Surrey County Council's Local Committee for



REIGATE & BANSTEAD

Bid for Members' Allocations

THIS FORM MAY BE SENT ELECTRONICALLY		
Please answer questions 1-16 below		
Your details	Help Notes	
Q1 Project title: East Surrey Homestart	Full title of the specific project	
Q2 Name of organisation: East Surrey Homestart		
Status of this organisation: Voluntary ⊠ Local authority □ Private □	This is the name of the organisation responsible for carrying out the project and whether it is a voluntary group or a public or private organisation.	
I declare that the organisation is not/ associated with a registered political party $igtimes$		
Q3 Contact person	Full name, role and contact	
Name: Debbie Wade	details of the lead person for your project	
Role in project: Scheme Manager		
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County: Surrey		
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Q4 Name of local County Councillor proposing request to the	Name of the County Councillor you have spoken to and who is requesting the support of the local committee in funding your project	
Local Committee: Zully Grant-Duff		
Members Signature: (This is not required when submitting this form electronically)		
What are you seeking funding for ?	_	
Q5 Description of the project		
a) What will be done? Fully trained Homestart volunteers will be established as a regular contact and support for local young families in need, with a child under 5 years old, in overcoming a very challenging time.	a) the work involved to achieve the aims of the project	
Families who are supported may have a child with a mental or physical illness or disability, may have had a bereavement or be facing terminal illness in the family, they could be struggling to manage the demands of young triplets or twins. Volunteers		

are carefully matched with families where they can offer the most sensitive and supportive help in that specific situation.

b) What needs will it address?

See (a) above. The positive impacts of this support are huge to the families concerned. The Homestart charity fills a gap where no other provider can - as it is not a health or social care service; but a human link for families who may be desperate and do not know where else to turn.

b) the evidence that shows this project is required

c) What geographical area will it cover?

East Surrey, including priority areas in Merstham and Redhill for example. 3 families in Merstham have been supported by Homestart East Surrey so far in 2012/ 2013; a further family in Merstham is to be linked with a Homestart volunteer imminently.

c) where the people who will benefit from this project live

d) Who and how many people will benefit?

3 families in Merstham have been supported by Homestart East Surrey so far in 2012/ 2013; a further family in Merstham is to be linked with a Homestart volunteer imminently. Over the East Surrey area there are currently 40 volunteers supporting 32 families across the area. Referrals are made by social workers and health visitors and are met according to need.

- d) details of the groups of and the number of people whose lives will be improved by this project
- e) How will you ensure that the project is fully accessible to this community? This work is provided to identied families some of whom may be disabled or have special needs. The provision is tailored uniquely for each user and is inclusive and accessible to all. Homestart has an equalities and diversity policy which all staff and volunteers adhere to.
- e) methods you will use so that all members of your 'community' benefit from this project
- f) Please confirm that, where expenditure is for the maintenance or repair of a non-Surrey County Council building, you envisage that the building will remain in use for the foreseeable future. N/A
- f) (if applicable) confirmation that you expect a building to continue to be used in the foreseeable future

Q6 What consultation has been undertaken?

East Surrey Homestart links with health and social care services and professionals, aswell as many voluntary organisations to ensure awareness of the service and relevance and focus on priority needs. Referrals come through from these professionals, including Welcare Redhill. Feedback is also given by local users (families and volunteers) of the service and through Homestart UK which provides quality assessments, training and development, professional support. Links are good with Welcare Redhill; the East Surrey manager (who coordinates 40-plus volunteers) attends the Welcare Advisory Board meetings. As part of their induction training, all Homestart volunteers also attend Welcare Redhill to learn

about the Welcare Service and ensure service synergies.

The names of organisations and people you have spoken with, who support your project.

Q7 When will the project be:

a) started: 1 April 2013

b) completed: 31 March 2014

The dates you expect your project to begin and be finished. Successful applications for members' allocations are expected to spend the funding within 12 months of being agreed.

Financial Questions

Q8 When will you need the funds?

1 April 2013

The date by which you will require the funds.

Q9 What is the total cost of the project? Please include The total amount of money estimate/breakdown of costings. the project will cost with a breakdown of the costings. £1000 Q10 How much of the total cost would you like from the The amount of funding you would like from the local Local Committee? Please include estimate/breakdown of committee with a breakdown this part. of these costs. If you have a £1000 quote, please attach it to the form. Q11 How do you intend to publicise the contribution of Please provide details of any publicity material that will be **Surrey County Council Local Committee to your project?** used to promote the project Press coverage, promotional leaflets, web publicity, and how will it include the roadshow displays in public places eg shopping centres and Local Committee contribution libraries. Q12 Where is the rest coming from? The names of the sources from where you are Homestart East Surrey actively fundraises and endeavours obtaining the rest of the to secure donations in a number of ways (events, donations costs for the project or from businesses and individuals etc) to meet the increasing whether it is still to be demands for the service and the need to support more found. volunteers to link with families. Funding is also received from Reigate and Banstead Borough Council (£7,500), Tandridge District Council £ 2,800 and Surrey County Council. Is it promised already, or still to be found? Some funds are in place, but to meet growing demands in priority areas, this additional funding would make it possible to help these young families, particularly in areas of greatest need. Other funding activities are planned, but without the certainty of securing it as yet. Q13 Have you applied to anywhere else for this same Details of other funding? If so, to whom and when? organisations you have applied to for this same No. However, fundraising is a constant challenge for the funding. Please give names volunteer Trustees and any new ways to resource this of the organisations and the valuable service are considered. dates applied. Q14 Have you applied for this funding from any other part Details of other of Surrey County Council? Please give details: departments in Surrey County Council you have No. A tender for funding will need to be submitted applied to for this funding. shortly to Surrey County Council; any confirmation of this Please give names of the funding is uncertain at this stage. department, the contact person and dates applied. Q15 Are you currently in receipt of any grant or contract Details of any grant or funding from Surrey County Council? Please give details: contract funding your organisation receives from Current grant from Surrey County Council is £46,297.92 Surrey County Council, even for 2012/2013 if not for this particular project. Please give details of contract no., purpose,

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Q16 Has the organisation responsible for the project

received any Local Committee funding for this or any

other purpose in the past? Please give details:

No

dates/period covered and

Details of any other funding

your organisation has

previously received from any SCC Local Committee

amounts.

including purpose, dates and amounts.

Q17 If this project will need funding in future, how will the costs be met? (Costs may be include e.g. maintenance, replenishment, breakdown, repair, support)

Trustee volunteers will continue to look for ways to fund support for local familes who may be struggling with such challenges as mental or physical illness, disability, bereavement, or multiple births. Fundraising must be a focus as this can lead to an increased volunteer base.

Information on how you intend to fund and/or maintain your project in the future.

NB If your bid is successful; you will need a bank account in the name of your organisation. Any queries please contact the Community Partnerships Team (East) on:

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Please return the form, by e-mail, to your local County Councillor.