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**Tameside Communities Fund –**

**Mirco Grant (up to £1000)**

**Example Application Form**

**Section One: Your Organisation**

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| **Name of Organisation:** | *Tameside Community Group* |
| **Address of Organisation:**  | *Please check this is correct* |
| **Website/Social media details** | *Please check this is correct* |
| **Contact Details:** | **Main Contact**  | **Second Contact** |
| **Name:** | *Xxxx* | *Xxxx* |
| **Position in group:** | *Chair etc* | *Treasurer etc* |
| **Telephone Number:** | *Please check this is correct* | *Please check this is correct* |
| **Mobile Number:** | *Please check this is correct* | *Please check this is correct* |
| **Email address:** | *Please check this is correct* | *Please check this is correct* |
| **Address (including postcode):** | *Please check this is correct* | *Please check this is correct* |

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|  | **Yes**  | **No** |
| **Are you based or working in the Tameside Borough with beneficiaries from the area?** |[x] [ ]
| **Please tick the area (s) that will benefit from this project:** |[ ] [ ]
| **Ashton** |[ ] [ ]
| **Denton, Audenshaw and Droylsden** |[ ] [ ]
| **Stalybridge, Mossley and Dukinfield** |[ ] [ ]
| **Hyde, Hattersley and Longdendale** |[x] [ ]
| **Tameside-wide** |[ ] [ ]
| **Are you a member of Action Together?** (if not, you will need to become a member to access this grant. We can help you with this). |[x] [ ]
| **Do you have a governing document?** |[x] [ ]
| **Do you have a bank account in the organisation’s name with at least two unrelated signatories?** |[x] [ ]
| **Are you a non-profit organisation where all surplus is re-invested back into the community?** |[x] [ ]
| **Does your project involve working with children and / or adults at risk?** |[x] [ ]
| **Has your organisation recently completed a Health Check with a Community Development Worker?**  |[x] [ ]

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| **The Community –led Wellbeing Principles have been co-designed with the local VCFSE sector describe the behaviours, hopes and values that are intrinsic to community led prevention.** **Please select the statement(s) that are true to your group / organisation**  |
| We work with people one life at a time – on their terms, at their pace for as long as they need us. |[x]
| People trust in us, to work alongside them consistently with compassion, and without judgement. We don’t give up on people. |[x]
| We are safe open spaces where everyone can feel connected, and feel they belong. |[x]
| We are peers and facilitators within communities who can spot the signs of what is really going on with others and encourage them to make informed choices. |[x]
| We are the trusted voice within communities and the link to everything else, advocating for the most vulnerable and those in crisis. |[x]
| We offer positivity and hope - opportunities for people to gain a sense of purpose and grow their skills, confidence, and resilience. |[x]
| We are our communities. We grew out of our communities, we are committed to being here for the long term. |[x]

**Section Two: Your project**

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| Fund Priorities: Please tick which of the funding priority(s) your project will meet:  |
| * **Best Start In Life**
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| * **Safe, Green and Supportive Communities**
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| * **Opportunity to Learn & Earn**
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| * **Healthy & Active Lives**
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| **What is the name of your project?** | *A project name that would fit the priority(s) chosen above* |
| We would like to know how your project will strengthen community led prevention. Please describe the health, social, economic inequalities that exist and how your project will support local people to live healthier and happier lives.*Please also tell us how you will deliver the project (where, what methods would you use, who will be involved).*  |
| *The community in the area of Godley, Hyde have very little green spaces to be able to be able to visit, take care of, and use for the benefit of the community. Significant progress has already been made to engage residents in the “community tidy-up” to create a green space for residents to enjoy and encourage further wildlife.* *The main aim is to improve the health and well-being of the local community by enhancing the existing nature pond and surrounding green area. Consultation from local residents has shown us that people are keen to get stuck into the project, to clean up and take ownership of the local green spaces giving the children and adults of Godley a safe green space to utilise.**The project has already reduced loneliness and encouraged residents to make new friends. The local community is already working as a team and communicating more on a face-to-face basis in the street and/or WhatsApp group.* *The community has and will continue to volunteer to undertake activities for the enhancement of the green areas which will be carried out in various phases due to the large area to improve.* |
| **Please explain who will benefit from the project?** We would like to hear from a person who will directly benefit from this idea.Can you please tell us how this idea is important to the people who will directly benefit. This can also be completed by a beneficiary. If you prefer you can share via a short 1-minute video shot on your phone, a 1-minute audio clip, over the phone or by drawing a picture, or add a quote.  |
| *“A green space for the area of Godley, Hyde would be vital for the residents, not just giving children a safe area to meet and play in, but also to allow the adults to be able to access and utilise a safe green space” – Godley resident .**Alternatively can be answered using any of the mediums mentioned above* |
| **How many people will directly benefit from the project?** | 50 |
| **Please provide an estimated start and end date for your project** | August 2025 – March 2026 |

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| **Please provide a breakdown of how you will spend the grant** |
| Item | Breakdown (how have you worked out your costings?) | Amount Requested |
| Flower beds x 2 | Materials (fitted by local residents) | £150 |
| Gardening Tools | Wheelbarrow and tool set for residents | £100 |
| Marketing and publicity | Leaflets and printing – 500 leaflets @ £30 | £30 |
| Sprinklers | 2 x Micro irrigation sprinklers @ £50 each | £100 |
| Play equipment | 2 x Slides, swing set, and sand pit | £300 |
| Benches | 3x Garden benches at £75 each | 225 |
| **Total amount requested?** | **£905** |

**Section Three: Supporting Documents**

All successful applicants will be required to supply a copy of the following information as part of the grant agreement, prior to any funding being released.

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| **Required supporting information** |
| [x]  Details of a bank account in organisation’s name with at least two unrelated signatories (we will require a copy of a bank statement) |
| [x]  A copy of your governing document |
| [x]  Insurance details (public liability and employers’ liability) |
| [x]  Safeguarding policy  |
| [x] Project Risk Assessment |

**Section Four: Grant Declaration**

1. I certify that the information contained in this application is correct. I understand that if in any way the information is not correct, the application may be disqualified, or any grant awarded may be repayable on request.
2. If the information changes in any way I will inform Action Together as soon as possible.

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| **Main contact for this project:** | This should be the same person included in Section One |
| Role within organisation: | Chair etc |
| Enter name to confirm agreement (instead of a signature) | Xxxx |
| Date: | XX/XX/XX |

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| **Other Senior contact for the organisation**  | Should be aware of application |
| Role within organisation: | Treasurer etc |
| Enter name to confirm agreement (instead of a signature) | Xxxx |
| Date: | XX/XX/XX |