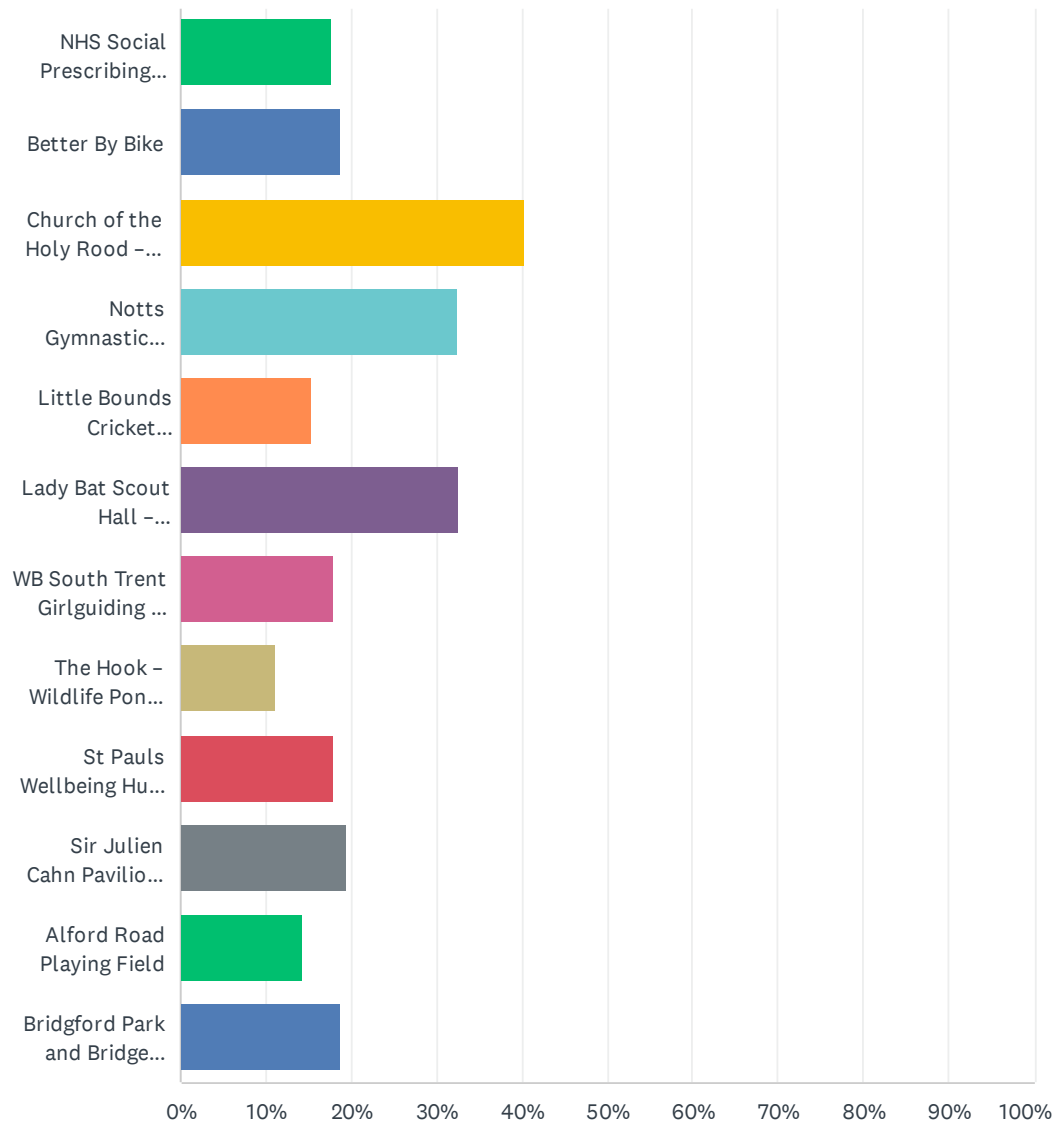
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
NHS Social Prescribing Service – Community Hub	15.37%	121
Better By Bike	12.96%	102
Church of the Holy Rood – Path Improvements	5.59%	44
Notts Gymnastic Academy – Café, Office and Viewing Facilities	43.84%	345
Little Bounds Cricket Pavilion – Accessible Toilet Renovations	12.96%	102
Lady Bat Scout Hall – Commemorative Mosaics and Tree Planting	5.46%	43
WB South Trent Girlguiding – Paxdien Hall Renovations	21.09%	166
The Hook – Wildlife Pond Restoration	32.78%	258
St Pauls Wellbeing Hub – Community Minibus	7.24%	57
Sir Julien Cahn Pavilion West Park	7.50%	59
Alford Road Playing Field	13.47%	106
Bridgford Park and Bridge Field	15.25%	120
Total Respondents: 787		

Q2 Which, if any, of the following projects would you not support being funded through West Bridgford Neighbourhood CIL funds?

Answered: 300 Skipped: 490



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
NHS Social Prescribing Service – Community Hub	17.67%	53
Better By Bike	18.67%	56
Church of the Holy Rood – Path Improvements	40.33%	121
Notts Gymnastic Academy – Café, Office and Viewing Facilities	32.33%	97
Little Bounds Cricket Pavilion – Accessible Toilet Renovations	15.33%	46
Lady Bat Scout Hall – Commemorative Mosaics and Tree Planting	32.67%	98
WB South Trent Girlguiding – Paxdien Hall Renovations	18.00%	54
The Hook – Wildlife Pond Restoration	11.00%	33
St Pauls Wellbeing Hub – Community Minibus	18.00%	54
Sir Julien Cahn Pavilion West Park	19.33%	58
Alford Road Playing Field	14.33%	43
Bridgford Park and Bridge Field	18.67%	56
Total Respondents: 300		

Q3 Where you have indicated support for a project[s] what factors have led to this support? For example, is the bid from a specific group, or groups, which you feel make a valuable contribution locally, or is it more that the proposal would benefit a particular group within local society regardless of the organisation proposing it?

Answered: 550 Skipped: 240

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	This facility not only accommodates daily training facilities for our local gymnastics teams they also run sessions for other recreational group and well being groups who just want to enjoy gymnastics as part of their lives. It is not unusual to see GB gymnastics squad members training at the gym and the academy has nurtured a lot of successful GB team members. As well as training the gym regularly holds regional competitions putting Nottingham on the map as a go to destination. The facility is now very tired and has limited facilities. The entire offering needs upgrading to include better toilets and changing rooms, cafe, waiting area etc.	2/19/2024 9:10 AM
2	The support to Notts Gymnastics Academy would help renovate facilities which can promote a healthy lifestyle and future Olympians for the country. Having already produced medal winning talent in the likes of Max Whitlock, it feels important to continue to support and promote this from a local standpoint.	2/19/2024 8:45 AM
3	Notts Gymnastics facilities in desperate need of improvement.	2/19/2024 7:46 AM
4	Daughter uses the facility	2/19/2024 7:20 AM
5	Girlguiding made a good contribution to the girls in the area. Helping them do activities that they have never dreamt of	2/19/2024 6:31 AM
6	St Paul's is providing community outreach for various groups through various projects.	2/19/2024 1:01 AM
7	I think the girl guiding group make a valuable and very positive contribution locally by leading and guiding the girls to become useful youngsters for the future in our society.	2/18/2024 10:45 PM
8	It will make a valuable contribution	2/18/2024 10:40 PM
9	The young people of Lady Bay greatly benefit from the work done by volunteers in Scouting. The volunteers who work on The Hook make a huge difference to our local Nature Reserve & therefore our community.	2/18/2024 9:41 PM
10	This would make a huge difference to all the families using this facility.	2/18/2024 9:27 PM
11	I think that for the projects I indicated, many people will benefit from the completion of the project. For some is not a renovation but providing a service that wasn't available before.	2/18/2024 9:09 PM
12	Notts Gymnastics Academy provides a fantastic opportunity for a vast number of children & young people to participate in gymnastics at many different levels. It would be great to see them be able to further develop their facilities in order for training sessions to be more visible to parents and also give them a funding stream (cafe) that allow future development of the site & perhaps train future Olympic medallists!	2/18/2024 8:34 PM
13	It is a house of many children who enjoy gymnastics. Great community and the children really struggling to have the facilities they use to have to achieve the skills for competitions. They are suffering!!!	2/18/2024 8:06 PM
14	Would benefit lots of children and help volunteers who work hard	2/18/2024 7:55 PM
15	Guiding in West Bridgford is thriving and the extra funding would give more girls the chance to have sleepovers at Paxdien.	2/18/2024 6:59 PM

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16	N/A	2/18/2024 6:53 PM
17	Notts gymnastics academy is known countrywide for its excellence. Any improvement to the facilities will benefit not only the many gymnasts and their parents/carers, but also the reputation of west bridgford overall.	2/18/2024 5:47 PM
18	The gymnastic group is a great group for young people to develop skills, learn about discipline and encourage sport in young people, particularly with girls in who sport is sometimes harder to encourage	2/18/2024 5:11 PM
19	It would benefit the girl guides in West Bridgford	2/18/2024 5:07 PM
20	High-performance gymnast that frequently trains at the facility	2/18/2024 4:27 PM
21	Girlguiding is an old and much needed organisation. Paxdien hall renovations will benefit hundreds of girls locally and in the region by giving them a safe space for residential activities close to home. Girlguiding is thriving and is supported entirely by volunteers. This facility is desperately needed.	2/18/2024 4:22 PM
22	This facility doesn't currently have a cafe and viewing facilities. Given the number of young people that go to NGA, and the kudos brought to Nottinghamshire through the high standard of gymnasts produced at NGA, it would seem fair for them to get this funding. It is vital for coaches to be able to train gymnasts with parental support and a viewing area is crucial in enabling open and transparent coaching to take place. It's a safeguarding essential.	2/18/2024 4:04 PM
23	Benefit the particular group, which would benefit ourselves additionally	2/18/2024 3:30 PM
24	I have three children who live going to gymnastics and they are in desperate need of funding to get the facilities to a safe and decent standard. This project would benefit lots of children and young people in the community.	2/18/2024 1:59 PM
25	Notts provide exercise to the community of all ages and create a large community among nottingham	2/18/2024 12:47 PM
26	Supports over 1000 children with a healthy and fit start in life through a great foundational sport and at the other end is enabling national, international and Olympic athletes	2/18/2024 12:47 PM
27	It is a great facility but since the departure of the leisure centre has been unloved and forgotten. Especially with the recent school building work parents have no ability to remain on site with their children nor witness the activity in the classes.	2/18/2024 12:44 PM
28	My daughter attends gymnastics sessions and it would benefit from a cafe and viewing area alot, meaning i could stop and watch her progress, but it would also mean the kids have a nice place to visit for breaks.	2/18/2024 12:43 PM
29	Contribution to local facilities	2/18/2024 12:29 PM
30	This is something that I am aware has been needed for a long time and will hugely impact young girls in the local area and offer more opportunities.	2/18/2024 12:11 PM
31	From a specific group, WB South Trent Girlguiding , which provide a valuable outlet for girls in the area.	2/18/2024 11:47 AM
32	Affects my local community and provision of good quality sports for children locally	2/18/2024 10:56 AM
33	Notts Gym suffered serious flooding which has impacted the use of the gym and funds being used for repairs. There is no where to watch the children or wait indoors whilst the children are the gym	2/18/2024 10:26 AM
34	The gymnastics club supports so many people in their physical development and by facilitating more people to participate will benefit the health of the community	2/18/2024 10:23 AM
35	Guiding and Scouting make a huge difference to our young people. As voluntary organisations, they are full of people giving up their time to help our young people to achieve and prepare for their future. As a community, we should be doing everything we can to support this. Young people are our future and the more we can promote and support Girlguiding and Scouting, the more people will get involved which can only be a good thing for our children.	2/18/2024 9:38 AM
36	I ran a local brownie unit and understand the changes to paxdien will help with future trips as well as allowing many local girls the opportunity to grow in confidence and development.	2/18/2024 8:57 AM

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37	Support young local young people with facilities.	2/18/2024 8:51 AM
38	Having been a scout leader in the past I know the difference the movement (scouting and guides) make to young lives.	2/18/2024 8:45 AM
39	Guides help young girls with their self confidence and mental health	2/18/2024 8:31 AM
40	Notts gymnastics club needs a space for all the parents and carers that spend many hours supporting their children with a very important sporting activity. The clubs site has had a lot of changes to the surrounding building eg the pool next door being demolished which has disrupted the access to the gym and left parents unable to go in and watch/wait. Parents needs this space, notts gymnastics is fantastic but definitely needs the funding to support these upgrades. Also with the recent flooding issues the gym really needs this please.	2/18/2024 8:25 AM
41	Beneficial to lots of people.	2/18/2024 8:13 AM
42	Girlguiding is an important group for children and young people as it is open to everyone regardless of social standing. It gives opportunities to those who would never otherwise have those chances. Many children's club are unaffordable for families or feel elitist. I have voted also for at Paul's well-being hub minibus as this is another area I feel worthy of funding.	2/18/2024 7:29 AM
43	Girlguiding makes a huge difference to girls growing up giving them opportunities to take part in a variety of activities and giving back to their community. I feel it's a much needed contribution to their mental wellbeing.	2/18/2024 7:07 AM
44	My daughters gymnastics club and my local park	2/18/2024 7:05 AM
45	Serves all members of the community	2/18/2024 5:57 AM
46	The impact the proposal would have on the local community	2/18/2024 4:58 AM
47	Would benefit all users	2/18/2024 3:05 AM
48	West Bridgford South Trent Girlguiding full stop. We need valuable funds to expand what we do with the girls. We want them to experience as much as possible. The Hook wildlife pond- it's near where I live & I think it's a crime is so neglected.	2/18/2024 12:01 AM
49	Paxdien girlguiding Hall is a hub for our local community and offers so many experiences to people. They desperately need updates to the building to make use of the building long term and use it for many girlguiding adventures to come!	2/17/2024 11:31 PM
50	Notts gymnastics provide a wide range of opportunities for young people of all backgrounds within the local community. Promoting physical activity and healthy lifestyles is extremely important to our society today, its vital we educate the young people in our community to exercise, be active, engage with others and find a sense of wellbeing and belonging so as to not put more pressure or strain on our national health service in future years as well as creating a content environment in our city.	2/17/2024 11:10 PM
51	Because Girlguiding provides fabulous opportunities for Girls and women	2/17/2024 11:01 PM
52	Whatever is supported should be open/available to all	2/17/2024 10:51 PM
53	To benefit Rainbows, Brownies, Guides and Rangers to have sleepovers in an updated building	2/17/2024 10:50 PM
54	To support better current groups utilising the space and allow it to benefit a larger range of users !	2/17/2024 10:38 PM
55	It is very important in the local community	2/17/2024 10:37 PM
56	Girlguiding is great for young people	2/17/2024 10:37 PM
57	I think it will have a good benefits to the wider community	2/17/2024 10:33 PM
58	Volunteer with WB girlguiding and think the upgrades will benefit a wide reach of local people	2/17/2024 10:31 PM
59	Children use and benefit from these facilities	2/17/2024 10:26 PM
60	To ensure WB guiding Association centre at Paxdean has a centre fit & modern for the future. The girl guiding Association needs a central point and Paxdean offers this for all ages of the association, from Rainbows to Trefoil Guild.	2/17/2024 10:22 PM
61	To ensure WB guiding Association centre at Paxdean has a centre fit & modern for the future.	2/17/2024 10:21 PM

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The girl guiding Association needs a central point and Paxdean offers this for all ages of the association, from Rainbows to Trefoil Guild.

