

WILMSLOW TOWN COUNCIL



COMMUNITY GRANT APPLICATION FORM

Name of Organisation:

Bare Necessities Toiletry Bank

1. Contact Details

1.1 Address of Organisation:

1.2 Contact Name(s)/Position(s):

1.3 Contact Telephone Number(s):

1.4 Email address:

barenessitiestoiletrybank@yahoo.com

2. **Organisation /Club Profile**

2.1. Applicant Aims and Objectives (Mission Statement).

Please detail your aims and objectives. Please include in this details of how your organisation benefits the local community of Wilmslow.

We are a toiletry bank, like a food bank but only for hygiene essentials. We exist to make sure that no local person living in poverty has to choose between eating or keeping themselves and their family clean. We support local charities and community groups working with local people in financial crisis including local food banks, youth, homeless and women's charities. We are working to end hygiene poverty.

Yes

Intending to Register X

No

2.3 Charity Registration Number:

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4. Your Project or Event

4.1 How much money are you requesting? £2,000 .

4.2 Please give full details of how the grant would be used. Please give detail of the grant you are requesting. Please itemise the costs in terms of project/ event expenditure or items that would be purchased. *Please include quotes for items where applicable.*

This grant would allow us to expand our reach and continue to support more vulnerable local people. The money would be allocated to product £500 to supplement donations and to ensure we can continue to offer support during the ongoing pandemic. £500 for our eco bags into which we pack the women's packs and the crisis support packs for street homeless and £1,000 towards new donation bins to access new donation locations, we know it's important to make giving easier for our supporters as they go about their daily lives.

4.3 If the funding is for an event and you make a profit, please indicate how this will be used:

4.4 Please state how it will benefit the Wilmslow Community.

With the uncertainty from Covid and the end of the furlough scheme we know the demand for our services is going to escalate as people find themselves without jobs and income. We anticipate many more people will be plunged into poverty as a first-time experience in our local community and will need support. We are a grassroots organisation able to mobilise our resources quickly and effectively to provide timely and appropriate help to those most in need in the locality. Hygiene poverty lies beneath food poverty affecting self-esteem, mental health and confidence, it heaps shame on those experiencing it and acts as a barrier to conducting daily life.

4.5 Have you, or do you intend to apply for grant support from any other source?

Yes

x

No

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4.6 Please attach a breakdown of anticipated sources of funds.

We are always looking for grants or awards to help with our work, at present we are a finalist in the Vernon Building Society Community Awards and will receive an, as yet unknown amount.

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5.6 If a grant were forthcoming, would the Organisation be prepared to perform/contribute at/to a Wilmslow Town Council organised function? Please give details:

Yes absolutely. We have a power point presentation of our work and are vey happy to talk about what we do and what hygiene poverty is and the impact on those experiencing it.

6 Monitoring

6.6 Events: Please identify the people you expect to benefit from your project / event.

Age Range	Current	Forecast
Young people up to 18 (total)	x	x
Young people up to 18 with a disability	x	x
Young people up to 18 from an ethnic minority group.	x	x
Adults 18-64 (total)	x	x
Adults 18-64 with a disability	x	x
Adults 18-64 from an ethnic minority group	x	x
Senior citizens 65 and over (total)	x	x
Senior citizens 65 and over with a disability	x	x
Senior citizens 65 and over from an ethnic minority group.	x	x
Total (unable to forecast as above)	x	x

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Supporting Documentation attached (*Please tick to indicate attachment*)

	Tick
Breakdown of anticipated funding	
and Audited accounts for the last 12 months	
or Most up-to-date accounts	
or New start-up groups – financial statement regarding proposed budget	
and Recent Bank Statement (see 7)	

7 Additional Information

Please add any additional information that is not covered elsewhere on the application form but that you consider to be relevant to your application.

It is difficult to quantify the number of individuals who we help albeit indirectly since we work with local groups and charities who have clients with qualified needs. That way in supporting one we support many. We currently help 15-20 groups regularly and these include; Wilmslow Youth, Food Friend, St Philips Red Bin, WHS, Smartworks GM, Oakenclough Sure Start and Stockport Without Abuse – East Cheshire's Women's Aid.

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At least £500 on products – all manner of hygiene essentials to supplement donated items, eg. tooth brushes, deodorant, shampoo, combs, nail clippers, toilet paper, washing powder

£500 – on Eco bags for our women’s packs and street homeless crisis packs, each provides dignity, care and comfort

Up to £1,000 on new bins for new locations and to replace existing tatty, out of date ones