

About the North Ferriby Wind Farm Community Fund

North Ferriby is in receipt of a goodwill payment from the operator of the 2 wind turbines that have been erected on Melton Fields. North Ferriby Parish Council will manage this fund for the benefit of the community of North Ferriby and in 2022 will allocate the £8,300 of funding available.

The objective of the fund is to provide grants that support community activities that:

- Enhance quality of life for local residents
- Promote community spirit and encourage community activity

Grants for funding between £100 to £5000 are available to the following groups that are based in North Ferriby or which wholly benefit the residents of North Ferriby:-

- Voluntary organisations
- Community groups
- Small charities
- Not for profit organisations
- Small local businesses where there is a clear community benefit to the application
- Local amenities

Groups should have a constitution or governing document, a bank account and have been in existence for at least 6 months. However, following the COVID-19 pandemic, it is acknowledged that there may be community needs that are unable to be met by other funding and this may include a project where the above criteria cannot be met. For grants issued in 2022 these conditions will be relaxed, and all applications will be considered on their merits.

The fund is not open to applications from private individuals or where there is an individual that will be the sole beneficiary, and political or campaign groups are not eligible to apply.

Grants will be allocated on an annual basis – in 2022 applications must be submitted by the 20th February with successful applications receiving money at the beginning of April.

Depending on the level of grant requested, the Parish Council may contact you to find out more. There is also an expectation that any successful grants will supply evidence on completion of the project and be willing to be included in publicity of the fund.

For further details, please see the application form and the guidance document found on the website www.northferribyparishcouncil.gov.uk and feel free to contact the Clerk with any questions.

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