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## **Grant Funding Policy**

- ❖ The Parish Council welcomes applications from local organisations who are directly involved in helping residents of the village.
- ❖ Expenditure should be targeted at improving or maintaining the quality of life for at least a significant minority of the residents of Turners Hill, such as young people or the elderly.
- Without exception all applications for grant funding must be approved at a full Parish Council meeting.
- Except in exceptional circumstances, grants will not usually be considered to provide revenue funding but should be for the purchase of equipment and/or capital projects.
- Checks are to be made to ensure that all expenditure is used for the purpose for which it was agreed.
- ❖ An application must have a minimum amount of 20% of the amount requested.
- ❖ An application for a grant from the Parish Council should be submitted on the approved form.
- Grants will not be considered for financing the aims of political or religious organisations, nor of individuals.
- ❖ Applications for donations from national organisations and charities will be considered on a case by case basis but in general will not be met unless there is a proven link with the village.

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