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Dundee Partnership **Community Regeneration Fund**

Grant Application **2023/24**

Applicant Information	
Name of Applicant Group	BRINGTON PLACE SHELTERED HOUSING
Activity Title	PURCHASE OF RAISED BEDS
Grant Requested (£)	£290

- The Physical & Environmental Improvement Fund is to provide financial assistance for community initiatives aimed at improving the local area through Capital expenditure. Capital expenditure is something of a physical nature including the acquisition, improvement or structural enhancement of an asset valued at £6,000 or more.

- The Youth Inclusion Fund is to provide financial assistance for community initiatives aimed at working with Children and Young People. Applications should be for an activity (or activities) focused on including children & young people in activities, diverting young people from an existing undesirable activity or preventing them joining in with such activity. This should reflect a need that children and young people have been consulted on.

- The Small Grants Fund is for other applications that contribute towards achievement of the Dundee City Plan / Local Community Plan, usually up to £5,000, but there may be lower local restrictions on the amount. Therefore, it is important to check with the relevant Community Worker as listed on page 8 for any local restrictions or other requirements.

This application should address needs in one of the below Wards within which the Dundee Partnership supports activity. If an activity covers more than one Ward then an application is required for each Forum, but it is essential that each application can stand on its own if agreed and that the application is not for a city-wide activity, but a local activity that is to take place in more than one Ward.

TICK THE WARD WHERE YOUR PROJECT WILL OPERATE	
Coldside	<input type="checkbox"/>
East End	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Lochee	<input type="checkbox"/>
Maryfield	<input type="checkbox"/>
North East	<input type="checkbox"/>
Strathmartine	<input type="checkbox"/>

PLEASE INDICATE WHICH TYPE OF GRANT YOU ARE APPLYING FOR	
Small Grant	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Physical & Environmental Improvement	<input type="checkbox"/>
Youth Inclusion	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please note that communications regarding this application will be sent to you via email unless you indicate otherwise

Checklist for the DP Community Regeneration Fund Application Form

Before submitting your application form to the Dundee Partnership Team, please use the below checklist to ensure that your form is as fully completed as possible. Please also note that submitting an incomplete form can cause delays in processing or rejection of your application.

Have you:

Read the guidance sections of the form	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fully completed the information on the front of the form	<input type="checkbox"/>
Provided a response to all sections of the application form (including indicating a section as 'N/A' where relevant)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Checked that your budget adds up properly?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Checked that your start date is after the date at which funds could be available, (see page 6) and that your end date is within the financial year?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Included appropriate, measurable outputs & outcomes?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Provided your groups accounts, or other appropriate financial information?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sourced and attached all relevant quotes? (multiple quotes are required where >£5,000 is being applied for to ensure value for money is being considered)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Checked that the bank details or financial code are correct / complete?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Signed the form and given accurate contact details?	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Who is the grant for? (Name of Applicant Group / Department)	Brington Place Sheltered Housing		
Did you receive a Dundee Partnership grant during 2022-23? (If yes, list all grants below)			YES
Title of project funded	Amount granted	When	Was it fully spent?
Refurbishment of garden furniture	150	March2023	yes

Please give a description of what you want this grant for - (please limit your answer to 500 words or less)

The tenants would like to purchase 2 raised beds for the communal garden area. The garden area is well used by tenants and they would like to make more use of the space.

Which City Plan / Local Community Plan Outcome(s) will it address?

East End Locality Community Plan 2022:

Improving Health & Wellbeing

Increased use of green spaces

How many people will benefit from this project?

20

Will any specific groups benefit from this project? (male, female, age range or protected characteristic)

The tenants are all older people

Please say why the project is needed (please limit your answer to 500 words or less)

As Brington is classed as a very sheltered complex, tenants do not have their own gardens. The main garden area is at the front entrance to the complex near the wardens office and accessible bathroom. The tenants use the garden everyday and enjoy garden parties. There is now interest in growing flowers and vegetables but all the communal areas are grass and tenants are unable to change these. After discussion with Kate Treharne, DCC Allotments Officer, raised beds were suggested. Another area could also be turned in to a wild meadow area with support from DCC staff to encourage wildlife and make the area more attractive.