62	My daughter attends nga	2/17/2024 10:18 PM
63	Would benefit numerous girls having the opportunity to use the premises including having sleepovers in a safe environment, so developing their independence.	2/17/2024 10:15 PM
64	Girl guiding is growing but the resources are limited so that girls can continue to join there needs to be placed available for meetings & residentials	2/17/2024 10:12 PM
65	The proposals would benefit the community and also those using the facility	2/17/2024 10:12 PM
66	This would change the experience of so many families involved in the centre	2/17/2024 10:11 PM
67	My children have attended NGA since they were babies, they are now 9 and 10. It's such a shame that parents are not able to view classes and know what we are paying for. It's hard to feel part of the community when you can't enter the building.	2/17/2024 10:11 PM
68	These would benefit young people living in West Bridgford and a lot of people access these facilities.	2/17/2024 10:02 PM
69	Support a sport is beneficial for our kids	2/17/2024 9:29 PM
70	Great coaches that are dedicated to the children	2/17/2024 8:41 PM
71	Viewing facilities as it's really needed	2/17/2024 8:40 PM
72	Great place for children	2/17/2024 8:40 PM
73	It's a fantastic club with so much potential	2/17/2024 8:39 PM
74	Great asset to the community with many team GB gymnasts training at the facility.	2/17/2024 8:14 PM
75	Notts Gym Academy is a world renowned gym but the facilities don't match the awesome coaches and gymnasts. This will bring even more people to gymnastics and to west Bridgford	2/17/2024 7:46 PM
76	My daughter uses the sport hall facilities.	2/17/2024 7:38 PM
77	The Hook pond is a haven for wildlife and used to educate the community. Lady Bay Scout group have over seventy members and are justifiably proud to be celebrating their centenary this year.	2/17/2024 7:08 PM
78	My daughter attends the gymnastics club so would benefit us and her club	2/17/2024 6:17 PM
79	Notts gymnastics is a very important social hub of West Bridgford and has produced near Olympic winning gymnasts and if they are able to keep going they will produce Olympic medal winning gymnasts in the future.	2/17/2024 5:27 PM
80	Notts gymnastics teach many classes and it would be beneficial to have a viewing facility for parents and guardians, to observe how classes are taught and progress of the children who attend.	2/17/2024 5:24 PM
81	Young children and families socially	2/17/2024 5:04 PM
82	Club is an important part of the community providing lessons for all levels, encouraging future olympians and a great sport for the community.	2/17/2024 4:26 PM
83	Notts gymnastics academy provide extremely high level coaching to children and young adults across the Nottinghamshire area. The gym sadly isn't fully fit for purpose and requires significant refurbishment in order to enable the staff to coach to an even higher level.	2/17/2024 4:21 PM
84	The gymnastics facilities are a brilliant asset that should be invested in for the health of younger generations.	2/17/2024 4:05 PM
85	Supporting a local sports facility	2/17/2024 4:05 PM
86	Notts gymnastics academy provides fantastic sporting opportunities for local children to get active, and the possibility to reach a high level within the sport. Currently there is nowhere inside the facility for parents to see what their children are doing and many of the parents spend many hours waiting in their cars while the children train. The funding would vastly improve the facilities for both children and parents.	2/17/2024 4:01 PM

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87	Disability gymnastics facilities	2/17/2024 3:53 PM
88	Notts gymnastics promote fitness, wellbeing and confidence, current facilities are not welcoming and new facilities would make the offering world class and would put the gym and local area in inviting for all	2/17/2024 3:48 PM
89	Help get more local children to do gymnastics	2/17/2024 3:40 PM
90	Gymnastics academy would greatly benefit all involved. The Hook pond could be more of a delight to the community.	2/17/2024 3:39 PM
91	We are the Member of notts gymnastics	2/17/2024 3:36 PM
92	My 5yr old daughter attends the Gymnastics academy, currently we have to drop her off at the gym door and leave. It would be amazing to be able to watch her classes with a coffee. :)	2/17/2024 3:25 PM
93	Contribution to community. Opportunity to develop skills of gymnasts and make facilities more accessible to those with small children, or that live further away.	2/17/2024 3:19 PM
94	For children	2/17/2024 3:16 PM
95	My daughter travels 20miles to attend this gym and it benefit from the funding to support make these happen to make things more better for parents and siblings to wait	2/17/2024 3:09 PM
96	Gymnastics Academy provide a good service to the community	2/17/2024 3:06 PM
97	My girls have been attending the academy for 12 years and provided them with a skill that will remain with them for the rest of their lives. In all this time there has never been an area where parents can sit and watch their gymnasts. Many years were spent in a cold and draughty corridor before this was also taken away. The club has provided the area of West Bridgford with a much needed place for children/students to go and do what they love and this needs to be supported and encouraged by the local community.	2/17/2024 2:54 PM
98	Recent news article regarding impact of flooding on this facility.	2/17/2024 2:52 PM
99	They are all solid initiatives and will benefit society as a whole. The cafe at NGA will enable the parents to organise better to support our young gymnasts.	2/17/2024 2:44 PM
100	Family participation in gymnastics	2/17/2024 2:40 PM
101	The proposal would benefit a particular group within local society.	2/17/2024 2:28 PM
102	My daughter attends the group	2/17/2024 2:28 PM
103	By having a cafe/viewing area would allow parents of the participants to create a strong community to support each other and their children going through their gymnastics career.	2/17/2024 2:19 PM
104	I would like to support the development of Notts Gymnastics' viewing gallery and cafe, as it will improve the experience for the gymnasts' family members and guests while waiting or viewing competitions. Currently, we can only drop off children and wait outside the building with no opportunity to watch our gymnasts. The outdoor toilets make it challenging, especially during colder and wet months. Sport is a significant part of a healthy lifestyle, so we should encourage everyone by providing the best facilities and not deter them with the current outdoor appearance of the building.	2/17/2024 2:14 PM
105	My son attends Notts Gymnastics Academy and like many other children and young people gain great benefit to this facility. Some of them spent many hours a week using the facility and improving it would bring great benefit to the overall wellbeing of the children, coaches and parents alike. Currently the children are waiting outside in the cold and rain, waiting to be let in. There is no indoor facility or area for parents to wait for their child which could put people off from joining in the first place. The coaching and facilities are of a very high standard and it would be nice to have the surrounding areas to reflect that and make it comfortable for visitors and members and encourage the growth of the club	2/17/2024 2:14 PM
106	Valuable resource for local children/young adults and their families	2/17/2024 2:09 PM
107	Projects that will struggle to gain funding from other sources.	2/17/2024 2:08 PM
108	Gymnastics helps children from a young age participate in sport and learn healthy habits. Viewing facilities/cafe area mean parents of young children have somewhere to wait which means it is easier for them to bring young children. Community mini buses allow more people	2/17/2024 2:08 PM

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to be involved in more things and this is very valuable and I have seen it working in other areas. Accesible facilities are so important to have in as many places as possible

109	My daughter trains at the gymnastics club and has done for 10 years. It in in a desperate state of disrepair and the club do everything they can to fundraise themselves but sometimes they need some extra help. They support 100s of children and families every day.	2/17/2024 2:05 PM
110	The academy helps so many children of all ages, backgrounds and abilities. It can be quite scary for some children to be left and having a viewing gallery for reassurance that their guardian is there would be a big benefit.	2/17/2024 2:04 PM
111	Notts Gymnastics Academy have suffered with flooding and further improvements to the facilities would really benefit the children attending sessions there.	2/17/2024 2:02 PM
112	The Notts Gym Academy are a fantastic organisation and offer so much for the local community but are in desperate need of development for a viewing area. It would draw more people in and allow for the role model effect, especially for youngsters being able to see the experienced gymnasts.	2/17/2024 1:58 PM
113	The bid is from NGA which is a great sporting community	2/17/2024 1:57 PM
114	My children attend Notts Gymnastics Academy and play football at Alford Rd	2/17/2024 1:56 PM
115	They offer a fantastic opportunity for so many young people to do gymnastics, both competitively and for leisure. It would make it even more of draw for youngsters being able to view their role models and be able to inspire others having a viewing area. A cafe would make it such a functional facility too for the community for parties etc.	2/17/2024 1:53 PM
116	The project supports children throughout Rushcliffe, not just those in West Bridgford	2/17/2024 1:50 PM
117	Would allow the development of facilities for NGA which has been hit recently by flooding. Allow parents to wait and get to know each whilst supporting their child	2/17/2024 1:50 PM
118	Despite the rebuild of the gym, it does need further investment.	2/17/2024 1:47 PM
119	This would give more encouragement to the gymnasts of the future.	2/17/2024 1:46 PM
120	Getting kids active is essential in instilling good habits and promoting a healthy lifestyle, particularly in this Olympic year where we can use the success of our amazing athletes. A parent viewing area at Notts will help encourage parents to sign their children up for classes with somewhere warm and nice to watch, whilst also boosting the club socially and economically. The current gymnasts have to use dark toilets outside in the cold, and before that very old and dirty toilets so clean facilities will be truly welcomed.	2/17/2024 1:44 PM
121	A more welcoming environment will encourage more children to try the sport.	2/17/2024 1:41 PM
122	Would benefit a lot of families in the area	2/17/2024 1:39 PM
123	Notts gymnastics academy provide excellent coaching and is internationally recognised for excellence as well as providing gymnastics for all. The facilities are badly in need of repairing and the club just do not have the funds to provide the level of facilities parents should be able to expect. Currently there is no where to view or to wait for gymnastics sessions.	2/17/2024 1:39 PM
124	Great value to the community	2/17/2024 1:35 PM
125	To support a group in the local community which makes a valuable contribution to the area and beyond	2/17/2024 1:35 PM
126	We live in Kirkby In Ashfield and we travel to the gym club 6days a week. Both my girls attend (11yrs and 6yrs) whilst they are training I sit in the car for up to 4 hours and wait for them to finish. It's too costly with fuel to go back home and come back again. If there were facilities to stay and watch that would greatly help me and our family out.	2/17/2024 1:34 PM
127	Much needed for our gymnasts	2/17/2024 1:32 PM
128	Valuable contribution to elite and non elite gymnastics supporting children and parents	2/17/2024 1:31 PM
129	Gymnastics plays a huge part in family life for so many children. Making sure they are exercising and independence through sport. There are currently no facilities for parents whilst waiting, gymnastics attracts families from all Nottingham and surrounding areas so will be a great addition for parents/siblings.	2/17/2024 1:31 PM

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130	From NGA, there is no current facility to watch the gymnasts.	2/17/2024 1:31 PM
131	Help the gymnastic family's and participates to achieve greater	2/17/2024 1:29 PM
132	Fantastic club for the children	2/17/2024 1:28 PM
133	the club is a great community organisation providing gymnastics provision for all ages - toddlers to adults, and for all from grassroots to Olympians.	2/17/2024 1:19 PM
134	The academy is a really popular and well attended club at the heart of our community and these improvements would make a big difference to the gymnasts and their parents.	2/17/2024 12:53 PM
135	Both, impacts a large percentage of local population and promotes an important active lifestyle and safeguarding benefit of greater visibility of activity.	2/17/2024 12:38 PM
136	More beneficial for the community	2/17/2024 8:05 AM
137	Best use of resources	2/17/2024 4:56 AM
138	The club is in desperate need of updating its facilities to support inclusivity initiatives and to enable more local people to have full access when visiting the club.	2/15/2024 9:27 AM
139	The club only has one dedicated gents toilet which is not sufficient for a club of size of Ellerslie.	2/14/2024 8:53 AM
140	The Hook and WB park are very important local amenities. Travel by bike should be encouraged.	2/13/2024 9:28 PM
141	My daughter is a gymnast at Notts and we currently are not able to watch any training sessions. This project would enable parents to see the progress their children are making during sessions. I feel it will also protect coaches during sessions and create transparency.	2/13/2024 10:20 AM
142	The lack of toilet facility as it only has one dedicated gent facility which is insufficient for club our size, and not facility for the disabled.	2/13/2024 9:10 AM
143	Ellerslie is a growing cricket club in the shadow of Trent bridge. It has an amazing group of volunteers that put tireless hours into the club, especially the junior section. This is attracting new people to the game, meaning that the facilities really need to be modernised for health, safety and comfort and to make sure that families, the old, young and disabled can all fully enjoy what the club has to offer.	2/12/2024 9:00 PM
144	It would improve access to the garden at Holy Rood for those who worship there, but also for the wider community. The garden is a place of contemplation for all.	2/12/2024 6:01 PM
145	The cricket club at Little Bounds have done lots to increase participation and inclusion.	2/12/2024 5:04 PM
146	I have selected the causes which benefit the local communities in particular the community hub which supports people in accessing vital prescription services. The community minibus to help people get out and about in the community who may not be able to visit places by other means. It is important for young people to have good parks to play in. In addition ensuring accessible toilets for all is a really important need at the cricket club.	2/12/2024 4:44 PM
147	Yes, the proposals come from specific (church) groups, but they benefit much larger range of people in the local community	2/12/2024 3:42 PM
148	Grass roots sport is so important and ensuring these facilities are as inclusive as possible is also essential to make all visits welcome and able to use the facilities. This is a great local club that is desperate need of funding to update basic facilities.	2/12/2024 3:23 PM
149	valuable service in thr community much more far reaching than other submissions	2/12/2024 2:58 PM
150	Both projects would support individuals who are potentially vulnerable to access facilities and services.	2/12/2024 2:47 PM
151	Ellerslie CC are an excellent club and renovations are desperately needed. The wildlife pond is a valuable resource for local schools.	2/12/2024 2:24 PM
152	Ellerslie only has one dedicated gents toilet, which is insufficient for the number of members and visitors who use the club and its facilities. Having this accessible toilet will accommodate wheelchair users, others with a disability as well as able-bodied users whether female or male.	2/12/2024 2:23 PM

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153	The little bounds cricket club needs a little bit of renovation. The development of an accessible toilet would be a great start!	2/12/2024 2:07 PM
154	Improved accessible toilet facilities will enhance this valued facility.	2/12/2024 12:46 PM
155	My son plays for the club and it would help them greatly	2/12/2024 12:32 PM
156	Ellerslie CC have provided a safe and inclusive environment for 100's of children each year all over Nottinghamshire, to play sport particularly cricket and be part of a social environment. The club is self funded through member contributions and badly needs to upgrade facilities, to continue to be able to provide safe welcoming facilities for all members, bur especially anyone with any access needs.	2/12/2024 12:17 PM
157	I live in Lady Bay a d I think the pond is invaluable for wildlife	2/12/2024 11:14 AM
158	Well run voluntary groups like the scouts and guides units deserve the funding as it's not for their profit. It is beneficial to the service users and children in community. Also environment benefits for the tree planting.	2/12/2024 8:49 AM
159	Preserving nature	2/12/2024 7:17 AM
160	Benefitting a large number of people for broad enjoyment and wellbeing benefits	2/11/2024 9:21 PM
161	The hook is vitally important for wildlife and locals alike	2/11/2024 8:00 PM
162	My son and his preschool freinds love walking to the hook and seeing the pond. It's a shame it is leaking. A bit part of their week.	2/11/2024 7:54 PM
163	Greater ability for the hall to be used by a wider range of users	2/11/2024 7:33 PM
164	I think that they would benefit a large cross section of the community, improve the local area social prescribing can help address health inequalities.	2/11/2024 7:26 PM
165	I've picked largely projects which will improve the whole community's wellbeing and community.	2/11/2024 1:02 PM
166	I'm supportive of bids that offer a wide community benefit. The improvements to publicly accessible parks and green spaces are beneficial to many and available to all. The St Paul's, social prescribing and bike works projects target known social need. I've included the girl guiding bid as it would benefit a lot of members across the area and guides is volunteer-run and low cost to members, so very widely accessible.	2/11/2024 12:39 PM
167	Accessible to all not just a select few as most of the other projects. Good for the local environment	2/11/2024 12:01 PM
168	Support for the environment	2/11/2024 11:27 AM
169	Wildlife pond is important for local children and families. I visited regularly during Covid when restrictions were in place and continue to do so. It's helped with mine and my children's mental health to plus been educational. It's important to and visit and understand wildlife areas, and for these to be accessible locally without the use of a car. We need to support these areas to maintain populations of wild animals and their habitats. NHS prescribing has been vital and successful in other areas and it would benefit our area to have it introduced here.	2/11/2024 8:59 AM
170	The ones I believe deserve to be supported	2/11/2024 8:54 AM
171	Projects chosen have a wellbeing benefit	2/11/2024 8:49 AM
172	They are all trying to do good for the community	2/11/2024 8:46 AM
173	The work is needed for the community.	2/11/2024 8:38 AM
174	Wider community benefit	2/11/2024 8:26 AM
175	Accessible toilets are essential in every community building, hence support for renovations in the cricket pavilion. The other two projects will support the health and well-being of the community at large	2/11/2024 8:26 AM
176	Everyone should have access to toilet facilities and those that are a good standard so I think the renovations of the accessible toilet facilities needs to be the priority.	2/11/2024 8:09 AM
177	Environmental and publicly accessible not just for one particular group	2/10/2024 10:17 AM

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178	The Hook is an amazing wildlife area enjoyed by all members of local community. It creates a wild life corridor adjacent to the Trent, so vital to restore this habitat to its former state.	2/10/2024 10:00 AM
179	The pond at the Hook is a vital part of our local natural environment and a habitat for many different species (frogs, toads, different insects and more). It also provides some valuable educational opportunities for local school and nurseries. Now and more than ever it is essential to preserve places like this.	2/9/2024 11:09 PM
180	Wildlife is important	2/9/2024 10:33 PM
181	Paxdieu would be my first choice to benefit a large number of brownies and guides.	2/9/2024 7:55 PM
182	I have children in Brownies and Guides who, along with many others, would benefit from the proposed improvements to Paxdieu Hall. The gymnastics facility is also in need of significant improvement and provides a valuable facility for many people.	2/9/2024 12:19 PM
183	Valuable contribution locally	2/9/2024 8:25 AM
184	Help the struggling wildlife	2/9/2024 8:19 AM
185	The Hook Nature Reserve has transformed a formerly sterile area into one teeming with both wildlife and human life. So many people enjoy the Hook	2/9/2024 6:51 AM
186	I believe all would benefit people in the local community and beyond.	2/9/2024 1:33 AM
187	Beautiful area down by the river with an abundance of wildlife. Places like this should be considered for funding.	2/8/2024 11:43 PM
188	I have volunteered for the friends of the hook before and they do an amazing job of protecting and enhancing this wildlife nature area.	2/8/2024 11:39 PM
189	The Hook wildlife pond is both a valuable, peaceful place for all but also an excellent destination for children attending Lady Bay School. Many children have been inspired by lessons around the pond! Nottingham Bikeworks is a great asset in Lady Bay, offering a full range of second hand bikes, encouraging reuse but also proposing arranging events to improve the lives of those with physical and mental difficulties.	2/8/2024 9:55 PM
190	Valuable local area, great educational resource	2/8/2024 9:27 PM
191	wildlife preservation, local enjoyment,	2/8/2024 9:04 PM
192	Because they are groups that rely on volunteers mainly.	2/8/2024 7:25 PM
193	The Hook is a unique and special place which encourages biodiversity. It is also a project which unites the community (as do all the others). Notts Gymnastics Academy is a fantastic cause. Both our Daughters are members and they (as are we) disappointed that we can't see their progress and support them even if by simply seeing how they function in class. All the projects are valid.	2/8/2024 7:13 PM
194	I live locally and appreciate how important the hook is for the local wildlife, community and schools. Maintaining the ponds and canals is really important to the area.	2/8/2024 7:00 PM
195	Friends Of The Hook do a great job of managing the local nature reserve enjoyed by hundreds of not thousands of Rushcliffe residents. A functioning wildlife pond would be a great facility that would not only be of benefit to wild creatures but also help engage children with nature.	2/8/2024 4:53 PM
196	Local interest. NHS benefit for all	2/8/2024 4:34 PM
197	Local project that will enrich the environment.	2/8/2024 4:13 PM
198	A great community down lady Bay 1 big family	2/8/2024 3:24 PM
199	Offer community benefits. Helping young people access a sport that builds confidence, discipline and positive mental health.	2/8/2024 1:48 PM
200	Live locally, lots of people go there, wildlife habitat	2/8/2024 1:48 PM
201	The pond is a great resource to view and learn about wildlife	2/8/2024 1:42 PM
202	The pond makes a valuable contribution to many local youth groups including the brownies, guides, cubs and scouts. Also local children's nurseries visit the pond to learn about wildlife.	2/8/2024 1:12 PM

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It's also a vital habitat for local nature and animals.

