

Communities Capital Fund Scoring Guidance

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| <p>Criterion 1 - Will the project improve specific priority outcomes for the local community, based on the Think Communities area profile, e.g. increasing skills, reducing loneliness, tackling obesity</p> <p>POSSIBLE SCORE OF 30</p> | <p>20-30 points: Project demonstrates the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides strong evidence of community need through published data or public consultations/surveys • Can demonstrate that they will provide multiple activities or usage for the community (e.g. a sports facility providing multiple sports and has other social/community use) • Will have wide community appeal and use • Will have frequent community use throughout the year <p>10-20 points: Project demonstrates the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides moderate evidence of community need, but does not provide any specific data, or has limited evidence of community support • Can demonstrate at least one other community benefit alongside the project's primary use (e.g. a sports facility offering at least two sports, or using its facilities for other social/community use) • Will have moderate community appeal and use • Will have regular community use throughout the year <p>0-10 points: Project demonstrates the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides little or no evidence of community need or how it will benefit the community • Has no other community benefit outside of the project's primary use (e.g. a sports facility providing only one sport and no other activity) • Will have limited community appeal and use • Has occasional or seasonal community use throughout the year |
| <p>Criterion 2 - Will the project address inequality of access to services or activities, e.g. in rural communities?</p> <p>POSSIBLE SCORE OF 30</p> | <p>20- 30 points: Project demonstrates the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strong evidence of how the lack of current facilities impacts the community • Clear impact of how the community locally will benefit from having the project within their area <p>10- 20 points: Project demonstrates the following:</p> |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderate evidence of a lack of current facilities within the area and the impact on the community • Moderate impact of how the community will benefit from having the project within their area <p>0-10 points: Project demonstrates the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limited evidence of lack of facilities within the area and how this impacts the community • Limited evidence to show how the community will benefit from having the project within their area |
| <p>Criterion 3 - Will the project incorporate local community involvement in its design and implementation (including formal groups such as parish councils)?</p> <p>POSSIBLE SCORE OF 20</p> | <p>10- 20 points: Project demonstrates the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Project applicant is an organisation rooted in its community (such as a charity, parish council or community organisation) • Applicant has clear evidence of working with the local community to deliver the project <p>0-10 points: Project demonstrates the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Project applicant is a public body, or an organisation not based within the immediate community. • Or, the project cannot demonstrate how the community will be involved in the design and delivery of the project. |
| <p>Criterion 4: What level of match funding is being, or will be achieved (noting that external match or match via community action will score higher than match from other CCC sources)?</p> <p>POSSIBLE SCORE OF 20</p> | <p>10-20 points: Project can demonstrate match funding from non-County Council sources such as contributions from the applicant, community fundraising or bids to external organisations.</p> <p>In addition, there is strong evidence to show the balance between the community benefit, level of match funding and impact that County Council funding will provide.</p> <p>0-10 points: the project doesn't have match funding confirmed, or it is from other County Council sources (for example Innovate and Cultivate funding).</p> <p>Or, there is limited evidence to show the balance between the community benefit, level of match funding and impact that County Council funding will provide.</p> |

Projects must score a minimum of 60 points to be awarded funding.