


**CALNE WITHOUT PARISH COUNCIL – APPLICATION FOR FUNDING FORM**

**(Please use additional sheets as required)**

Council use only	
CII Number	

Proposer/applicant	Derry Hill and Studley Village Hall Trust	Contact details (address/telephone/email)	Keith Treslove 
Is the applicant a registered charity? (If so, give number)	YES Registered No 1070413	VAT status of applicant (if registered give number)	NO
Short description of application seeking funding.	Village Hall Energy Efficiency Program to reduce Carbon Footprint and keep running costs down to keep the rates affordable for the local community and Free for community events	Location of community improvement idea (which Ward if it is within the parish)	West Ward
Amount of funding sought this year (£)	£7000	Total amount of funding sought (£)	£7000
If ongoing maintenance is required, how will it be funded?	Ongoing Service funded from Village Hall Funds	If parish council support with ongoing maintenance is requested how much per year?	None
If the total cost is higher than funding requested, how will balance be financed?		Have you applied for funding for this project from elsewhere? If so from whom and for how much?	No
Detailed description of Community Improvement Idea (attach other sheet(s) as required) – including how the project will be managed (see section 11.9)	<p><b>Energy Sustainability Project.</b> Our aims are two fold, one to reduce our Carbon footprint and secondly to make the hall more energy sufficient, with the ultimate ambition to ensure that we can continue to ensure that the Hall rates remain accessible for the local community, the Hall has worked tirelessly to provide affordable hire rates and to maintain the fabric of Hall for all our residents,</p> <p>Over the last few year's the Hall has enjoyed a low energy tariffs and we have kept our hire charges significantly below inflation, however our maintenance costs led to a overall deficit in our published accounts, however our energy bills in 2024/5 have increased by 133% in 2024 and our hall is nearly 25 years old and will require an increased level of maintenance</p>		
Benefits to be delivered by the Community Improvement Idea (attach other sheet(s) as required) (see section 11.3)	<p><b>Economic Savings- Lower Energy Costs:</b> By adopting energy-efficient practices and renewable energy sources, the Hall can reduce their overall energy consumption, leading to lower utility bills, this will allow us to continue to invest in the fabric of the building and also keep hire rates affordable and accessible for the community. It will also allow us to continue to offer the Hall free for Local events ie The Fete, Light Switch Ons, Clean Ups etc</p> <p><b>Environmental Stewardship- Preservation of Natural Resources:</b> Reducing carbon emissions helps in conserving natural resources, ensuring that they are available for future generations.</p> <p><b>Climate Resilience -Reduced Impact of Climate Change -</b> Communities with lower carbon footprints contribute less to global warming, helping to mitigate the effects of climate change such as extreme weather events, rising sea levels, and temperature fluctuations</p>		
Who will measure the delivered benefits and how? (Attach other sheet(s) as required) (see section 11.5)	<p>The Lansdowne Hall is a not for profit organisation, once income is set a side for projects and repairs we invest the balance in keeping rates down for the local community. The hall will measure the delivered benefits and our aims are</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Keeping rates Inline or better than local competition</li> <li>2. Rates to be kept in line or below inflation</li> </ol>		

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Legislative requirements – e.g. planning permission. (see section 11.8)	None Required – will be fitted professionally following industry guidelines, roof structure to be assessed for suitability – comes under permitted development rights	Alignment with Neighbourhood Plan (see section 11.2)	
Local consultation – have local people been consulted about this proposal? If so how many, how was it done and what were the results. (see sections 11.2 & 11.3)	NO		
Sustainability, environmental benefits & impact (see sections 11.4 & 11.6)	<b>Environmental Impact</b>  <b>Reduced Carbon Footprint:</b> Solar energy is a clean, renewable source of power that reduces reliance on fossil fuels, which are major contributors to greenhouse gas emissions. This helps combat climate change and reduces your overall carbon footprint.  <b>Conservation of Natural Resources:</b> Solar power does not require water for electricity generation, unlike some traditional energy sources, which helps conserve this vital resource.		

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**SCORING**

<b>CII – Ref number -</b>	<b>Scoring (1-5) – Criteria given below</b>	<b>Weighting – Importance to Community/Council</b>	<b>Total Score</b>
Alignment with Neighbourhood Plan		5	
Community Benefits		5	
Environmental Benefit Impacts		3	
Measuring Benefits		3	
Legacy Potential and Impact / Sustainability		3	
Funding / Costs		3	
Legislative requirements to be satisfied		3	
Project Management and Risk		4	
<b>Total</b>			

**Scoring Criteria**

<b>Score</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
1	Unacceptable response: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• none provided</li><li>• demonstrating a significant misunderstanding of the question</li><li>• not meeting the criteria even to a minimum extent</li></ul>
2	Weak response: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• meeting certain aspects to a minimum extent but fails in others</li><li>• little evidence of ability to meet or deliver to the proposed criteria</li></ul>
3	Fair response as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• meeting the majority but not all aspects of the criteria</li><li>• adequate evidence of ability to meet or deliver to the proposed criteria</li></ul>
4	Good response: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• meeting all aspects of the criteria</li><li>• comprehensive, clear proposal demonstrating a good understanding of the criteria</li><li>• clear evidence of ability to meet or deliver to the proposed criteria</li></ul>
5	Response which exceeds criteria: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Materially exceeding the criteria, through a creative or innovative response or where additional 'added value' areas have been identified</li><li>• clear evidence of ability to exceed the proposed criteria</li></ul>