203	It's local to me and brings joy to many local people of all ages	2/8/2024 12:59 PM
204	General impact on the community - a tangeable asset for all ages.	2/8/2024 11:43 AM
205	Benefit to the people, conservation and wildlife of west bridgford	2/8/2024 11:06 AM
206	Social prescribing needs full support for all residents of Rushcliffe. The Hook pond work is virtually the only wildlife conservation project. Bridge Field is in need of restoration.	2/8/2024 10:55 AM
207	I live in lady Bay and often volunteer with Friends of the Hook, in fact I created their website and last week spent a few hours putting up signs to remind dog owners about nesting birds. The pond is an important wildlife habitat and it must not be lost, a simple repair or replacement liner would make all the difference.	2/8/2024 10:05 AM
208	It is in keeping with a number of issues, especially relating to environment and wildlife.	2/8/2024 8:32 AM
209	This would benefit the whole community who visit the Hook	2/8/2024 8:04 AM
210	Local areas that we use as a family. Wildlife conservation for the pond at the Hook	2/8/2024 7:05 AM
211	The Hook Pond is not only beneficial to wildlife (in itself a good reason), but as a Cub leader we frequently visit the pond as part of our scouting syllabus. A full and healthy pond enables us to share information and adventures with the cubs which an empty pond prevents. So I am looking at this on a socio and ecological level.	2/7/2024 11:53 PM
212	Enjoy the Hook	2/7/2024 11:33 PM
213	Important to the environment	2/7/2024 10:06 PM
214	Positive impact for people and wildlife	2/7/2024 9:08 PM
215	The ones selected I believe would bring the most to the local community.	2/7/2024 9:02 PM
216	The Hook pond is a lovely place and makes an ecologically important contribution to both the Hook reserve and Lady Bay in general. Britain has lost most of its ponds since 1945 and making even one new one, like this, helps restore lost habitat. Also, replacing a damaged liner should be a relatively quick and easy fix for the pond so it's not it will be a big project.	2/7/2024 7:49 PM
217	The Friends of the Hook are volunteers who have developed a beautiful area into a place that is attractive to wildlife (and humans!) They thoroughly deserve support for encouraging biodiversity.	2/7/2024 7:38 PM
218	I want to support local wildlife and nature	2/7/2024 7:09 PM
219	I support wildlife and nature projects	2/7/2024 7:05 PM
220	This group has improved the biodiversity of the area over a number of years. Provides teaching and learning for local children's groups. The whole area can be enjoyed by all visitors to the hook.	2/7/2024 7:02 PM
221	Friends of the Hook make a huge difference to the wellbeing of the local community and wildlife.	2/7/2024 6:58 PM
222	We need our wildlife it is good for the environment and peoples mental health	2/7/2024 6:16 PM
223	The pond is leaking, so educational visits are impacted compromising not just current wildlife but future wildlife that may be helped by those being educated about ponds and their importance for biodiversity.	2/7/2024 5:57 PM
224	Important for wildlife and the community	2/7/2024 5:55 PM
225	Valuable asset for wildlife and the local nature reserve	2/7/2024 5:48 PM
226	The Hook is a valuable resource for the local community	2/7/2024 5:41 PM
227	Local conservation for walkers and users of the local area.	2/7/2024 5:04 PM
228	Both sites make a valuable contribution to the outside space available for local communities	2/7/2024 5:02 PM
229	The hook and the pond are valuable areas and a natural nature reserve. The upkeep of this benefits local residents, schools and wildlife. The field on west bridgford park is muddy and	2/7/2024 5:01 PM

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torn up and definitely needs repair and maintenance. It's great to offer parking for local events and with some large concerts now being held at the forest ground this maintenance on this can only benefit the local community. Prescribing service will be beneficial to many locals and in a time where mental health is at its highest this can only be of benefit

230	very important for wildlife and enjoyed by the whole community	2/7/2024 4:58 PM
231	It is an amazing natural resources, looking after and bringing in wildlife to Lady Bay. We are so lucky to have it.	2/7/2024 4:51 PM
232	It is local and does a great deal of good for wildlife in the hook nature reserve and supports the well-being of the community.	2/7/2024 4:27 PM
233	I used to live there- the pond in s full of f wildlife	2/7/2024 4:22 PM
234	The gymnastics academy is in dire need of improved facilities to match the high standard of the club.	2/7/2024 4:20 PM
235	Valuable community asset	2/7/2024 4:19 PM
236	The hook benefits everyone walking nearby and allows for children and adults alike to learn more about nature and spend some quiet time sitting by water. The scout hut is used by so many in the community and helps establish it more as a place of meeting / particularly by the scouts.	2/7/2024 4:15 PM
237	The pond is a unique community resource that I use as an early years teacher throughout the year to teach children about their local environment and wildlife, through direct experience and observation.	2/7/2024 4:11 PM
238	The group have done an amazing job of rewilding the area and work very hard to maintain it.	2/7/2024 4:04 PM
239	This is essential to enable wildlife to survive & educate local schoolchildren (& others) as to its importance. Wildlife food chains are essential to the survival of diverse species of the planet & unfortunately homo sapiens is slowly killing many other species in a variety of different ways. Start small with locals & a local eco system & maybe some will go on to be conservationists of the futur.	2/7/2024 4:02 PM
240	the hook is a fantastic local resource - enhancing mental well being and providing a rich habitat for wild life	2/7/2024 4:01 PM
241	Important for The environment	2/7/2024 4:01 PM
242	The Hook is a valuable and accessible resource for the area. The Sir Julian Cahn building is a fine example of the architecture of it's time and should be preserved as it adds to the character of West Bridgford.	2/7/2024 3:55 PM
243	Wildlife pond is ideal for breeding dragonflies, frogs etc. This will not happen if pond is leaking!	2/7/2024 3:53 PM
244	I live in Lady Bay and have seen the positive developments on the greenbelt. I support all funding which preserves progress.	2/7/2024 3:40 PM
245	The pond is valuable to people and wildlife	2/7/2024 3:38 PM
246	Easily accessible and frequently used by community	2/7/2024 3:06 PM
247	The pond is an important community site. It encourages people to access outdoor spaces, to view, learn about and support wildlife. It is a precious area for local families with children who benefit greatly from the ability to boost their wellbeing and regulate their nervous systems by spending time in nature.	2/7/2024 3:04 PM
248	Nature and green spaces so vital for health and well being. We are in a nature crisis so anything that also supports maintaining vital habitats should be supported	2/7/2024 3:03 PM
249	Given the huge increase in footfall to the Hook - visitors from WB & beyond - everything needs to be done to protect & enhance wildlife in this small area. Re NHS prescribing service this would be great to support local GPs & Pharmacists with accessible more local provision	2/7/2024 2:53 PM
250	Both of my children have enjoyed nursery trips to the hook pond over the years, it would be a shame for others not to enjoy it.	2/7/2024 2:52 PM
251	They have no other means to get money - the others all make money.	2/7/2024 2:36 PM

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252	Countryside and exercise.	2/7/2024 2:36 PM
253	Benefit to wildlife, improved fauna and flora which in turn improve the physical and mental health of people who visit the area. The Hook is very widely used by the local community, so any improvement to the pond would have wide reaching benefits.	2/7/2024 2:26 PM
254	Things that will be used by the most community members. Things that are open to everyone.	2/7/2024 2:24 PM
255	Great educational asset and wildlife habitat that it would be a great shame if it was lost.	2/7/2024 2:23 PM
256	Quality greenspace in West Bridgford is important. Bridge Field needs improvement and Rushcliffe needs to stop relying on Parking on it as an income stream. It is not sustainable	2/7/2024 2:22 PM
257	The pond leaks and will mean that the local community, children and scouting/guide groups will not benefit from learning about the rich diversity of wildlife around our area. Our wildlife is precious and in need of a helping hand. The Hook is a protected area and is supported by the community providing some with much needed companionship and a reason to join in a free activity in the open air.	2/7/2024 2:20 PM
258	I believe they will help large groups of the public and the environment	2/7/2024 1:58 PM
259	Have benefitted from it locally	2/7/2024 1:51 PM
260	Wider access for education and support	2/7/2024 1:37 PM
261	Friends of the Hook do a good job of maintaining our wildlife area and need the council's support to continue, especially when the land they preserve is council owned.	2/7/2024 1:36 PM
262	I support the wildlife pond because it is important for biodiversity and potentially a good resource for education. I support social prescribing because as healthcare professional I have seen the results in improved physical and mental health.	2/7/2024 1:36 PM
263	Many people in the local community benefit from visiting the pond and enjoying the wildlife there. It would be a real shame to lose it, there isn't another pond like this locally where you can see frogs and local school children can go pond dipping.	2/7/2024 1:33 PM
264	Local community	2/7/2024 1:32 PM
265	Enhancing places for nature	2/7/2024 1:25 PM
266	The group work wonders to improve the environment for humans and wildlife alike	2/7/2024 1:25 PM
267	This would benefit all the community. Educational visits could reconence.	2/7/2024 1:23 PM
268	The hook is an amazing place in Lady Bay and offers a beautiful environment for lots of people in the area and I think these volunteers should be supported in their project	2/7/2024 1:22 PM
269	Award winning group - valued semi-natural biodiversity asset for wide user group	2/7/2024 1:15 PM
270	I would like to see the wild life pond on the Hook to be restored for wildlife and for visitors to enjoy. The Hook is a beautiful are to walk in and enjoy nature at its best . Especially for children to see the pond , its creatures and wild life in a very safe environment.	2/7/2024 1:10 PM
271	Good for wildlife.	2/7/2024 1:09 PM
272	The Hook is a peaceful area of solace and provides a restful area of wildlife.	2/7/2024 1:08 PM
273	The pond at The Hook is part of a wonderful wildlife area which has had so much voluntary input from locals. It's a fabulous asset to that part of the Hook- a quiet haven for people of all ages.	2/7/2024 1:06 PM
274	vital for wildlife in Lady Bay	2/7/2024 1:01 PM
275	I live very close to the hook and the pond is such a lovely area and the community group work so hard to keep it in a good condition. My son used to attend gymnastics so funding for there would be good too as they work hard. And we visit Bridgford Park regularly and it's such a vital place for families that I feel it's important to keep it in a good condition.	2/7/2024 12:56 PM
276	I feel there is little it no provision to help the natural habitat for local wild life. There is more provision for dogs than protecting our nature habitats.	2/7/2024 12:48 PM
277	The Hook is a well loved, community led initiative that has made great impact on the flood	2/7/2024 12:47 PM

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plains of Lady Bay. Other supported projects are activities that will also benefit community cohesion or improve our shared built environment.

278	The hook is a very important area for the community and so many people who come through to see it and go along the trent. The pond is really important for wildlife and is a great area for children to learn about wild pond life and it's been used a lot for this. It's been a real shame to see it going down and would be a big loss	2/7/2024 7:08 AM
279	The church garden at Holy Rood is the only garden in Edwalton open to everyone and is very well used and loved by everyone. But people with mobility problems cannot access most of the garden because of the lack of suitable paths	2/6/2024 10:08 PM
280	The footpath changes at Holy Rood Church in Edwalton would make the gardens far more accessible for various people. Especially for those with accessibility access wanting to visit their loved one's graves / ashes. Bike works is just fab for people caring for their mental and physical health	2/6/2024 5:23 PM
281	St Paul's makes a significant contribution to the community supporting and bringing together groups and the minibus would make a difference	2/6/2024 7:46 AM
282	It would allow access for wheelchair users to lovely gardens at the rear of the church	2/5/2024 10:21 PM
283	Good organisation for encouraging fitness and offering many school holiday activities.	2/5/2024 12:23 PM
284	Local sports facilities, which would provide much needed and better facilities for sports teams at the park	2/5/2024 11:59 AM
285	Better by bike: Mental Health is the silent pandemic. The opportunity to offer cycling as a low cost solution is a good one. The Hook: The Hook wildlife area has seen great improvements over the years. The pond is a key part of the wildlife system offering habitat and food sources to local wildlife in the area.	2/5/2024 10:47 AM
286	I would support improvements to infrastructure which will have a lasting impact, rather than events	2/5/2024 10:14 AM
287	Local sports facilities, which would provide much needed and better facilities for sports teams at the park	2/5/2024 8:59 AM
288	It's a brilliant club which caters for a huge section of of the young community, a much needed amenity.	2/4/2024 9:32 PM
289	It will allow for better community facilities that allow parents to watch their children take part and progress in gymnastics. This has so far been lacking and the facilities are in a really poor condition, currently an uninviting place. It will support the gymnasts in feeling encouraged, building their esteem and talent.	2/4/2024 8:06 PM
290	Girlguiding provide invaluable opportunities for girls and young women to gain skills and experience residential stays with their peers.	2/4/2024 7:14 PM
291	Prioritise infrastructure improvements that make a long term impact upon the most number of users or where facilities are so bad that they are currently prohibitive	2/4/2024 6:37 PM
292	Support is vital because the Club has only ONE dedicated gents toilet and this facility will be crucial not only for wheelchair users and others with disability, but also for able-bodied users, because a single gents toilet is inadequate for a club of this size.	2/4/2024 6:03 PM
293	I agree with supporting the vulnerable and those with poor mental health.	2/4/2024 5:18 PM
294	They do a fantastic job of supporting and encouraging the children and young people in its care, promoting health, fitness and wellbeing.	2/4/2024 4:30 PM
295	West park is a historic site and should be restored	2/4/2024 4:03 PM
296	The Sir Julien Cahn Pavilion/West Park has a much undersold yet unique place in local, national and international cricketing folklore. It is a site of genuinely historic interest to sports lovers. The story of the infamous Bodyline Ashes series is intertwined with West Park. It is the place where Julien Cahn met with Harold Larwood to ask Larwood to apologise for his "leg theory" bowling on that Douglas Jardine led 1932/33 tour of Australia. Larwood refused to apologise and was told he would never play for England again. No venue in Rushcliffe, Nottinghamshire, the UK or the world has that claim to cricketing fame. West Park and the	2/4/2024 3:49 PM

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Julien Cahn Pavilion are jewels in the cricketing crown. 2026 marks the centenary of the first games at the ground. The Julien Cahn XI hosted games against all of the international touring nations of the day - India, New Zealand, the West Indies and South Africa. Of the major cricketing nations of the time, only Australia (and England!) have not played a first class fixture at West Park. This famous ground has seen legends of the game like Wally Hammond and George Headley play there. To this day, descendants of the Cahn family remain in contact with the ground's current resident cricket club, West Bridgford Legion CC. Junior football is enjoyed by hundreds of kids outside the cricket season and the fabulous old pavilion remains a great private hire venue. It is a place to be proud of, celebrated and maintained in good enough condition for generations to enjoy it through the next hundred years. It is in absolute standout candidate for funding. I wish the selection panel well with their deliberations. Thank you.