Some tenants have mobility issues and can be frail, they enjoy access to the garden as its easily accessible from the front door of the complex.

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What local consultation has taken place regarding this application?

(Please attach evidence summarising the results of any consultation) The garden is discussed at Tenant /warden meetings.

What evidence do you hold that the local community supports this application?

(For example, was it proposed by members of a particular group? Does it directly address need identified by community members?)

The tenants who are interested in growing flowers etc. approached the warden and council staff to discuss. Some tenants who have moved to sheltered housing miss having their own garden and would like access to more relevant or useful garden areas. There are other large areas of garden that could be used if these beds are successful.

How will the project / activity tackle deprivation or benefit those experiencing deprivation?

(Refer to Section 1 of the Guidance Notes)

The garden is felt to be a safe area for tenants to sit out as close to complex and alarm systems.

It also allows tenants to engage with others , reducing social isolation and allowing for some low level physical exercise.

For Physical & Environmental Improvements (which must be Capital worth at least £6,000 in value) the following questions must be answered:

Have all relevant permissions been agreed? (please state what these are)

N/A

How will the planned project be maintained? (please state who will be responsible for this)

What is the expected 'life' of the improvement? (e.g. before it will require replacement)

Could a plaque indicating the Community Regeneration Fund as a source be added on location for this award? (If there would be additional costs for this, please indicate this in the budget section)

What other sources of funding have you secured / tried to secure for this project?

• If none, please state why this is the case

(Detail below, including applications that are pending or that have been turned down. We may ask for further evidence of an application for other funding)

Source of Funding (detail if this funding is for more than 1 year, if applicable)	£

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None OPEN funding is in place for other activities and Xmas	0
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What are the costs of your activity and how much money is required? Please give specific details (expand list / use an additional sheet if required) and provide <u>all</u> quotes (good practice for applications for over £5,000 is to provide three quotes to ensure value for money is received, and we will require to see these where relevant).		
Cost Heading	Full Costs (£)	DP Aid (£)
2 X RAISED BEDS	294.20	290
Totals	294.20	290

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All applicants are required to submit a copy of the group's most recent annual accounts with this application. These will be used to help determine eligibility for funding, and WITHOUT THEM AN APPLICATION WILL NOT PROCEED If reserves held are less than three months operating expenses please confirm this below <p>Note that if you have already submitted your accounts within this financial year, further copies may not be needed - please check with the Dundee Partnership Team if unsure</p>
What other documents are you attaching to evidence the budget costs for this application? (e.g. quotes, estimates, projected income and expenditure)
Quote from Community Payback Supervisor, bank statement.

How do you intend to monitor the project Outputs and Outcomes? Warden will monitor the use of the garden and feedback

What is the planned start date of the event/activity? Please note turn around on applications is 6 - 10 weeks and funding cannot be retrospective (<i>see section 2 of the guidance notes</i>)	Nov /Dec 2023
What is the planned end date of the event/activity?	March 2023

Outputs & Outcomes

It is expected that applicants will have evidence to support performance information when completing returns on the performance against target. Consideration of this should be given when outputs and outcomes are set out.

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Applicants will usually refer to one [City Plan](#) / [Local Community Plan](#) Outcome, but the opportunity is given for up to two, if required. **Please refer to section 3 of the Guidance Notes** for examples of outputs and outcomes / indicators.

City Plan / Local Community Plan Outcome: East End Locality Community Plan 2022 -2027	
Purpose of activity / project within this Outcome: Improve health & wellbeing, use of Green spaces	
	Target 2023-24
Outputs	
Install 2 raised beds	Feb 2023
Outcomes / Indicators:	
Improved access to the garden area	Feb 2023 onwards
Increased use of the garden by tenants	

City Plan / Local Community Plan Outcome:	
Purpose of activity / project within this Outcome:	
	Target 2023-24
Outputs	
Outcomes / Indicators:	