

East Sunderland Area Committee: 14 March 2022

Application for East Sunderland Neighbourhood Fund

Funding Source	Neighbourhood Fund
Name of Project	East Street and Park Rangers
Lead Organisation	Multi Partners

Total cost of Project	Total Match Funding	Total NF Application
£113,780	£6,220 Match £12,000 in-kind contribution	£95,560
Project Duration	Start Date	End Date
12 months	April 2022	March 2023

Project Description

The previous model of the Park Rangers will continue in the same format followed throughout 2021.

This involves the Friends Group of Doxford Park providing East area wide support to the other five Partners by providing a Site Supervisor who will carry out risk assessments; Health and Safety guidance to all Partner Groups to ensure compliance with safety legislation, carry out regular MOTs on all equipment and tools used, ensure ward Rangers have appropriate tools and equipment to carry out community clean up days, deliver tool kit talks, as well as, store, manage and co-ordinate the usage of the equipment across all five wards.

Partners will be responsible for delivering three key objectives, these are:

- Carry out a minimum of one litter pick per week, recruiting volunteers to take part.
- Carry out a minimum of one community clean-up day once a fortnight, recruiting volunteers and organisations to take part.
- Deliver a minimum of six educational campaigns relating to the environment.

East Area Councillors are encouraged to refer requests to carry out litter picks and community clean ups on a regular basis throughout the next 12 months directly to their allocated Park Ranger. Once received the Rangers will log the request on the City Council's Report It system, to capture the data across the Area, but mark in the comments that the request is in hand and no action is required by the Council to avoid duplication. The Rangers will then book a day of action and promote the opportunity to encourage volunteers to get involved in keeping their neighbourhood clean.

Site Locations

Doxford Ward:

- The Box Youth and Community Project primary location for the Park Ranger will be Blakeney Woods, with Camberwell Way, Doxford Park Way, Nettles Lane and Burdon Lane being targeted on a rotational basis.

Hendon Ward:

- Back on the Map primary location for the Park Ranger will be Vilette Road, Railway Sidings, New Park and Church Walk.

Millfield Ward:

- Groundwork NE primary location for the Park Ranger will be Lime Street and Diamond Hall Pocket Parks, Burn Park and the Mineral Line.

Ryhope Ward:

- Blue Watch Youth Centre primary location for the Park Ranger will be Black Road, Village Green, The Railway Pub, Dene, Old Golf Course / King George 5th playing field, Recreation Park and Dinsdale Street.

St Michaels Ward:

- ICOS primary location for the Park Ranger will be Backhouse Park.

East Area:

- Friends Group primary location for the Park Ranger will be Doxford Park, with outreach delivered to each of the five wards.

The Rangers will support children, young people and adult volunteer to complete a range of tasks across East Sunderland, for example litter picking, strimming and raking, cutting back vegetation, edging along pathways and weeding. Evaluation has informed us that residents appreciate these tasks carried out by the East Park Rangers and have reported this via Facebook and verbally to East Park Rangers during community clean up days. It has a relatively instant positive visual impact. Residents also appreciate knowing that locations will not be a one off and that a plan is in place to revisit locations as part of a wider programme.

During the program the Park Rangers will meet with Local Services on a monthly basis to understand what duties need to be carried out in to support the City Council's Service Improvement Plan.

Outputs

Data Field	Code	Friends	TBYP	BoTM	GWNE	BWYC	ICOS	Total
A Healthy Smart City Output	CODE							
children and young people involved	203	80	80	80	80	80	80	480
People enjoying independent lives (adults with disabilities)	204	0	10	0	0	10	120	140
community cleans up carried out (includes Local Services/Cllrs requests)	209	220	24	24	24	24	24	340
litter picks carried out (includes Local Services/Cllrs requests)	210	40	40	40	40	40	40	240
tonnage of waste removed	211	TBC	TBC	TBC	TBC	TBC	TBC	TBC
greenspace improved by area (m2)	212	TBC	TBC	TBC	TBC	TBC	TBC	TBC
Issues reported via Report It	213	24	24	24	24	24	24	144
A Vibrant Smart City Output	CODE							
safety measurers delivered (Educational campaigns)	302	6	6	6	6	6	6	36
volunteers recruited and participating (adults)	304	50	50	50	50	50	50	300
volunteer hours delivered (1 adult delivering 4hrs)	305	200	200	200	200	200	200	1,000
external organisations involved	306	5	5	5	5	5	5	30

Budget

Budget Heading	Friends Group	TBYP	BoTM	GWNE	BWYC	ICOS	Total
Salaries	£17,738	£9,630	£11,800	£12,420	£13,380	£11,070	£76,038
Overheads / Management	£265	£1,500	£1,500	£600	-	£1,730	£5,595
Equipment / Resources	£1,884	£3,870	£1,000	£1,980	£1,300	£2,200	£12,234
Insurance	£673	-	£200	-	-	-	£873
Marketing	-	-	£500	-	£320	-	£820

Total	£20,560	£15,000	£15,000	£15,000	£15,000	£15,000	£95,560
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Recommendation - Approve

The Neighbourhood and Community Board recommend approval of this project, which delivers to the East Sunderland Area Investment Delivery Plan Priority of 'Love Where You Live' (Priority 5)

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Introduction and background

East Sunderland Area Committee would like to invite East based Voluntary and Community Sector (VCS) groups to submit an application to deliver a local event in your neighbourhood which encourages people to come together and celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee in 2022.

All groups must have a management committee, constitution and bank account with dual signatories. VCS groups must adhere to accounting requirements in accordance with the Companies Act and Charity Commission requirements. The Area Committee will also consider applications from an 'umbrella' organisation representing a number of smaller, named groups or consortia.

Project proposals

2022 is the **Queens Platinum Jubilee** year, as of 6 February 2022 Her Majesty The Queen will be the first British Monarch to celebrate a Platinum Jubilee, marking 70 years of service to the people of the United Kingdom, the Realms and the Commonwealth.

There will be a four-day bank holiday weekend from **Thursday 2nd June to Sunday 5th June 2022**, meaning Brits will be given two days off work to celebrate 70 years of service by Her Majesty the Queen.

East Sunderland Area Committee would like to invite project proposals which deliver neighbourhood events, such as:

1. Scarecrow trails
2. Street Parties
3. Jubilee Lunches
4. Platinum Pudding competitions
5. Sporting events
6. Other ideas are welcome, as long as they are fun and inclusive

Further information can be found [How you can get involved – The Queen's Platinum Jubilee 2022](#)

Areas of consideration:

- Event Management: Dependent on the scale and if it is on public land - including health and safety, access, permissions, licensing etc.
- A programme of activity
- Marketing
- Community participation and a partnership approach – utilising local community resources where appropriate
- Creativity and innovation

Budget: up to £500 per organisation, with up to twenty grants being awarded.

Timescale

Opportunity advertised	15 March 2022
Deadline for completed applications	2 May 2022
Applications considered by East Area Cllrs	Post elections 2022

Next Steps

Any interested group should request an application form. These are available by contacting community.resilience@sunderland.gov.uk