297	Daughter attends the gymnastics and I think nature is important to all	2/4/2024 1:30 PM
298	The 4 I've selected are organisation I know about. They all make a valuable contribution to our communities and/or environment.	2/4/2024 11:18 AM
299	Improve community buildings, improving the environment, improving services	2/4/2024 9:19 AM
300	Local sports facilities, which would provide much needed and better facilities for sports teams at the park	2/4/2024 9:07 AM
301	The Girl Guiding facility would be available to range of different groups in the area.	2/3/2024 9:18 PM
302	Daughter attends Notts Gymnastics	2/3/2024 8:10 PM
303	The Lady Bay pond is a wonderful resource for the community and for the school and a quiet place for older people to sit and reflect. The mosaic and tree are fitting tributes that celebrate the legacy of the scouts and beavers in Lady Bay.	2/3/2024 8:02 PM
304	The group has given my son confidence, social skills and acceptance. To see him in this environment would be fantastic. I think it would also get more children to join and hopefully gain those skills too creating more well being for them.	2/3/2024 7:44 PM
305	based on health opportunities and natural environment	2/3/2024 7:35 PM
306	Holy Rood garden is a cherished green space, open to all and maintained entirely by volunteers. Path improvements are needed to safeguard and extend safe access for visitors with mobility issues, those in wheelchairs, and those with buggies and prams. Users of the garden come for a peaceful experience, and may come to remember loved ones commemorated in the garden. The church itself hosts a thriving baby and toddler group, and parents and carers frequently enjoy the garden with their infants. The garden is also used by various children's groups including Rainbows and Boys Brigade and Girls Association. The volunteer community is open to all and includes elderly members for which the garden provides a vital social connection, and younger members including working age and school age people (for example volunteering for DofE awards). Path improvements will facilitate inclusivity and diversity.	2/3/2024 5:16 PM
307	Important projects which support the local communities and add value to the area	2/3/2024 4:05 PM
308	Facilities for the community	2/3/2024 3:19 PM
309	They are a brilliant academy that do so much for children and deserve it	2/3/2024 2:18 PM
310	This is a an organisation that pin points West Bridgford on the map. This organisation has produced and continues to produce the one of the best gymnasts in the UK and Internatioonally. I can't emphasise enough how we must be so proud of such a. Organisation. The sports centre comparing to others across the counties and councils we have visited is getting so ran down and especially after the flooding. It is good for young aspiring minds to have training in a suitable environment that helps them grow into better adults. At the moment they have a toilet outside on top of everything else. In this winter when they are warm in their muscles, they have to go outside in between just tonuse toilet facilities. I hope you can really help them so that they also have a safe space for training which in turn helps them have positive minds.	2/3/2024 12:43 PM
311	Valuable contribution	2/3/2024 12:27 PM
312	The NGA has a large community of children and young people promoting healthy lifestyles and positive attitudes .	2/3/2024 10:05 AM

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313	As a sports club, NGA is such an incredible resource for our community here in West Bridgford. We bump into families all the time who are members and the impact they have on the local children and young people is exceptionally positive. The addition of a cafe, viewing gallery and the office will enable greater connection with the community, more opportunity for children and young people to come and see the activities, and reduce traffic movement in between sessions which will improve safety on the roads immediately around the area.	2/3/2024 9:52 AM
314	This would hugely improve the gymnastics academy's offer for its gymnasts. Nottingham would finally have an appropriate training area for its elite gymnasts and make it a centre where future champions could train.	2/3/2024 8:26 AM
315	Will support so many girls and young women both locally and across the county	2/3/2024 8:20 AM
316	Those projects seemed to benefit people most in need, or wildlife areas that need support.	2/3/2024 8:12 AM
317	Facilities would offer more safe environments for young children plus parents able to work whilst supporting there children in a physical activity	2/3/2024 7:28 AM
318	Notts gymnastics supports a wide range of children across Rishcliffe	2/3/2024 6:51 AM
319	It would benefit more people, especially for children and elderly	2/3/2024 12:38 AM
320	Edwalton church is very popular and increasing accessibility will only improve this further. The hook wildlife pond is an important conservation area. Alford rd Play park has very poor facilities and is not interesting enough for young children. West Bridgford park is hugely popular and improvements here would only but support the town centre footfall further too.	2/2/2024 10:56 PM
321	My biggest support goes to the Sir Julien Cahn Pavilion at West Park and improvements at Alford Road. Firstly, because of the ground and pavilion centenary at West Park, a publicly-accessible playing field which supports many community groups and sports groups, and the Sir Julien Cahn Pavilion is a wonderful building and local landmark. At Alford Road, I support the greater availability of council facilities for the many young people who play football and rugby there. It is especially important to provide facilities to support girls football, to capitalise on the growing popularity of women's football.	2/2/2024 10:34 PM
322	Parents being able to watch their children	2/2/2024 10:10 PM
323	Feel that these would make a valuable contribution to our younger community giving the important extra-curricular resources.	2/2/2024 8:10 PM
324	My daughter attends Notts gymnastics academy and loves it. They support so many children in the community and deserve the funding to renovate the academy and make it a more welcoming and safe area for the children and parents to attend.	2/2/2024 7:39 PM
325	Notts Gymnastics academy plays a fundamental role in training our youngsters in their gymnastics skills. It helps improve their confidence and overallly boosts their wellbeing al round their lives.	2/2/2024 7:27 PM
326	The gymnasium club is a huge part of so many children's lives that it will be incredible for the parents and families to be able to gather socially and support the children and each other more	2/2/2024 7:21 PM
327	Local, genuine grassroots organisation.	2/2/2024 7:16 PM
328	The renovation of The Hook Wildlife Pond will give a much needed boost to biodiversity.	2/2/2024 6:56 PM
329	Would support all members/parents	2/2/2024 6:45 PM
330	Cafe, office and viewing facility is much needed addition the facilities at NGA and will benefit both gymnasts and their carers.	2/2/2024 6:40 PM
331	Notts Gymnastics are an integral part of both my daughters lives, it's provided them with so much & it would be nice to be able to see & support our gymnasts	2/2/2024 6:16 PM
332	The dipping pond in Lady Bay helps to educate local children about their natural environment. This will engage the next generation in making the right decisions. There are no other dipping ponds in this area where this good work could take place.	2/2/2024 5:53 PM
333	Flooding and damage to their facilities.	2/2/2024 5:41 PM
334	This is to support costs of developing the café/social space and installing a CCTV system to benefit all gymnasts/members. We are eager to welcome all members families into a warm and	2/2/2024 5:27 PM

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comfortable space where family can view Thier gymnasts training, after a long period of time not being able to access inside. We are seeking as much funding support to make it the best possible environment we can.

335	Would benefit the gymnasts and their families	2/2/2024 4:57 PM
336	NGA supporta many gymnasts of different abilities and backgrounds - some recreationally and some to international level . Our son is a disability gymnast there - the place is critical to his overall development and key to his self esteem. The contribution to the wider community is large.	2/2/2024 4:37 PM
337	The group making the bid contributes significantly to local people of all ages. The proposal for improved paths in this beautiful garden will provide access to those with compromised mobility who cannot currently fully access this place of peace and reflection. All other visitors will be provided with improved and safer access.	2/2/2024 4:17 PM
338	Our child attends gymnastics and it would mean that we could have a space where we can be seen rather than contacted in the event of injury. This space isn't just a space for coffee but a chance to socialise with other parents whose children share the same interest and talk with coaches regarding development, injuries or other important issues.	2/2/2024 4:13 PM
339	Huge benefit to the local community. The gym welcomes thousands of gymnasts each week. The site has been severely lacking facilities for several years now.	2/2/2024 4:07 PM
340	Both my children attend Notts Gymnastics Academy and have been for last 7yrs. They have fun and have made new friends from different schools in the local and wider communities. It has developed there social skills as well as supporting their physical and mental health needs.	2/2/2024 4:02 PM
341	This project will improve and extend access to a particularly extensive, varied and highly regarded community garden "a real gem". It will improve the 'visitor experience' extending safe access to areas currently only reached by grassed or uneven routes - careful regard has been made to enable wheelchair users (following feedback), anyone with ambulatory challenges, carers, pushchair users and safety improvements for all visitors. The garden was originally planned and now maintained, funded, and developed by Volunteer workers alone - but who are generally unable to undertake more demanding laborious tasks.	2/2/2024 4:00 PM
342	Friends of the Hook make a hugely valuable contribution. The wildlife pond helps to connect the local community to nature and the environment, and those micro-connections are crucial to combatting the climate crisis.	2/2/2024 3:31 PM
343	The vast number of children it caters for	2/2/2024 3:20 PM
344	This project will contribute to young people being given the opportunity to experience activities including sleepers	2/2/2024 3:14 PM
345	Breadth of usage	2/2/2024 2:53 PM
346	Lack of viewing facilities.	2/2/2024 2:52 PM
347	Church of the Holy Rood does need path improvement's wheel chair access is non existent ,difficult to push over wet ground .	2/2/2024 2:46 PM
348	Great opportunity for the gym club and benefits many more than just gym but anyone visiting the sports venue.	2/2/2024 2:44 PM
349	Notts Gymnastics Academy makes a valuable contribution to sport and produces local GB Gymnasts. This facility has had its own troubles recently with the flooding and its lack of funds extends beyond this. Parents have not had any safe space to go and have been unable to view their children's progress for some time now. We really need this.	2/2/2024 2:28 PM
350	NGA is fab, a cafe and viewing area would be appreciated as my children are young and I wpuld love to watch them and help them out to the toilet rather than sit in my car	2/2/2024 2:23 PM
351	To maximise the opportunity to make the gymnastics facility the best it can be for the local community and hopefully provide more job opportunities for local people.	2/2/2024 2:19 PM
352	Charity run organisation that was hit badly by the floods last year. This organisation brings so much to young people within the community for very little in return.	2/2/2024 2:07 PM
353	The proposal would allow families to stay in the vicinity rather than going elsewhere during	2/2/2024 2:04 PM

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classes. Some children enjoy classes more when they know parents are close by rather than a drive away. It would also allow us to sit somewhere comfortable and warm

354	WBST have a thriving Guiding community and the development of the premises would help in more girls have new opportunities. This helps with their physical,mental and wellbeing .	2/2/2024 1:49 PM
355	WBST have a thriving Guiding community and the development of the premises would help in more girls have new opportunities. This helps with their physical,mental and wellbeing .	2/2/2024 1:49 PM
356	In need of a cafe and social space for parents and gymnasts. Safety crucial in the winter as very dark, need CCTV	2/2/2024 1:48 PM
357	My daughter attends gymnastics, at the NGA club.	2/2/2024 1:45 PM
358	Would benefit all young gymnasts and their families	2/2/2024 1:27 PM
359	The Gymnastics Academy has many members and encourages children and young adults to adopt a healthy lifestyle. It is an inspirational place and there are athletes there who compete for GB, which is fantastic, positive exposure for Nottingham. At the moment the viewing facilities are non-existent. Improved viewing facilities could enable higher profile competitions to take place and ensure the gymnasts can be supported by family and friends which could lead to more spending in the local area.	2/2/2024 1:25 PM
360	The garden at Holy Rood is being used more and more, due to the huge housing expansion locally. The gardens are so attractive but some of the access to much of it is impossible and/or dangerous. Brian Stewart	2/2/2024 1:19 PM
361	It has a massive number of children attending daily and their safety is paramount.	2/2/2024 1:11 PM
362	Notts Gymnastics Academy serves a huge number of children and adults from grass roots to elite athletes. The project to add viewing facilities is essential to safeguard the children who attend and will benefit current and future gymnasts in both the short and long term. Promoting safe sport and activity is invaluable to the health and wellbeing of the local community.	2/2/2024 1:06 PM
363	Sport is in great need, so supporting any sport is my choice, and parents have easy access to view they training is a most	2/2/2024 1:01 PM
364	My child trains at Notts Gymnastics for 10hrs a week	2/2/2024 12:59 PM
365	The gym facilities are not great for parents and there are no facilities for people not partaking in the sessions. Also may mean more competitions could be held there which would benefit the local economy. They also struggle with funding at the moment, anything that encourages people especially young girls to continue in a sport should be strongly supported.	2/2/2024 12:57 PM
366	The daughter attends here and I would love to have a space to sit and watch her develop and grow	2/2/2024 12:49 PM
367	There is not currently a space where parents can watch and support gymnasts. The opportunity to meet other parents is limited.	2/2/2024 12:45 PM
368	Notts Gymnastics Academy makes a valuable contribution to sport and produces local GB Gymnasts. This facility has had its own troubles recently with the flooding and its lack of funds extends beyond this. Parents have not had any safe space to go and have been unable to view their children's progress for some time now. We really need this.	2/2/2024 12:42 PM
369	I've selected the ones I feel have greatest impact on the greatest number of local people	2/2/2024 12:41 PM
370	NGA support a vast number of young gymnasts to access sport from the age of 4. This is a fantastic space, and deserves to be able to make a better experience for all its gymnastics and their families.	2/2/2024 12:40 PM
371	Would benefit a particular group	2/2/2024 12:38 PM
372	The provision of a viewing and cafe area at Notts Gymnastics Academy will allow parents to feel assured their children are being cared for in line with the Academy's principles and British Gymnastics guidance as set out by the Whyte review by being able to see for themselves. Currently Notts are unable to offer parent viewing for any sessions, so to be able to will massively increase visibility and confidence, allowing transparency and also allow these young children to show off their progress, ability and achievements in sessions to parents rather than recreate some skills in safely at home and for squad gymnasts. The ability for parents to	2/2/2024 12:35 PM

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socialise during sessions, building networks and support as particularly for squad gymnasts having other people in similar situations of time, pressure etc is key to best supporting the athletes.

373	My child attends the classes and the support would be very valuable to members	2/2/2024 12:34 PM
374	NGA is a massive asset for WB and their current facilities are not in keeping with such an organisation, they need assistance to attract and retain parents willing to send their children to a safe, enjoyable place as well as offer the opportunity to not stand round the back of the school next to portable toilets!	2/2/2024 12:29 PM
375	Notts Gymnastic Academy provides a fantastic community service to those who participate in gymnastics and have achieved so much with so little support. This support would open their reach up further into the community and allow them to reach out to more people.	2/2/2024 12:28 PM
376	As a part of the Notts Gymnastics Club community, we know how invaluable these facilities will be for those connected to the club, children, parents, and also enabling the wider community and visitors to the club to be able better engage with the club and its activities.	2/2/2024 12:10 PM
377	Both my children are members at NGA and as yet have never been able to watch them. These are memories being missed and seeing what they are upto. Living on the other side of Nottingham in Wollaton, it is not practical to drive home inbetween and so atm have to sit in my car for 2 hours. It would be amazing to have somewhere to sit and watch my 2 children enjoy their gymnastics	2/2/2024 12:09 PM
378	Notts gymnastics academy support children of all ages and backgrounds to develop in a sport and including to an international level	2/2/2024 12:09 PM
379	Gymnastics - the academy supports children across the region to excel in the sport and compete regionally, nationally and internationally, but the current facilities do not support parental / guardian support, particularly for families from a lower socio-economic background with multiple children. It is difficult for such families to keep coming without anywhere to go whilst their child/dren are training. Better by bike - significant benefits for anyone who can ride a bike. Having lived in places with proper lanes and facilities, it makes a massive difference to the community feeling confident to cycle rather than use their cars. With climate change a growing and urgent concern, this initiative is vital.	2/2/2024 12:08 PM
380	The club makes a valuable contribution to young children	2/2/2024 12:02 PM
381	The Gymnastics Academy is hugely valuable locally and nationally and has made a great difference to the well-being of young people and adults both physically and mentally. The team ethos and wider community support is so important for this very special hub which caters for top level gymnasts and physical confidence building in toddlers with all levels in between.	2/2/2024 11:57 AM
382	The Gymnastics Academy supports 100's of gymnasts on the journey for many boys and girls. It is important not for just them but for the whole community and region they have facilities to continue the hard work that has been started for many years to come. As a parent of a Gymnast i cannot remember the last time the gym had any facilities like the proposed due to these going to other facilities. Has all the making of being a massive sporting draw for the city	2/2/2024 11:54 AM
383	Flooding ruined a lot of the equipment. It's somewhere hundreds of people are getting development and sporting opportunities	2/2/2024 11:52 AM
384	It is a very develop gym club that trains many proud gym players and would deserve an upgrade on the facilities to enhance future development .	2/2/2024 11:45 AM
385	All my children are involved in both the groups I have voted for and they provide and invaluable amount of support for my children as well as many many others	2/2/2024 11:44 AM
386	The gymnastics academy has been without a viewing area and cafe space since Covid and is now on the middle of a building site that means there is nowhere to drop off/wait for gymnasts except by the school bins! Paxdien supports many groups of girls to experience and enjoy girl guiding.	2/2/2024 11:44 AM
387	Notts Gymnastics Academy is an invaluable local resource to help young people engage in sport. There service is well respected within the local community and beyond which is evidenced by their constant waitlist of young people wanting to join the club. They cater for all, from complete beginners to elite gymnasts, covering all age ranges and abilities. As a parent of a child who attends, I have seen my daughter grow in confidence and develop a real passion	2/2/2024 11:40 AM

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for gymnastics, and sports in general, and have seen such a positive change in her emotionally and physically. The academy is constantly trying to improve their services to benefit the children and young people they support, often with big set backs, such as recent flooding at the gym. As things stand currently, parents and carers are not able to watch their gymnasts training due to the set up and can only drop off and collect their children, and this can leave parents feeling a little detached from the sessions. Children and young people give their all when they attend, whether that's a gym for all session or training to become a member of a national squad. Improving the provisions at the centre would help the club continue to support these children and allow parents and carers to become more involved, which is vital to children's success at all levels.

