

# SHIRE Community Environmental Improvement Grant Assessment Form

Application Title:		Total Eligible Cost of Scheme (excluding volunteer time)			
<b>Site Ownership</b>		General rating	Assessment score		Comments
1. Is the land under your control?	Yes No	Score 2 Score 0			
2. If not under your control are agreements in place for you to have access to it for at least 10 years?	Yes No	Score 2 Score 0			
		<b>Sub total</b>			<b>Minimum required score - 2</b>
<b>Value for money</b>		General rating	Assessment score		Comments
3. Are the quotes/estimates from at least 2 relevant specialist contractors?	Yes No	Score 2 Score 0			
4. Are you happy that the quotes offer reasonable value for money ?	Yes No	Score 1 Score 0			
5. What percentage of the total <b>eligible scheme cost</b> are you providing from your own funds?	1 to 10% 11 to 25% 26 to 50% 51% and over	Score 1 Score 2 Score 3 Score 4			
6. What percentage of the total <b>eligible scheme cost</b> will be provided by other sources of grant aid?	1 to 10% 11 to 25% 26 to 50% 51% and over	Score 1 Score 2 Score 3 Score 4			
7. What percentage of the total <b>estimated cost</b> will be provided by in kind works or volunteer time?	1 to 10% 11 to 25% 26 to 50% 51% and over	Score 1 Score 2 Score 3 Score 4			
		<b>Sub-total</b>			<b>Minimum required score - 7</b>

<b>Design and Maintenance</b>		<b>General rating</b>	<b>Assessment score</b>		<b>Comments</b>
8. Does the scheme's design appear to be fully considered?	Fully	Score 2			
	No	Score 0			
9. Is the scheme so designed that it will still be viable in 10 years time?	Yes	Score 1			
	No	Score 0			
10. Is the technical content of the maintenance plan adequate?	Yes	Score 2			
	No	Score 0			
11. Will you be able to implement the maintenance plan for the full 10 years?	Yes	Score 2			
	No	Score 0			
12. Can the scheme be completed within 12 months of a grant offer?	Yes	Score 2			
	No	Score 1			
14. Is the scheme designed in accordance with the DDA?	Yes	Score 1			
	No	Score 0			
		<b>Sub-total</b>			<b>Minimum required score - 9</b>

<b>Community benefit</b>		<b>General rating</b>	<b>Assessment score</b>		<b>Comments</b>
14. Is your Local County Councillor aware of the scheme?	Yes	Score 2			
	No	Score 0			
15. Parish/Town Council supportive?	Yes	Score 2			
	No	Score 0			
16. Are local schools/ community groups or other volunteers involved?	Yes	Score 2			
	No	Score 0			
17. Is the application linked to the results of a village appraisal, village design statement or parish plan?	Yes	Score 2			
	No but linked to other community survey	Score 1			
	No	Score 0			
19. Are there similar existing facilities in the settlement or in close proximity ?	Yes	Score 0			
	No	Score 2			
19. Is the project in a Neighbourhood Priority Area?	Yes	Score 2			
	No, but would be of benefit to one	Score 1			
	No	Score 0			
20. Are the works within the settlement or within 400m of its built boundary?	Yes	Score 1			
	No	Score 0			
21. Are the works clearly visible from a public road/footpath, bridleway or other permissive route?	Yes	Score 1			
	No	Score 0			
22. Are the works physically accessible to all within reasonable hours?	Yes	Score 1			
	No	Score 0			
		<b>Sub-total</b>			<b>Minimum required score - 8</b>

<b>Does Your Scheme meet with County Council objectives?</b>		<b>General rating</b>	<b>Assessment score</b>		<b>Comments</b>
23. Leicestershire Sustainable Community Strategy	Access to Services	Score1			
	Volunteering	Score1			
	Sport and Culture	Score1			
	Climate change	Score1			
	Equalities	Score1			
	Stronger Communities	Score1			
	Cleaner and Greener	Score1			
	Children and Young People	Score 1			
	Older people	Score 1			
	Rural	Score 1			
	Healthier Communities	Score 1			
24. Cultural Strategy		Score 1			
25. ENABLE		Score1			
26. Landscape and Woodland Strategy		Score1			
27. Biodiversity Action Plan		Score1			
		<b>Sub-total</b>			<b>Minimum required score - 4</b>

Summary Table	Scheme score		Minimum required scores	Comments
Site Ownership			2	
Value for Money			7	
Design and Maintenance			9	
Community Benefit			8	
Compliance with County Council objectives			4	
<b>TOTAL(S)</b>			<b>30</b>	