

Reston And Auchencrow Covid-19 Response Fund

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The purpose of this fund is to support, reimburse and aid individuals and groups that have/are assisting the communities whilst dealing with the outbreak of the Coronavirus.

RESTON & AUCHENCROW COMMUNITY COUNCIL 'COVID-19 RESPONSE FUND APPLICATION GUIDELINES.

1. This Fund does not support businesses.
2. What this Fund can support: Food Banks, support for vulnerable people, the provision of groceries for vulnerable people especially those who are 'Self-Isolating'/ shielded.
3. The Fund is open to all residents and groups within the Reston and Auchencrow Community Council boundary.
4. The Fund will support both individuals and groups who are supporting the response to the Coronavirus outbreak.
5. There is scope for 'Hardship Grants' these would be limited to a maximum £100 per household.
6. The maximum payable to an individual shall be no more than £250.
7. The maximum payable to a group shall be no more than £500.
8. We are unable to fund request that replicate Scottish Borders Council responsibilities.
9. In extenuating circumstances, we may at the discretion of the committee, support retrospective funding, however a 'justification of need' will be required on the application.
10. The fund to be distributed by a committee composed of a Quorum of Community Councilors, including Treasurer, plus a minimum of 2 residents from Reston & Auchencrow.
11. Any Committee Members, including Community Councilors, must declare 'conflicts of interest' when requests are being discussed and not participate in such decision making.
12. Any changes to these guidelines require agreement by the Committee of the Community Council.
13. By submitting your application, you agree to allow Reston and Auchencrow Community Council to retain your personal data on their database in order to process your application. Your personal data will not be shared to any third party.
14. It is a requirement once the application is completed, to inform us how the funding has achieved the applications outcomes, failure will restrict future applications

Please note, these are extreme and difficult circumstances, the Community Council will not meet to decide upon this application until such time it is safe to do so. All decisions/assessments are taken via Email. It is hoped to have a decision on any application within 5 days however it may take longer.

Please send all correspondence to the email address below.

For an application form contact:

Contact robert2son@outlook.com These guidelines are subject to change. Dated April 2020



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