388	Support my triplets development at gymnastics and give me the ability to watch it.	2/2/2024 11:37 AM
389	Fitness and health for all ages	2/2/2024 11:35 AM
390	The gymnasium club is a huge part of so many children's lives that it will be incredible for the parents and families to be able to gather socially and support the children and each other more	2/2/2024 11:35 AM
391	The gymnastics and the parks projects will help a huge number of the community covering a number of age groups, and a rich and poor alike.	2/2/2024 11:34 AM
392	These are areas in the local communities that are valuable and widely used. The gymnastics academy was damaged due to flooding, as was the hook, and therefore funding at this time to these areas would be good to prioritise. Paxiden is widely used, and particularly valuable to this group of children who suffered with less opportunity due to the covid pandemic and therefore they really need good, nearby facilities to use.	2/2/2024 11:31 AM
393	Notts Gym Academy is a place for kids and young people and that place makes massive difference for them, they not only train there but they have friends there, personal goals to achieve, mental support, future.	2/2/2024 11:29 AM
394	Much more support should be given to NGA to enhance the uptake of younger people taking up sports overall	2/2/2024 11:28 AM
395	I would like the money to go towards something that all the community benefit from.	2/2/2024 11:27 AM
396	I have known Notts Gymnastics Academy for several years, since my child joined the club. They work hard to deliver to bring out the best of the gymnasts. Furthermore, they organise many events to show off to the families the gymnasts achievements and have wonderful clubs to keep children engaged with sports and active during school holidays. Moreover, They have been suffering great misfortune with the recent storms which caused great damage to their facilities, and yet they have managed to continue with the classes in the meanwhile.	2/2/2024 11:25 AM
397	My son attends NGA and I have been unable to view his training sessions since he has moved up to independent classes. Him knowing I was there would boost his confidence at the sport and it would enable me to interact with other gymnastics parents which I have been unable to do so far. It would create more of a community to have this area available	2/2/2024 11:23 AM
398	Local community support for school aged children activities	2/2/2024 11:23 AM
399	Notts Gymnastics Academy has a brand reputation and needs to be promoted as a lighthouse project for the community	2/2/2024 11:21 AM
400	Currently I have to sit in a car while my daughter is at her gymnastics class, I'd feel warmer in a cafe and importantly could better discharge my parental duty to her if I could keep an eye on her from a viewing gallery. Please could you consider this request.	2/2/2024 11:21 AM
401	Both my daughters attend Notts Gymnastics Academy and the facilities have been unfit for purpose for years. It is greatly in need of an upgrade to meet even the basic facilities	2/2/2024 11:21 AM
402	Both Notts Gymnastics and the girlguides provide amazing opportunities for my daughters to join in these activities which really helps both their physical and mental health. A cafe and viewing area would significantly help the parents of gymnasts as well as help support the expansion and ongoing running of NGA	2/2/2024 11:20 AM
403	Notts gymnastics academy not only develops talented young gymnasts and has a fabulous reputation for producing multiple members of the Great Britain team who go on to compete nationally and internationally, but they also provide essential exercise, social interaction and confidence building for a huge number of children and young adults. This is a huge accolade	2/2/2024 11:19 AM

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for rushcliffe and one that we should continue to support to ensure the success continues. It puts rushcliffe on the map, with lots of people travelling from miles away to use the facilities, as well as serving the local community. Their proposal would facilitate further success, and make it an even more attractive hobby for young people to take up, getting them off the streets and into a safe, productive environment.

404	I think this funding would support an under funded sport	2/2/2024 11:19 AM
405	These are groups that I know and that make a valuable contribution, but all the facilities mentioned would benefit the wider community.	2/2/2024 11:19 AM
406	Notts Gymnastic academy offer great opportunities in gymnastics for all children in the local community. With Olympic athletes training there and inspiring the younger generations. Currently there is no viewing facilities and therefore parents are unable to see their children enjoy and learn new skills. A cafe would create gymnastics community where parents and teachers can engage but current facilities do not allow this.	2/2/2024 11:17 AM
407	Notts Gymnastics have recently been flooded, in addition many parents, carers and siblings are unable to watch their loved ones practicing a cafe area would be a benefit and hopefully sustainable.	2/2/2024 11:17 AM
408	NGA support a vast number of young gymnasts to access sport from the age of 4. This is a fantastic space, and deserves to be able to make a better experience for all its gymnastics and their families.	2/2/2024 11:16 AM
409	NottsGymnastics is doing an incredible job getting kids active, encouraging diversity in gymnastics and supporting the local community by offering really reasonably priced activities for children to encourage inclusivity and allow poorer families to benefit. Their facilities are a community hub and always busy. A huge amount of families would benefit from an indoor space to wait for their children as there aren't any other facilities nearby and those coming on public transport really don't have time to go anywhere in the duration of the class.	2/2/2024 11:16 AM
410	Physical and mental wellbeing support	2/2/2024 11:16 AM
411	Importance for children in the local area who were badly affected by covid lockdowns	2/2/2024 11:12 AM
412	I understand the Notts Gymnastics Academy is a charity that supports over 1500 children and young people. This project will improve the experience of both the gymnasts, parents and staff. It will also enable more people to experience all the benefits of gymnastics and it will enable further revenue to be made that will all be reinvested back into the club as it is a charity.	2/2/2024 9:28 AM
413	Charity based , volunteers helping young people of our community	2/2/2024 7:36 AM
414	It would enable more girls and leaders to have experiences of being away from home in a safe place	2/2/2024 7:33 AM
415	Parents will be able to form more of a community to support their children in a sport. They ill also be able to watch there child participate and share special moments together.	2/1/2024 10:39 PM
416	Pond - outdoor activities, eco system, biodiversity Guiding - promote safe use for girls, would be used by local and national groups	2/1/2024 9:52 PM
417	It's an area that gets overlooked but brings enormous health benefits, and provides people who might not otherwise have a sense of purpose	2/1/2024 7:44 PM
418	The Girl Guide Association have lost their training & residential houses	2/1/2024 7:30 PM
419	Young people and sustainable futures are the key to a brighter future for all.	2/1/2024 7:03 PM
420	Girlguiding is going through troubled times, and the local groups/units need all the help they can get.	2/1/2024 5:30 PM
421	This project will enhance the lives of girls throughout the county as well as local groups wishing to use the facilities.	2/1/2024 5:30 PM
422	This is an excellent resource for all Girlguiding groups and the proposed works will widen access for more girls and groups	2/1/2024 5:28 PM
423	A closure of activity centres means we are running out of places to take out young members for adventure. These renovations will directly benefit the community and help girls grow.	2/1/2024 5:10 PM

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424	Valuable contribution to young people living in West Bridgford	2/1/2024 5:06 PM
425	I like to support charities that give young people opportunities	2/1/2024 5:01 PM
426	Girlguiding is close to my heart and good facilities are needed.	2/1/2024 4:57 PM
427	Provide opportunities for children and young people to be part of activities in the local community by enhancing and improving the facilities of local clubs	2/1/2024 3:50 PM
428	Serve the community	2/1/2024 2:46 PM
429	The church gardens are beautiful but the paths are not suitable for everyone , if the paths are improved a lo more people can enjoy this garden.	2/1/2024 2:39 PM
430	Because they are groups that rely on volunteers mainly.	2/1/2024 2:03 PM
431	I support girl guides	2/1/2024 2:00 PM
432	Friends of The Hook voluntary group, work hard to maintain our local Nature Reserve. We have been so disappointed that our wildlife pond has not been successful again. It is such a good resource for our local residents, being a place to spend time to think or recover. It's a great place to continue education for our local school & for British Wildlife in general.	2/1/2024 8:46 AM
433	Develops existing project and widens scope of support to groups using the community cafe.	2/1/2024 8:41 AM
434	Girl Guiding has been a big influence in my own and my girls life and works hard in the community.	2/1/2024 8:17 AM
435	This is a valuable asset for LadyBay and the wider WB community It provides a useful teaching resource for local school and community groups as well as preserving the local environment	1/31/2024 7:59 PM
436	Notts gymnastics academy provides a great service to the local community with their gymnastics provision, while the cafe will not directly benefit the gymnasts it will help us parents that sit and wait to support our children in their activities. Having the viewing facilities to watch all the gymnasts will be a huge bonus it will support safeguarding and as a parent that gives me great comfort. Viewing is not currently offered	1/31/2024 5:48 PM
437	Of greatest benefit to the largest number of residents	1/31/2024 4:09 PM
438	Helping and supporting local girls	1/31/2024 2:30 PM
439	I feel that Girlguiding supports lots of vulnerable young girls in the community and making Paxdien more accessible and improving it will support them to support their members in the best way	1/31/2024 10:04 AM
440	I am a brownie leader at paxdien, and the renovations will help my and other brownie groups.	1/31/2024 8:06 AM
441	Money for the changes to Paxdien hall will make a real difference to girlguide members, particular with the closure of our outdoor centres. The pond is frequently visited by our Brownie unit but is in such a bad state of repair that it has become unusable, restoring this will help us in educating & engaging the community in protecting the biodiversity of wildlife within the hook.	1/30/2024 10:21 PM
442	I use these facilities every day and support the need for improvements. I also have two young girls and agree they need more spaces.	1/30/2024 8:48 PM
443	I think the Bikeworks project is a great way to support local people who need support and will also help encourage long lasting positive changes in their lifestyle.	1/30/2024 8:48 PM
444	Girl Guides makes a super local contribution	1/30/2024 8:45 PM
445	Part of Girlguiding and history with paxdien	1/30/2024 8:43 PM
446	Safety- mostly keeping in mind children and teenagers to enable them spending time together in fresh air; expanding natural beauty of our neighbourhood for relaxing and socialising purposes which has an immense impact on mental health	1/30/2024 8:36 PM
447	General benefits to the community	1/30/2024 8:32 PM
448	Will provide facilities for wider community.	1/30/2024 8:29 PM
449	Guiding... just great to have the girls put being busy and not being on phones! Social	1/30/2024 8:27 PM

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prescribing - just think it's amazing. The Hook - lovely area for all to enjoy.

450	The projects that I feel should get support, benefit a large proportion of the community.	1/30/2024 8:24 PM
451	The guiding community makes such a difference. Accessible and wide reaching opportunities for girls to have out of school opportunities and gain confidence.	1/30/2024 8:24 PM
452	The bids all felt like they could make a significant difference to individuals lives.	1/30/2024 8:23 PM
453	I believe this group have always, and always will, provide guidance which meets the needs of young females and gives them the tools as they venture onwards in life.	1/30/2024 8:18 PM
454	Benefit to local community	1/30/2024 8:17 PM
455	They are of value to the local community.	1/30/2024 8:11 PM
456	For the future growth of children's activities within the area. Costly large inniatives	1/30/2024 8:11 PM
457	Excellent project - helps health and wellbeing, lifelong skills, could be massively impactful for that community	1/30/2024 8:11 PM
458	Supportive of girlguiding and the great work they do for young people in the area	1/30/2024 8:01 PM
459	Needs to stop flooding Alford Road	1/30/2024 7:58 PM
460	The number of people the project would impact. Local spaces are important for the community. Our parks and halls will benefit the greatest number of people.	1/30/2024 7:44 PM
461	This would greatly allow more Girlguiding groups to met and be able to have better facilities for over night stays which ensures girls character development.	1/30/2024 7:26 PM
462	WB Park is an integral part of community life...the park needs to ge better maintained with no extra building etc but ensure plant and tree life survives.	1/30/2024 7:25 PM
463	The Paxiden benefits all of Nottingham South Girlguiding	1/30/2024 7:03 PM
464	West Bridgford Girlguiding provide excellent opportunities for girls to grow and learn and become valuable members of the community. Enhancing the facilities at Paxdien would assist with this.	1/30/2024 7:01 PM
465	Bike works is a fantastic organisation already doing great work. The proposal itself would make a real difference to people experiencing mental health issues, getting out on a bike really does help. It's also a great project to build community spirit.	1/30/2024 7:00 PM
466	Historical building which is a West Bridgford gem. Used for functions. Great green multicultural space.	1/30/2024 6:59 PM
467	Girlguiding is a great benefit to the community	1/30/2024 6:55 PM
468	Girlguiding Paxdien will offer local girls and girls from around the county to enjoy fabulous experiences	1/30/2024 6:53 PM
469	This project helps local young people with nights away experiences.	1/30/2024 5:41 PM
470	Am disabled so support better access for disabled people. Also ride my bike along the riverside path	1/30/2024 4:52 PM
471	Would benefit a particular group	1/30/2024 3:43 PM
472	I support work being done to improve the path at holyrood church. It is quite dangerous for vulnerable people walking on it.	1/30/2024 3:20 PM
473	The proposal will hugely benefit a large number of local residents. On average 1400 gymnasts access the facility every week, and so all will be hugely impacted in a positive way through the development work that needs to be carried out, as well as parents/carers who use the site.	1/30/2024 2:48 PM
474	Would benefit many people	1/30/2024 2:19 PM
475	More year-round (weather proof) provision to encourage grass roots sports, especially for daughters U8 team.	1/30/2024 2:10 PM
476	It's the most inclusive	1/30/2024 1:40 PM

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477	There is huge potential for this to impact upon the health and wellbeing of so many people. Mental health support is desperately needed in our community.	1/30/2024 1:29 PM
478	The two church projects will make their facilities far more accessible to physically challenged people, especially those requiring a wheelchair. They and the pond restoration will also contribute in no small way to the general wellbeing of the population.	1/30/2024 1:06 PM
479	Climate change means folk need to reconsider their mode of travel. Many can and could move to using a bike, especially for shorter local journeys.	1/30/2024 12:09 PM
480	I feel this money should be spent on projects for WB and not looking to serve wider areas. Further, projects that can be appreciated by all and not just niche groups serving particular interest groups. Investment in Bridgford Park would benefit a large sector of the local population, as it is a prominent area in the main Town Centre. The health project is an important project tackling what appears to be a major issue, loneliness.	1/30/2024 11:41 AM
481	It is not fit for purpose for junior football particularly for girls, and other sports in general. The Bull park in Gamston is smaller and has much better facilities.	1/30/2024 10:17 AM
482	My children play on this field and we use the road Alford road alot as do many of cars and when matches are on the ball is constantly going over on to the road which is very dangerous to drivers and the public	1/30/2024 9:51 AM
483	The recent rainfall has at times made Alford Road playing fields unusable. They play an important role for so many I have also gone for the ones that sound more geared towards the inclusion and accessibility of people that require things to be suited towards their needs so they can attend and be comfortable	1/30/2024 9:42 AM
484	To better reflect the land use aspect of the funding source it is better to have projects supported where there is a land use legacy	1/30/2024 9:36 AM
485	I attend events in the Holy Rood church hall from time to time, also I visit the garden, and the path seems to me to be quite uneven and potentially hazardous. I support cycling for environmental reasons.	1/30/2024 9:08 AM
486	The field floods whenever there is rain. Pedestrians are getting soaked by car spray whenever they walk along that side of the road. The bus stop turns into a massive puddle and anyone waiting for a bus gets soaked by cars going through the puddle.	1/30/2024 8:03 AM
487	Target a particular vulnerable group in society. Support a venue that serves lots of individuals and has had to put up with lots of renovations going on around whilst still delivering a service. The Paxdien hut has been in need of a renovation for a longtime and the girl guides are so important for young girls.	1/30/2024 7:30 AM
488	I generally support all of the projects, but my inclination is to lean towards projects that are open or can be used by the entire community rather than by a restricted group	1/30/2024 7:22 AM
489	The field supports a lot of local groups. It would benefit from support that would help with drainage and flooding issues. People getting the buss to work get drenched regularly after bad weather. I live on a street alongside the field and parking is a huge issue when football is on. I'm sure the pathway could be altered to allow for pull in areas to park.	1/30/2024 7:08 AM
490	I'd prefer to provide money to amateur sports clubs over churches awash with cash that don't pay taxes, or to the public sector that receive tax monies.	1/30/2024 6:49 AM
491	Social prescribing would make a huge difference to the community and I have also supported public facilities which are well loved and used.	1/29/2024 11:08 PM
492	Projects that support a large number of people in need and a general use facility that is accessible to all	1/29/2024 10:18 PM
493	They are all worthwhile and will have benefit to young, old and disabled.	1/29/2024 10:00 PM
494	I am a member of the Holy Rood congregation and know how much the cemetery and garden mean to many local people, and not just the Church members. The playing fields are a massive part of many local people's lives and the playing of football and rugby has become ever more popular with young people, and long may it continue. Preventing balls going into the road will not only allow games to run more freely but will make it safer for motorists and cyclists, as well as not putting people in danger having to retrieve the ball.	1/29/2024 9:52 PM

