

## **Environmental Maintenance Grant**

## **Grant Application**

All applications must be returned electronically to EMG@shropshire.gov.uk

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## Details of grant request

Description of work/activity/reason for grant (must be undertaken on Shropshire Council land):

Works include grass cutting and maintenance at the following locations:

Trefonen green and post box area

Bellan Lane verge at Trefonen

Trefonen sign areas (2)

Silverdale Drive at Trefonen

Treflach green

Rhydycroesau cliff face

Maesbury bend area

Glentworth green at Morda

The triangle at Coed-y-Go

Date of the grant activities: From: 1 April 2023 To: 31 March 2024

Finance
Please be aware that it is a requirement for match funding from the applying council at least 1:1 ratio
Cost of grant activity: £4,645
Amount of grant requested: (maximum grant given is £1,500 per annum of multiples up to 3 if a multi year grant):
£1,500
Is the grant for one financial year or multiple? YES/ <del>NO</del> one financial year
If so please provide details:
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Please detail the calculations of the cost of the activity (if you are applying for the grant for multiple years please detail
the costs per year):



Please detail how the grant activity will achieve the below essential criteria

- support Shropshire Council's status as a level 3 authority
- Provide value for money
- Betterment to existing services

The Parish Council is satisfied that the contractor appointed to carry out maintenance work of green spaces is well equipped to do so and carries out work to a high standard. His works has been complimented by members of the public and we have not received any complaints. The contractor has been carrying out this work on a regular basis for many years and is familiar with the area an lives locally. The continuation of this maintenance programme ensures that the areas serviced are kept neat and tidy and enhances the natural environment. The contractor also carries out tree maintenance when required.

Please detail any other benefits you wish to be assessed

- · Increase safety of highway users
- Enhance local economy
- Shropshire Pound

I confirm that Public Liability Insurance cover is held for a minimum of £5 million in respect of all claims which might arise.

## Grant conditions\*

- 1. Proof of the parish accounts detailing the match funding amount must be provided
- 2. All invoices, costs, timesheets for the grant activities must be submitted at the end of the financial year in the form of a report/annual assessment on the grants use
- 3. Minutes of the councils meeting confirming the grant money have been spent in accordance with grant terms must be submitted with the end of year report
- 4. Should grant money not be fully spent it must be returned to Shropshire Council
- 5. Should grant money not be spent in accordance with grant terms Shropshire Council will require the money given to be repaid in full
- 6. No grant money will be paid for multiyear applications until the annual report/assessment has been made confirming all grant terms have been met
- 7. Any activates undertaken on the highway must comply with relevant legislation