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Grants to Local Organisations Policy

1. Purpose and Scope

To ensure that Moulton Parish Council awards financial support to village organisations that makes the efficient use of its limited funds by targeting support where it will most benefit the residents of the village.

2. Legal Responsibility & Policy Support

[Local Government Act 1972](#)

See our: Standing Orders & Financial Regs.

3. Policy

The Council will consider each application on its merit.

Each applicant will be asked to provide the council with the following details:

- a) The amount requested.
- b) The purpose of the grant.
- c) How the organisation will match the amount they are seeking from the council.
- d) Any other funding sources identified and approached.
- e) Copies of quotes where the grant is for work to be carried out or goods to be supplied.
- f) An up-to-date summary of the organisation's audited accounts.

In considering applications, the council will bear in mind:

1. Other relevant funding sources available to the organisation.
2. The likely benefits to village residents.
3. The amount of funding previously given to the organisation.
4. Whether the organisation has sought competitive quotes for work to be done or goods to be supplied.

Organisations receiving a grant will be asked to complete a Grant Application Form and provide the council with a summary of the evidence that the grant has been used for the purposes specified and how it has brought maximum benefits to residents of the village.

This policy is reviewed annually by the Executive Officer and submitted to the full council for approval.

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