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495	Nottingham Bikeworks have consistently delivered on their projects. I have every confidence they will deliver on this project to people in the community in need. Flooding and footballs onto the road are a consistent problem on Alford Road park. It is such a well used facility by many members of the community playing multiple different sports with obvious benefits for physical and mental health.	1/29/2024 9:43 PM
496	The proposal for the renewal of the pond at The Hook will increase biodiversity and encourage more people to learn about and engage with nature	1/29/2024 9:39 PM
497	For people who need it or more beneficial for everyone.	1/29/2024 9:38 PM
498	Support for public transport. Support for promoting nature and public spaces to enjoy nature.	1/29/2024 9:37 PM
499	Would be the most benefit for all young people in West Bridgford, also the need to provide accessible equipment for people living with disabilities	1/29/2024 9:10 PM
500	Small but important activities run by volunteers trying to put somethng back into the community I see as more important	1/29/2024 9:06 PM
501	High public benefit. Help needed to combat high costs	1/29/2024 9:04 PM
502	Activities to support mental health.	1/29/2024 8:29 PM
503	Chooosen projects that I feel will benefit the widest variety people in the Bridgford & surrounding area	1/29/2024 8:20 PM
504	Potentially benefit the whole community rather than a specific group	1/29/2024 8:06 PM
505	Just a general interest in the community	1/29/2024 7:58 PM
506	The most people could benefit. It would benefit communities near recent (ish) development or in West Bridgford centre.	1/29/2024 7:52 PM
507	As someone whose physical and mental wellbeing has been positively impacted by cycling I can really see the value of this project.	1/29/2024 7:51 PM
508	Support projects that will either benefit large numbers of the community or enhance natural features or improve outdoor facilities	1/29/2024 7:48 PM
509	Of greatest benefit to the largest number of residents	1/29/2024 7:45 PM
510	Local organisations focused on improving the quality of life in the local area	1/29/2024 7:32 PM
511	Sustainable transport which is open to a wide range of people & of environmental benefit.	1/29/2024 7:23 PM
512	Improved Alford Road football pitches	1/29/2024 7:11 PM
513	Groups that will be valuable to the community	1/29/2024 6:58 PM
514	Focus on diversity and inclusion, adding new facilities, and wellbeing of residents.	1/29/2024 6:28 PM
515	Wonderful idea St Paul's. There are a good selection of community groups around. The issue is transport particularly for elderly people who become isolated.	1/29/2024 6:19 PM
516	I support the Alford Road bid in particular. My reasons are the danger to road users as well as footballers from the balls that regularly go across a busy road. Recently the water was pouring across the path which is well used by the community; it then turned to ice which is dangerous.	1/29/2024 5:32 PM
517	Contribution to local area as a better place to live.	1/29/2024 5:20 PM
518	Several involve supporting activities for young people or better access for those with mobility issues. In several cases more than the group named will benefit from the improvements they seek to make.	1/29/2024 5:16 PM
519	I am a local resident and enjoy the many benefits of having the Hook and open fields available. Friends of the Hook do an amazing job of maintaining and improving the area for all ,people and wildlife.The pond improvements will encourage continued wildlife and an increased interest for the younger generations to understand nature.	1/29/2024 5:02 PM
520	Greater scope for whole community benefit and ongoing improvement in the area.	1/29/2024 5:01 PM
521	This will support many more people in different ways, A community hub will be available to lots	1/29/2024 4:52 PM

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of different people with differing needs.

522	-	1/29/2024 4:37 PM
523	I think accessibility to sport is important	1/29/2024 3:46 PM
524	Supporting local community	1/29/2024 3:44 PM
525	Local cricket club offering great opportunities for local children to join.	1/29/2024 3:41 PM
526	My son plays at Little Bounds and it would be a huge difference	1/29/2024 3:25 PM
527	they have wide applicability across different sectors of people in WB, not just for a single organisation.	1/29/2024 3:09 PM
528	Valuable social contribution	1/29/2024 3:05 PM
529	I feel the funding should be used for the benefit of elderly / disabled groups or on wellbeing for people who may struggle financially	1/29/2024 2:41 PM
530	The projects selected would benefit a wide range of residents on Edwalton.	1/29/2024 2:26 PM
531	Mostly environmental or of benefit to more people.	1/29/2024 2:15 PM
532	I think the girlguiding hall has been neglected by the community however girlguiding across the sector provide a big commitment to provide support for girls which haven't been recognised for a while.	1/29/2024 2:05 PM
533	None of the above, where is the funding for something in Radcliffe on Trent. Again RBC seem to forget there is a borough outside of west bridgford that they are responsible for	1/29/2024 1:58 PM
534	Girls football is an excellent opportunity to develop	1/29/2024 1:54 PM
535	The West Bridgford Girlguiding bid will enable not only young people from Girlguiding but also many other community groups and backgrounds to use the facilities for very cost effective overnight accommodation	1/29/2024 1:41 PM
536	Girls football at Alford Road playing fields	1/29/2024 1:38 PM
537	This does not benefit just one group its for the benefit of all to hire	1/29/2024 1:34 PM
538	I support initiatives that will get young people outdoors and exercising!	1/29/2024 1:34 PM
539	My children are frequent users of Bridgford park and the play area is in real need of investment. My daughter is a gymnast at Rushcliffe and due to the ongoing works I have never seen her practice. My other daughter plays football for Colts girls and Alford Road is supposed to be her home pitch and is invariably unplayable.	1/29/2024 1:30 PM
540	I feel this project would benefit the cricket club as everyone should have a right to use the toilet and if we were in the same position as someone who can't use a standard toilet we would want an accessible toilet. I play for the cricket club and its an amazing club	1/29/2024 1:16 PM
541	Great added value for the area	1/29/2024 12:34 PM
542	the community, sports and bike projects will help in promoting exercise in the community along with trying to reach new people, the little bounds project will help access for those who need it who continue to watch and enjoy cricket throughout the summer even local residents. I have seen the impact that social prescribers do although feel that their funding should come from NHS as it an invaluable project for those who need and receive it	1/29/2024 12:27 PM
543	help keep services for young children	1/29/2024 11:42 AM
544	All of these projects add to the ability of the community to engage with and benefit the residents of their community. As a resident of Lady bay I frequently enjoy the peace and tranquility of the Hook and have been saddened by the dry pond, a lovely area just to sit and contemplate.	1/29/2024 11:34 AM
545	Having a good facility is most important for increased accessibility and inclusivity. Create ease of use to those who need extra room in toilets, not just wheelchairs users. Some people have hidden disabilities and may be accompanied by a carer. Having access to an accessible toilet will allow them to maintain dignity without having to struggle. Knowing the facility is there may	1/29/2024 11:34 AM

also help to encourage local people to visit more often, perhaps to help out, take part or simply enjoy watching the many variations of cricket that take place at Little Bounds.

546	I strongly feel a genuine cricket club in the midst for the town attracts a lot of local resident to watch the game and practice. Over 100 visitors and 50 players any time in summer would need a good accessible toilets	1/29/2024 11:27 AM
547	I feel the NHS scheme is very important, and the cricket club I've seen first hand the impact it has on the community with its large junior section; and is in need of improved facilities	1/29/2024 11:24 AM
548	Improving these facilities would give access to more groups to take part in recreational cricket knowing that all accessibility issues have been addressed off field	1/29/2024 10:59 AM
549	Making local sport more inclusive and welcoming will have a massive positive impact on the local community. It will ensure everyone feels welcome to participate, watch and enjoy club cricket and create a better sense of community.	1/29/2024 10:56 AM
550	I believe cricket clubs are a key hub for local communities, giving huge benefits to both physical and mental wellbeing. Having facilities that allow for all to benefit, such as the disabled toilets at little bounds, can only be viewed as an important step and crucial project.	1/29/2024 10:50 AM

Q4 Where you have indicated that you would not support funding a project, or projects, are there any reasons for this view?

Answered: 242 Skipped: 548

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	I feel there are other projects that would support a wider number of people - in terms of volume.	2/19/2024 9:10 AM
2	I dont feel they need funding	2/19/2024 6:31 AM
3	NA	2/19/2024 1:01 AM
4	No	2/18/2024 10:40 PM
5	They all seem good causes.	2/18/2024 9:41 PM
6	N/a	2/18/2024 9:09 PM
7	I worked in the passbin community projects and the Alford park received lots of investment plus is a house of colts and Edwalton football teams who received a higher income from the sports and games!!!	2/18/2024 8:06 PM
8	NHS should pay for social Prescribing	2/18/2024 7:55 PM
9	N/A	2/18/2024 6:53 PM
10	With all the other projects, decorative mosaics would not seem a sensible use of much needed funds	2/18/2024 5:11 PM
11	.	2/18/2024 4:27 PM
12	n/a	2/18/2024 3:30 PM
13	Not applicable	2/18/2024 11:47 AM
14	Commemorative a nice idea but doesn't really create long term benefit/ usage by many like the other projects	2/18/2024 10:56 AM
15	N/a	2/18/2024 9:38 AM
16	I feel the parks are fine for now.	2/18/2024 8:57 AM
17	Na	2/18/2024 7:05 AM
18	There is no to little benefit for members of the community	2/18/2024 4:58 AM
19	Bike riders can be a hazard	2/18/2024 3:05 AM
20	I belive that there are more important causes for the money to go to and they may find funding in other ways	2/17/2024 11:31 PM
21	This should be supported by the council outside of public funding	2/17/2024 11:01 PM
22	Groups which draw from restricted pool or which incidentally foster segregation..girl guides. Additionally there should be a tangible benefit to the community at this time..a mosaic? Really? Finally, it is not appropriate to support local activities where the parent group is inherently wealthy..church path?	2/17/2024 10:51 PM
23	Na	2/17/2024 10:37 PM
24	N/A	2/17/2024 10:31 PM
25	.aybes the church itself could fund raise to ha e the path repaired/replaced	2/17/2024 10:22 PM
26	.aybes the church itself could fund raise to ha e the path repaired/replaced	2/17/2024 10:21 PM
27	I don't believe community funds should be used to restore public paths	2/17/2024 10:18 PM

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28	Although planting trees is good, commemorative mosaics don't really benefit anyone, just make somewhere look nice	2/17/2024 10:15 PM
29	No opinion	2/17/2024 9:29 PM
30	N/a	2/17/2024 8:14 PM
31	I don't think funds should go to religious projects	2/17/2024 7:46 PM
32	Not sure what it's about.	2/17/2024 7:38 PM
33	The NHS could/should support this themselves.	2/17/2024 7:08 PM
34	Bridgford park already in excellent condition, does not need any urgent funding.	2/17/2024 5:24 PM
35	Yes for all the young people to stay health and fit	2/17/2024 5:04 PM
36	It wouldn't have any affect on me.	2/17/2024 4:05 PM
37	Most people have bikes now days and I don't think this would need any more funding	2/17/2024 3:09 PM
38	I do not believe these should be funded over the other items	2/17/2024 2:52 PM
39	Na	2/17/2024 2:40 PM
40	N/a	2/17/2024 2:14 PM
41	No, they are just projects that would not benefit me or my family.	2/17/2024 2:14 PM
42	Prescribing service should be funded through the NHS. Scout hut- There has t been any building in LB. Can gain funding through other sources.	2/17/2024 2:08 PM
43	My children won't use them.	2/17/2024 2:05 PM
44	Don't add community value to the same extent	2/17/2024 1:57 PM
45	Church of England have their own funding to improve the path	2/17/2024 1:51 PM
46	The church system as a whole is rich. The church should look to its official organisation to fund repairs.	2/17/2024 1:47 PM
47	Religious grounds	2/17/2024 1:41 PM
48	Doesn't seem necessary	2/17/2024 1:31 PM
49	Na	2/17/2024 1:31 PM
50	NA	2/17/2024 1:19 PM
51	They get a lot of funds from elsewhere	2/17/2024 8:05 AM
52	Not the best use of resources	2/17/2024 4:56 AM
53	I believe there are many other funding avenues for NGA open.	2/12/2024 5:04 PM
54	I think that all the causes are worthwhile, however I appreciate there in limited funds so have selected the causes which I feel are a higher priority	2/12/2024 4:44 PM
55	N/A	2/12/2024 3:42 PM
56	target a small audience	2/12/2024 2:58 PM
57	Object to funding projects linked to religious institutions	2/12/2024 2:24 PM
58	I don't feel that a council facility which is run as a commercial entity and has the ability to bring in income from the events/functions etc that are held there. This facility should be able to fund the renovations themselves.	2/12/2024 12:17 PM
59	We have too many under used cycling lanes, at a massive cost.	2/12/2024 11:14 AM
60	Gymnastics academy is not council run and they are a private business with enough funding to use the profits to their own benefit	2/12/2024 8:49 AM
61	The Gymnastic academy is a very narrow section of the community. The trees sound good but	2/11/2024 7:26 PM

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mosaics for the Lady Bay Scout hut?

62	I've not picked individual sports as these don't impact on the wider community	2/11/2024 1:02 PM
63	Private members' clubs, like the sports clubs, should raise their own money through membership fees, fundraising efforts and grants. They're not publicly accessible and, unlike guides or scouts, the nature and costs of membership exclude many people, so I'm not convinced they should be eligible for this sort of public funding. I said no to the scout hut because it's a small project they should be able to fund themselves and only benefits the users of that hut, unlike the guides project which benefits the whole district. It would be helpful if you told us how much applicants are asking for, so we can take a view on value for money. e.g <£1k to the scout hut might seem ok but more poor value. I have reservations about social prescribing as should this not be funded through the NHS so general taxation? The fact they've applied suggests not though.	2/11/2024 12:39 PM
64	They are very specific and only help a few people or groups of people, community money should be available to improve areas for all	2/11/2024 12:01 PM
65	They already have acceptable facilities and the ability to fund raise for the proposed project	2/11/2024 11:27 AM
66	N/A	2/11/2024 8:59 AM
67	Limited benefit to the community	2/11/2024 8:54 AM
68	Projects don't have a wellbeing benefit	2/11/2024 8:49 AM
69	Surely some of them should be funded by RBC anyway. Also some are nice to have and do not benefit a wider group.	2/11/2024 8:38 AM
70	Religious group - can lead to inadvertant alienation of parts of the community	2/11/2024 8:26 AM
71	All valid projects but the others reach a wider group. The gymnastics academy is attended by people from all over the East Midlands so not specifically beneficial to local people.	2/11/2024 8:26 AM
72	Other projects need support more	2/9/2024 8:19 AM
73	It seems directed at a particular small group of people rather than being open to many	2/9/2024 6:51 AM
74	Im anti religious	2/8/2024 9:04 PM
75	Yes	2/8/2024 7:25 PM
76	Bridgford park is becoming a mess of projects. It's cluttered with stuff	2/8/2024 7:17 PM
77	None	2/8/2024 3:24 PM
78	Can't see a benefit.	2/8/2024 1:48 PM
79	Churches should fund themselves.	2/8/2024 11:43 AM
80	I do not oppose any of the projects - just some better than others	2/8/2024 10:55 AM
81	Should not fund any religious projects	2/7/2024 11:33 PM
82	I had to chose one	2/7/2024 10:06 PM
83	I think there are far more worthwhile things to support.	2/7/2024 9:02 PM
84	No	2/7/2024 7:09 PM
85	I do support a specific religion.	2/7/2024 6:58 PM
86	Bikes ride on the pavements being a danger to the people walking on them. Scout hut mosaic are not at this economical time a necessity	2/7/2024 6:16 PM
87	Anything religious should not be funded by neighbourhood funds in my opinion.	2/7/2024 5:41 PM
88	Preference elsewhere	2/7/2024 5:02 PM
89	This should be funded by the NHS.	2/7/2024 4:27 PM
90	N/a	2/7/2024 4:19 PM
91	Much finance is already spent on bike lanes.	2/7/2024 4:02 PM

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92	the Catholic Church already has lots of money and assets	2/7/2024 4:01 PM
93	No	2/7/2024 4:01 PM
94	The gymnastics academy is highly exclusive and focused on national and international excellence rather than benefitting Rushcliffe. It should raise money from funds aimed at elite sport	2/7/2024 4:00 PM
95	Any service which could access support and funding through another source should not have the same priority as those within the local remit.	2/7/2024 3:40 PM
96	It's a well used and maintained playing field already	2/7/2024 3:38 PM
97	Church need to fund their own ideas	2/7/2024 3:06 PM
98	Just not priorities - seem to only benefit a few	2/7/2024 2:53 PM
99	Organisations can raise funds easier themselves or through main umbrella organisations.	2/7/2024 2:36 PM
100	N/A	2/7/2024 2:26 PM
101	Things that maybe wouldn't serve the community as a whole. This is a little hard to judge	2/7/2024 2:24 PM
102	Whilst I haven't objected to funding, I am not sure funding religious organisations with public money is always appropriate	2/7/2024 2:22 PM
103	Bridgford Park has had a number of up grades and this time round I feel it is still serviceable. The scout Hutt is new and whilst I'm sure tree planting would benefit the area, there are other ways to source trees. The bike path along Regatta Way is not used.....I walk it every day and if I pass 1 bike a day I am lucky. The new bridge planned over the Trent is for cyclists too.	2/7/2024 2:20 PM
104	I do not wish to support religious groups	2/7/2024 1:58 PM
105	I have not supported church/guide related activities because I think they can get support elsewhere	2/7/2024 1:44 PM
106	Government or private funds by charging fees	2/7/2024 1:32 PM
107	I'm sure they have access to other funding streams	2/7/2024 1:25 PM
108	N/A	2/7/2024 1:23 PM
109	I'm not convinced about a cafe and office being needed . I appreciate a lot of work goes into organising but I feel this could be done on line .	2/7/2024 1:10 PM
110	Mosaics are very low priority. Trees are good	2/7/2024 1:09 PM
111	N/a	2/7/2024 1:08 PM
112	Not really. Just want to prioritise the one I've chosen.	2/7/2024 1:06 PM
113	unnecessary	2/7/2024 1:01 PM
114	There are plenty more opportunities for funding of gymnastics from Sport England. The CofE has plenty of money I believe.	2/7/2024 12:48 PM
115	I do not believe the Church should be subsidised by public funds.	2/7/2024 12:47 PM
116	Mosaics for the scout hut may be pretty but would not be beneficial to lots of people	2/6/2024 5:23 PM
117	N/a.	2/5/2024 12:23 PM
118	Religious groups and NHS groups should not be able to receive council funding	2/5/2024 11:59 AM
119	NA	2/5/2024 10:47 AM
120	I prefer projects which will provide opportunity for activity/engagement rather than aesthetic improvements	2/5/2024 10:14 AM
121	Religious groups and NHS groups should not be able to receive council funding	2/5/2024 8:59 AM
122	-	2/4/2024 5:18 PM
123	No	2/4/2024 4:03 PM

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124	I feel the NHS, not the borough, should be funding NHS community hubs. As for the other schemes, I respect they each will have their own merits, just not to the extent to which the Sir Julien Cahn Pavilion is an absolute standout.	2/4/2024 3:49 PM
125	Smaller groups which only benefit small amount of people. Health care groups should be funded by nhs.	2/4/2024 9:19 AM
126	Religious groups and NHS groups should not be able to receive council funding	2/4/2024 9:07 AM
127	The church should support and pay for the paths at the church of the Holy Rod.	2/3/2024 9:18 PM
128	Not in particular but I feel my chosen one has not had support from the council I am long time and for the achievements it has produced and the amount of thousands of kids across Westbridgfordasda and afar that come to attend because of the quality if training it provided it is only fair to support them	2/3/2024 12:43 PM
129	NA	2/3/2024 9:52 AM
130	N/A	2/3/2024 8:26 AM
131	The Bridge Field option seems to relate mostly to parking. I feel the council should not encourage more people to travel by car.	2/3/2024 8:12 AM
132	We should not support things that have separate funding streams, I.e the NHS, churches	2/3/2024 6:51 AM
133	The Ellerslie CC proposal is a worthy cause, but their proposal supports just one cricket club, at an enclosed, private ground (not a playing field). Alford Road and West Park are playing fields open to the public, and support a range of community groups and sports clubs (football, cricket, rugby, and the groups hiring the Sir Julien Cahn Pavilion). Public funds should support organisations and buildings the public can access.	2/2/2024 10:34 PM
134	N/A	2/2/2024 8:10 PM
135	N/A	2/2/2024 7:27 PM
136	No	2/2/2024 7:16 PM
137	I don't think a religious group should receive this sort of public funding.	2/2/2024 6:56 PM
138	The pavilion at West Park has already received significant funding.	2/2/2024 5:53 PM
139	They can access funding from their community.	2/2/2024 5:41 PM
140	N/A	2/2/2024 4:17 PM
141	Not prepared to comment on other projects as long as they define an appropriate community benefit.	2/2/2024 4:00 PM
142	No. I just know the value of the hall to Girlguiding	2/2/2024 2:53 PM
143	Too many bike schemes	2/2/2024 2:52 PM
144	No	2/2/2024 2:46 PM
145	We shouldn't normalise treating the Nhs as a charity	2/2/2024 2:23 PM
146	Other priorities more important	2/2/2024 1:48 PM
147	I don't feel that local council funding should be used for highways requirements.	2/2/2024 1:45 PM
148	I know very little about it	2/2/2024 1:11 PM
149	Church have their own way of fundraisers with collections and cover a bigger group	2/2/2024 1:01 PM
150	I think enough funding from the government has gone into roads for bikes and incentives are rife to use bikes. I really don't believe more funding is necessary	2/2/2024 12:59 PM
151	All seem worthwhile	2/2/2024 12:57 PM
152	All of these are great projects for support	2/2/2024 12:49 PM
153	NA	2/2/2024 12:45 PM

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154	Just feel they are less important than some of the other projects	2/2/2024 12:41 PM
155	N/a	2/2/2024 12:38 PM
156	N/a	2/2/2024 12:02 PM
157	N/A	2/2/2024 11:40 AM
158	Religious	2/2/2024 11:35 AM
159	The Catholic Church is one of the richest organisations on the planet. Also, a path in a church will only benefit a very small amount of people. The other bids will help a much greater number of people. Taxes should be spent on projects that are worthwhile and benefit a greater number of residents, church projects should find the money from their own congregation or organisation that don't need any extra money.	2/2/2024 11:34 AM
160	I think there is more important places than better by bike.	2/2/2024 11:29 AM
161	I dont agree	2/2/2024 11:27 AM
162	I drive by the car park and do not see any need for more improvements at the moment.	2/2/2024 11:25 AM
163	None	2/2/2024 11:21 AM
164	The other projects while undoubtedly worthwhile are not relevant to me and my family	2/2/2024 11:21 AM
165	I feel they don't support a wide enough population.	2/2/2024 11:19 AM
166	N/A	2/2/2024 11:19 AM
167	n/a	2/2/2024 11:17 AM
168	Should be funded by the nhs or local council	2/2/2024 7:36 AM
169	Scouts - can be completed by other charities, woodland trust, mosaics just decorative Gymnastics - internal works only benefit specific users of the centre	2/1/2024 9:52 PM
170	Feel some are more of a luxury and items than should be made by their own fundraising	2/1/2024 7:44 PM
171	The church have their own funds	2/1/2024 7:30 PM
172	They all look like worthy projects	2/1/2024 7:03 PM
173	Not needed	2/1/2024 2:46 PM
174	Yes	2/1/2024 2:03 PM
175	Edwalton has funds to conduct its work and the scope is limited to the churchyard.	2/1/2024 8:41 AM
176	This doesn't seem to support the wider local community	2/1/2024 8:17 AM
177	The proposals I don't support would appear to be capable of being funded by the school or the council	1/31/2024 9:29 PM
178	none	1/31/2024 5:48 PM
179	Would benefit fewer people or, in the case of Better by Bike, so much money has been spent on cycling already.	1/31/2024 4:09 PM
180	I think they're all valid projects, I'm just not close enough to the details	1/30/2024 10:21 PM
181	I thought the gymnastics academy had its own income / funding	1/30/2024 8:48 PM
182	I believe that money could be spent in more dire areas	1/30/2024 8:43 PM
183	.	1/30/2024 8:24 PM
184	More deserving / impactful bids than a commerative mosaic and tree planting	1/30/2024 8:23 PM
185	This should be funded,certainly in some degree, from the funds collected from events held on Bridge Field. Particularly when the event involves vehicles accessing the site.	1/30/2024 8:18 PM
186	Very specific - only benefit a few	1/30/2024 8:17 PM
187	Seems like they should be funded more by the businesses which operate in the area	1/30/2024 8:11 PM

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188	Already receiving government funding. Personal experience of this service raises concerns that it wouldn't be positively impactful	1/30/2024 8:11 PM
189	They all sound worthwhile	1/30/2024 8:01 PM
190	There are a number of resources available already which the NHS promote on a national scale.	1/30/2024 7:44 PM
191	My interest is in Girlguiding and more use of Paxdien,	1/30/2024 7:26 PM
192	We do not need any more bike lanes...they are more of a nuisance and make no better difference.	1/30/2024 7:25 PM
193	Limited facilities	1/30/2024 7:03 PM
194	It should be funded by NHS	1/30/2024 6:59 PM
195	This is a council owned building and should be funded accordingly.	1/30/2024 5:41 PM
196	The gymnastics academy charges and could pay themselves. Churches are likely to have a lot of money higher up in the organisation that can pay for improvements.	1/30/2024 2:19 PM
197	It only serves a small fraction of the community	1/30/2024 1:40 PM
198	Much more limited scope for making a difference to many people's lives	1/30/2024 1:29 PM
199	Cycling gets more than enough money. The churches should be looking to monies from Parishes and Diocese. The Scout Project sound like something that should be funded by fundraising and looking for commercial sponsorship.	1/30/2024 11:41 AM
200	They are not as necessary in the immediate, and in some instances seem quite frivolous.	1/30/2024 10:17 AM
201	I wouldn't like to say that any good cause shouldn't get funding but would hope the priorities would be to focus on community inclusion	1/30/2024 9:42 AM
202	N/a	1/30/2024 8:03 AM
203	Can potentially source money through members of clubs and fund raising events.	1/30/2024 7:30 AM
204	N/A	1/30/2024 7:22 AM
205	As above.	1/30/2024 6:49 AM
206	Do not seem that important in the scheme of other projects	1/29/2024 10:18 PM
207	Lady bay scout hut is a very good new facility that in my opinion does not require additional funding. The proposed project does not benefit a wide section of the community and not in a dramatic way like the other projects. Path improvements by a church does not benefit a wide section of the community and looking at the other projects the money can be put to better use elsewhere.	1/29/2024 9:43 PM
208	Funding religious groups! Errghhh!	1/29/2024 9:38 PM
209	Projects where funding can be derived from other sources or for organisations which have their own sources of income.	1/29/2024 9:37 PM
210	N/A	1/29/2024 9:10 PM
211	I do not believe that the funding should go to a religious organisation or to what appears to be a private company	1/29/2024 9:06 PM
212	There is not enough public benefit and they can fundraise separately themselves	1/29/2024 9:04 PM
213	I don't believe these projects will have a wide impact	1/29/2024 8:20 PM
214	Narrow and specific section of community	1/29/2024 8:06 PM
215	I think they are all good but I've chosen the ones that interested me the most	1/29/2024 7:58 PM
216	N/A	1/29/2024 7:48 PM
217	Would benefit fewer people or, in the case of Better by Bike, so much money has been spent on cycling already.	1/29/2024 7:45 PM

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218	Unnecessary	1/29/2024 7:10 PM
219	Would only benefit a certain group	1/29/2024 6:58 PM
220	Don't agree with directing money toward churches or religious organisations when majority of residents are not religious	1/29/2024 6:28 PM
221	Scouts and guides receive member subs to use.	1/29/2024 6:19 PM
222	Not a priority. Feel the church can self fund.	1/29/2024 5:32 PM
223	Not contributing to the local area as a better place to live.	1/29/2024 5:20 PM
224	I feel these should be covered by the county council	1/29/2024 5:16 PM
225	Too much money has already been spent on cycling. The area along Regatta Way is seldom used by cyclists, a complete waste of money.	1/29/2024 5:02 PM
226	This is a private business maskering as a community benefit, they sell hugely overpriced bikes and yet claim to help vulnerable people or asylum seekers it's a shame, I work in the cycle industry so am qualified to know a lot more than your average person about this.	1/29/2024 5:01 PM
227	Yes the church has sufficient funds to sort its paths out itself, as a local resident I have to fund my own pathway for my property. This will only affect a few people.	1/29/2024 4:52 PM
228	-	1/29/2024 4:37 PM
229	N/A	1/29/2024 3:46 PM
230	Church's have £millions and should not be begging	1/29/2024 3:41 PM
231	While none of the projects are undeserving, at a time when councils are all complaining of lack of funds it makes absolutely no sense to carve up a useful sum and spend it on "little" things when bigger, more important infrastructure improvements are crying out for funds. Eg. construction of new schools or improvements, repairs or expansion to existing school premises. Where is the council's priorities?	1/29/2024 3:23 PM
232	E.g. Notts gymnastics charge high monthly fees, this fee should incorporate facilities	1/29/2024 3:05 PM
233	I do not feel it benefits a wider community and perhaps should be streamed via different funding streams.	1/29/2024 2:26 PM
234	No, I wouldn't ultimately mind supporting them all.	1/29/2024 2:15 PM
235	None of the above, where is the funding for something in Radcliffe on Trent. Again RBC seem to forget there is a borough outside of west bridgford that they are responsible for	1/29/2024 1:58 PM
236	Commemorative mosaics for the Scouts and religious buildings maintenance should be funded from their own budgets.	1/29/2024 1:34 PM
237	I feel projects in religious settings shouldn't be funded by council funding	1/29/2024 1:30 PM
238	west bridgford park always gets funding and there is not much at the park that needs renovating	1/29/2024 12:27 PM
239	not appropriate and too much pressure on drivers and organisers and unnecessary, a waste of resource	1/29/2024 11:42 AM
240	Whilst I do not disagree with St Pauls minibus, it would take a considerable chunk of the funding if not all of it.	1/29/2024 11:34 AM
241	No	1/29/2024 11:27 AM
242	NA	1/29/2024 11:24 AM

Q5 Outside of the current projects do you have any thoughts on other projects or community groups / organisations that the Borough Council should promote future funding rounds to?

Answered: 190 Skipped: 600

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Making sure the outdoor spaces are maintained and new nature areas are created where possible. It is vitally important that everyone has access to green spaces.	2/19/2024 9:10 AM
2	No	2/19/2024 8:45 AM
3	No	2/19/2024 7:20 AM
4	No	2/19/2024 1:01 AM
5	No	2/18/2024 10:40 PM
6	No	2/18/2024 9:41 PM
7	N/A	2/18/2024 9:09 PM
8	Not at the moment	2/18/2024 8:06 PM
9	Invest in the librarys	2/18/2024 7:55 PM
10	N/A	2/18/2024 6:53 PM
11	not aware of any other projects	2/18/2024 3:30 PM
12	West Bridgford Advice Centre	2/18/2024 12:29 PM
13	West Bridgford Advice Centre.	2/18/2024 11:47 AM
14	No	2/18/2024 9:38 AM
15	The Scot's tree planting.	2/18/2024 8:57 AM
16	No	2/18/2024 8:13 AM
17	Na	2/18/2024 7:05 AM
18	N/a	2/18/2024 3:05 AM
19	Girlguiding. All units within the borough need support with update of existing facilities but also generally with support of the other units within the area with equipment, contributions towards valuable experiences that would help with the girls growth.	2/18/2024 12:01 AM
20	Homelessness and mental health groups	2/17/2024 11:31 PM
21	Libraries. literacy, all age needs	2/17/2024 10:51 PM
22	No	2/17/2024 10:37 PM
23	N/A	2/17/2024 10:31 PM
24	Supporting the Guiding & Scouting Association should be encouraged as they support our young people in WB, all leaders are volunteers to happily and selfishly give up their time to support the Associations.	2/17/2024 10:22 PM
25	Supporting the Guiding & Scouting Association should be encouraged as they support our young people in WB, all leaders are volunteers to happily and selfishly give up their time to support the Associations.	2/17/2024 10:21 PM
26	Skate park or bmx track for teenagers to use. Plant more trees in green areas. Decent public toilets that are free to use.	2/17/2024 10:15 PM

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27	St Giles Preschool	2/17/2024 10:02 PM
28	No at the moment	2/17/2024 9:29 PM
29	Nad	2/17/2024 8:44 PM
30	All of the projects listed have a strong West Bridgford focus. There are many other areas in the county that are often overlooked. Radcliffe on trent for example	2/17/2024 8:14 PM
31	No	2/17/2024 7:38 PM
32	Storage for SEWA foodbank.	2/17/2024 7:08 PM
33	N/A	2/17/2024 6:17 PM
34	Not at the moment.	2/17/2024 4:05 PM
35	Warm hubs, staying connected projects, outreach to help those with protected characteristics access healthcare.	2/17/2024 3:19 PM
36	No	2/17/2024 3:09 PM
37	Everything that expands the capability and skills of our young people and civic collaboration should be promoted.	2/17/2024 2:44 PM
38	N/a	2/17/2024 2:14 PM
39	No	2/17/2024 2:14 PM
40	All the Flower brick beds dotted around WB- huge support to wildlife. Wildlife havens on top of bus stops and any other buildings this could be done on. Spreading seeds on areas of grass that aren't cut in the summer and more of these.	2/17/2024 2:08 PM
41	Any funding to reduce venue hire to people running clubs that support physical or mental wellbeing. I have seen so many clubs close because it take too long to get enough numbers to cover the premise hire.	2/17/2024 2:08 PM
42	Radcliffe on trent community gardens 5th radcliffe brownies Radcliffe on trent guides	2/17/2024 2:05 PM
43	Environmental improvement projects always welcome	2/17/2024 2:02 PM
44	No	2/17/2024 1:57 PM
45	Fixing potholes.	2/17/2024 1:47 PM
46	promoting social groups to help alleviate loneliness, particularly for older people.	2/17/2024 1:19 PM
47	A gym in Edwalton	2/16/2024 6:34 AM
48	Friends of the Hook	2/13/2024 9:28 PM
49	Any projects that help tackle homelessness or food banks.	2/12/2024 4:44 PM
50	I would like to see a focus on projects/organisations that are attempting to address social or environmental need in and around the local area	2/12/2024 3:42 PM
51	More sports facilities within the borough. There is a massive demand for football, cricket and hockey pitches, but currently not enough pitches to meet this demand or continue to grow participation.	2/12/2024 12:17 PM
52	Croquet lawn	2/12/2024 11:14 AM
53	Environmental projects which communities can get involved in. Bettter recycling efforts. Services for children and elderly.	2/12/2024 8:49 AM
54	Skylarks	2/11/2024 9:21 PM
55	Professional graffiti on lady bay skate park to prevent offensive writing currently there	2/11/2024 8:00 PM
56	The canal in ladybay to avoid drying up in the summer.	2/11/2024 7:54 PM
57	I would like to see more support for the frail elderly in their homes - maybe volunteers helping them to get GP appointments, shopping, navigate the forthcoming changes to the telephone	2/11/2024 7:26 PM

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system.

58	Promote as widely as you can.	2/11/2024 12:39 PM
59	West Bridgford RFC	2/11/2024 12:01 PM
60	No	2/11/2024 8:59 AM
61	West park basketball court to fix the root damage	2/11/2024 8:44 AM
62	No	2/11/2024 8:38 AM
63	People with a learning disability	2/11/2024 8:26 AM
64	The Friary drop in centre	2/11/2024 8:26 AM
65	Flood awareness	2/10/2024 10:17 AM
66	No	2/9/2024 8:19 AM
67	Anything to do with green space	2/9/2024 6:51 AM
68	more tree planting	2/8/2024 9:04 PM
69	No	2/8/2024 7:25 PM
70	Befriending support for the vulnerable. Although the elderly are most at risk there are many other groups of people in our community who would benefit from this. Refugees, limited ability members, those with mental health difficulties for example.	2/8/2024 7:13 PM
71	Would like to see more emphasis on wildlife projects	2/8/2024 10:55 AM
72	Environmental or children services	2/7/2024 10:06 PM
73	No	2/7/2024 7:09 PM
74	I'd like to see an acceleration of tree planting. Seems like quite a lot of trees on streets get chopped down by the council but I'm not sure they replace them. Local groups would do this I'm sure.	2/7/2024 5:04 PM
75	Cycle routes, school,	2/7/2024 4:51 PM
76	No	2/7/2024 4:22 PM
77	Support for vulnerable & disabled/bedridden elderly people in their own homes that doesn't cost 'an arm & a leg' (Especially those who have 'paid into the system' all their lives but have been savvy enough to save a little. Seems to me that the only ones who get support these days are scroungers & immigrants who have paid nothing into the system & get everything for free.	2/7/2024 4:02 PM
78	sewage day food bank	2/7/2024 4:01 PM
79	Webcan who are trying to preserve the canal	2/7/2024 4:01 PM
80	Maybe more benches for our ageing population! These could be helped funded by the public wanting to commemorate a relative or friend or occasion.	2/7/2024 3:55 PM
81	Not really	2/7/2024 3:40 PM
82	Grantham canal restoration & maintenance ... it's a huge project that deserves council backing - again serves a large number of people & promotes wildlife & well being as well as health benefits	2/7/2024 2:53 PM
83	N/A	2/7/2024 2:26 PM
84	Better bike paths/routes. We are currently struggling to bike safely and efficiently to school from Lady Bay to Edwalton.	2/7/2024 2:24 PM
85	Lady BayToddlers Group needs new toys and input from activity providers maybe once a term. It supports babies, toddlers and new mums, as well as a good number of grans and granddads .	2/7/2024 2:20 PM
86	Abbey Park Community association	2/7/2024 1:37 PM
87	Lady Bay Arts	2/7/2024 1:36 PM

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88	Improvement of cycle routes, particularly heading into town over Lady Bay or Trent Bridge. Children's mental health services.	2/7/2024 1:33 PM
89	N/A	2/7/2024 1:23 PM
90	Playgroups for 0 to 2 year olds and day care for the elderly and / or disabled.	2/7/2024 1:10 PM
91	The hook play area in some areas is starting to show its age and could do with a revamp to be more in line with other local play areas. Quite often equipment is out of use and it could be made more modern, as it is used a lot by the local community.	2/7/2024 12:56 PM
92	The canal focused groups - restoring and maintaining the canal ways in and around West Bridgford are an essential feature of improving our micro ecosystem. It would also be good to see community arts groups supported to improve their infrastructure as appropriate, including ensuring arts support is available to local schools.	2/7/2024 12:47 PM
93	Any improvement to cycling facilities within the area, community bike repair stations, improvements to towpaths and bridleways	2/5/2024 11:59 AM
94	No	2/5/2024 10:47 AM
95	Maintenance of the Grantham canal/towpath	2/5/2024 10:14 AM
96	Any improvement to cycling facilities within the area, community bike repair stations, improvements to towpaths and bridleways	2/5/2024 8:59 AM
97	Community groups aimed at teenagers, so that they feel they have a purpose and are being considered.	2/4/2024 9:32 PM
98	I would really like to see RBC use pots of funding like this to reduce costs long term by considering investing in flexible energy schemes such as https://rippleenergy.com/business/ripple-for-business By investing in wind/solar farms now, all facilities can benefit from lower future energy bills	2/4/2024 6:37 PM
99	-	2/4/2024 5:18 PM
100	Any improvement to cycling facilities within the area, community bike repair stations, improvements to towpaths and bridleways	2/4/2024 9:07 AM
101	quality of roads	2/3/2024 10:31 PM
102	No	2/3/2024 7:44 PM
103	Gymnastics for me definitely, parks.	2/3/2024 12:43 PM
104	Clearing of weeds in towards Gamston canal	2/3/2024 12:27 PM
105	None	2/3/2024 9:52 AM
106	No	2/3/2024 8:26 AM
107	Promote more to public facilities for sport and outdoors activity which is more accessible. Cycling facilities and infrastructure would be good. It's the Rushcliffe motto. Great place - Great lifestyle - Great sport	2/2/2024 10:34 PM
108	No.	2/2/2024 7:27 PM
109	No	2/2/2024 7:16 PM
110	No	2/2/2024 4:17 PM
111	More help for teenagers under 25 with hidden disabilities to meet others and socialise in a safe way without judgement or prejudice in a supported way. Organisations like Umbrella in Derby and Derbyshire provide this, we need a group in Nottinghamshire that operates in a similar way.	2/2/2024 4:13 PM
112	Any projects addressing loneliness/isolation issues - for any age group.	2/2/2024 4:00 PM
113	No	2/2/2024 2:53 PM
114	No	2/2/2024 2:46 PM
115	More for children and young people in sports please.	2/2/2024 2:28 PM

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116	Notts Girlguiding Elton Camp site who urgently require fund to replace their outside toilets. drains and paths to make them accessible for disabled young people. Contact - Jean.ramsden37@gmail.com.	2/2/2024 1:49 PM
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118	Yes. Improved parking/car park facilities close to Holy Rood church	2/2/2024 1:19 PM
119	No	2/2/2024 1:11 PM
120	No at the moment	2/2/2024 1:01 PM
121	Children's safe guarding and play areas	2/2/2024 12:59 PM
122	A large park in bingham similar to the one in west bridgford given the vast amount of new housing being built	2/2/2024 12:57 PM
123	No	2/2/2024 12:49 PM
124	More for children and young people in sports please.	2/2/2024 12:42 PM
125	West Bridgford Operatic Society who have been performing shows since 1945 are finding it harder and harder to meet the costs of putting on popular musicals. The Arts are often overlooked where local funding is provided but such community groups with large numbers of members on and off stage, as well as local audiences need financial support to keep providing the membership and local community with a worthy service.	2/2/2024 12:41 PM
126	Is there support for people from diverse backgrounds e.g. lower socioeconomic groups to access funding and support to write the bids? I'd be keen to support initiatives that are targeted at underrepresented groups, many of whom might not know about the funding or have the resources to access it	2/2/2024 12:08 PM
127	All community groups or organisations that work for the benefit of all ages, levels, abilities, backgrounds, bringing people together.	2/2/2024 11:57 AM
128	N/A	2/2/2024 11:40 AM
129	Projects that will benefit the poorer in the community, particularly the young, disabled and the older members. There is alot of wealth in the district but also alot of poverty that is not self inflicted. The moral and right thing to do is to help these groups.	2/2/2024 11:34 AM
130	None	2/2/2024 11:21 AM
131	No	2/2/2024 11:19 AM
132	Some of these proposals look like they come from the council themselves but this is not described in the introduction to the survey which only talks about community groups - is this the appropriate route for these proposals?	2/2/2024 11:19 AM
133	Art within the Rushcliffe community for children. Many local activities are heavily sport based with little opportunity for creative art activities outside of their school curriculum which is limited.	2/2/2024 11:17 AM
134	Cycle paths	2/2/2024 11:17 AM
135	Addressing the condition of pavements to allow children to safely scoot through them needs urgent consideration.	2/2/2024 11:16 AM
136	Keeping local library open not planting trees improving paths , yes trees and keeping paths maintained is important but using £ to keep facilities open is more beneficial to the whole community	2/2/2024 7:36 AM
137	Children & Young People	2/1/2024 7:30 PM
138	Keyworth Abundance	2/1/2024 5:30 PM
139	No	2/1/2024 2:46 PM
140	Both of my girls got so much from going to Brownies at Paxdien. It's desperately in need of renovation	2/1/2024 2:16 PM

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141	No	2/1/2024 2:03 PM
142	no	1/31/2024 5:48 PM
143	No	1/31/2024 4:09 PM
144	Gamston foodbank	1/30/2024 10:21 PM
145	Interactive play facility in WB Park like the one in Tollerton. Better use of holme Pierrepont, so many rushcliffe families now head to spring lakes	1/30/2024 8:48 PM
146	Youth mental health support	1/30/2024 8:29 PM
147	No.	1/30/2024 8:18 PM
148	Social prescribing will become bigger in the future so I imagine an area which will need expansion	1/30/2024 8:11 PM
149	Food bank charities	1/30/2024 8:01 PM
150	No	1/30/2024 7:58 PM
151	No	1/30/2024 7:26 PM
152	To maintain pavements - they are not in a good state. To invest in more local product markets.	1/30/2024 7:25 PM
153	West Bridgford British Legion cricket club cricket nets ground surface which has been ruined by private business (not the community) and the net holes.	1/30/2024 6:59 PM
154	Those run by volunteers entirely for the benefit of others and not projects that should be publicly funded.	1/30/2024 5:41 PM
155	Put more events on so families in financial difficulty can benefit.	1/30/2024 1:40 PM
156	Provision of events for people who are financially struggling: on low incomes	1/30/2024 1:29 PM
157	The Green Line. Look at a full tree inspection of the large trees on the embankments bordering the Green Line. This area is an important 'green lung' and is pleasant and relatively easy walk/run for dog walkers and people taking exercise. Also a good shortcut between Boundary Road and the middle section of Melton Road, taking people away from the pollution generated on the main road and gives a general feeling of well being from experiencing nature.	1/30/2024 11:41 AM
158	N/A	1/30/2024 10:17 AM
159	A splash pad area next to the park on Alford road	1/30/2024 9:47 AM
160	Community groups that provide cheap drinks and a place for people to be warm and meet people. There are lots of coffee shops etc that cater for those of us that can afford it and like the hustle and bustle but for the elderly and for parents with children that prefer to avoid the noise and crowds funding to local churches for example to provide drinks and cakes would be a great initiative. Lutterell Hall and St Luke's come to mind but there's bound to be others	1/30/2024 9:42 AM
161	Bridgford Park has still not recovered from Covid overuse. For example, the footpaths have muddy areas either side, people have developed new paths across the grass along with muddy short cuts and through the wood and the footpath which is heavily compacted and will have an adverse impact on wildlife and habitats. Better maintenance approaches are needed for areas to regenerate	1/30/2024 9:36 AM
162	Projects to encourage people to connect and come together as a community.	1/30/2024 7:30 AM
163	I never thought I would become one of the people who have to say this, but really if we have money to spend at the moment it needs to go to sorting out the basics - roads, homelessness & mental health etc.	1/30/2024 7:22 AM
164	Yes. Please invest in planning teams that embrace the Councils mission "Great place, great lifestyle, great sport". That last bit needs funds and support eg maybe help sports clubs wanting to invest in the area to progress plans rather than creating barriers eh.	1/30/2024 6:49 AM
165	Play parks, continuing to refurbish these. They are so incredibly vital to getting kids out into the fresh air.	1/29/2024 11:08 PM
166	Anything that supports young people with access to facilities and activities out of school -	1/29/2024 10:18 PM

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something that all can access not a specific sport/group. A youth centre open at times that young people need it - evenings and weekends

167	The Boys' Brigade and Girls' Association	1/29/2024 9:52 PM
168	Grass roots sports clubs other than the well established sports like football / rugby / cricket. Widen the sport appeal to more children. Physical and mental health benefits of getting children into sport early in life.	1/29/2024 9:43 PM
169	Projects and proposals which will enable more people to access and benefit from both green and blue space	1/29/2024 9:39 PM
170	West Bridgford Dramatic Society	1/29/2024 9:38 PM
171	Projects to promote leisure, cycling and improving resources for these	1/29/2024 9:37 PM
172	-	1/29/2024 9:06 PM
173	Provision for youth support and activities. Also supporting youth mental health.	1/29/2024 8:06 PM
174	Radcliffe on Trent Cricket Club	1/29/2024 7:58 PM
175	No	1/29/2024 7:48 PM
176	No	1/29/2024 7:45 PM
177	Help for elderly , social care and activites	1/29/2024 6:58 PM
178	Improving cycle paths - in particular joining up from WB to Ruddington- we need a safe crossing point. Safe cycle paths from WB out to Keyworth (where there are a lot of people employed at BGS), would be appreciated.	1/29/2024 5:32 PM
179	Restoring Pinders Pond. An area that goes back to the Dooms Day book era.	1/29/2024 5:02 PM
180	Grantham canal. This is a vital community resource and needs vital funding to dredge and also install new clay lining and also a pump to refill it due ot lack of adequate water	1/29/2024 5:01 PM
181	There should be funding locally to support parents and young people with neurological disabilities. Currently there do not seem to be any support groups in the local area.	1/29/2024 4:52 PM
182	-	1/29/2024 4:37 PM
183	N/A	1/29/2024 3:44 PM
184	See item 4 above	1/29/2024 3:23 PM
185	Adding more trail markers to the area. Mostly the canal and adding more art/sculpture in open fields to liven places up and make them have some meaning to the local community	1/29/2024 2:16 PM
186	None of the above, where is the funding for something in Radcliffe on Trent. Again RBC seem to forget there is a borough outside of west bridgford that they are responsible for	1/29/2024 1:58 PM
187	Youth sports facilities	1/29/2024 1:30 PM
188	promoting healthy lifestyle and healthy eating, exercise in the elderly, trying to build an indoor raquet ball court somewhere local	1/29/2024 12:27 PM
189	Sharp Hill friends and the friends of the green line.	1/29/2024 11:34 AM
190	NO	1/29/2024 10:59 AM

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