

# COMMUNITIES AND FUNDING: ADDITIONAL INFORMATION



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## FURTHER INFORMATION - COMMUNITIES AND FUNDING

### FUNDING TOOLKITS AND GUIDANCE

#### BUILT ENVIRONMENT FORUM SCOTLAND

Inspiring Fundraising Toolkit to help the heritage sector in Scotland raise funds with greater confidence.

[bef.s.org.uk/resources/fundraising-toolkit](https://bef.s.org.uk/resources/fundraising-toolkit)

#### SCOTTISH COUNCIL OF VOLUNTARY ORGANISATIONS

Resources including step to step guide to winning funding.

[scvo.org.uk/running-your-organisation/funding](https://scvo.org.uk/running-your-organisation/funding)

### FUNDING PORTALS

#### FUNDING SCOTLAND

Included within the SCVO website is a free online search engine for funding opportunities across Scotland.

You must register with them to use this free funding search engine. All types and sizes of funding listed for charities, community groups and social enterprises.

[fundingscotland.com](https://fundingscotland.com)

#### THE HERITAGE FUNDING DIRECTORY

Free and easy-to-use guide to financial and other support for anyone undertaking UK related heritage projects.

[heritagefundingdirectory.org](https://heritagefundingdirectory.org)

#### SCOTLAND'S TOWNS PARTNERSHIP – FUNDING FINDER

Comprising nine categories, the Funding Finder provides easy to read information on current funding streams, highlighting where new funds have been announced and where application deadlines are looming.

[scotlandstowns.org/funding\\_support](https://scotlandstowns.org/funding_support)

## YOUTH LINK SCOTLAND FUNDING DIRECTORY

Sources of support for children and youth focussed projects.

[youthlinkscotland.org/funding](https://youthlinkscotland.org/funding)

## SPECIFIC FUNDS FOR HERITAGE PROJECTS

### NATIONAL LOTTERY FUNDS FOR HERITAGE

Funds projects that connect people and communities to the national, regional or local heritage of the UK.

[heritagefund.org.uk/funding](https://heritagefund.org.uk/funding)

### ARCHITECTURAL HERITAGE FUND

Advice, grants and loans to help deliver their strategic objectives for heritage and communities.

[ahfund.org.uk/priorities](https://ahfund.org.uk/priorities)

### HISTORIC ENVIRONMENT SCOTLAND

Explore our website pages on our grant programmes.

[historicenvironment.scot/grants-and-funding](https://historicenvironment.scot/grants-and-funding)

### CULTURE AND BUSINESS FUND SCOTLAND

Run by Arts and Business Scotland for cultural and heritage organisations. If an organisation attracts an eligible business to sponsor an aspect of their work, the Culture & Business Fund Scotland will match that sponsorship, £ for £.

[aandbscotland.org.uk/culture-and-business-fund-scotland](https://aandbscotland.org.uk/culture-and-business-fund-scotland)

## SPECIFIC FUNDS FOR ENVIRONMENTAL-RELATED PROJECTS

### CLIMATE CHALLENGE FUND

Provides grants and support for community-led organisations to tackle climate change.

[keepscotlandbeautiful.org/sustainability-climate-change/climate-challenge-fund](https://keepscotlandbeautiful.org/sustainability-climate-change/climate-challenge-fund)

### GREENSPACE SCOTLAND

Grant schemes Greenspace Scotland offer and other funding sources and grant schemes for greenspaces and part related projects.

[greenspacescotland.org.uk/pages/category/fund-your-project](https://greenspacescotland.org.uk/pages/category/fund-your-project)

## FUNDING FOR EXCHANGES

### COMMUNITY LEARNING EXCHANGE

Initiative for communities to exchange ideas and share common solutions. Includes an Exchange fund for visits and follow up support.

[scottishcommunityalliance.org.uk/community-learning-exchange](http://scottishcommunityalliance.org.uk/community-learning-exchange)

## FUNDS FOR BROAD COMMUNITY BENEFIT

### THE NATIONAL LOTTERY COMMUNITY FUND

Scottish and UK wide funds for communities.

[tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes](http://tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes)

### SCOTTISH GOVERNMENT

The Scottish Government provides funding direct to community groups as part of the Empowering Communities Programme.

[gov.scot/policies/community-empowerment/empowering-communities-fund](http://gov.scot/policies/community-empowerment/empowering-communities-fund)

### FOUNDATION SCOTLAND

Funding programmes for organisations aiming to benefit a range of communities across Scotland.

[foundationscotland.org.uk/grants-and-funding-for-organisations/grant-programmes](http://foundationscotland.org.uk/grants-and-funding-for-organisations/grant-programmes)

The foundation also administers community funds from wind farms.

[foundationscotland.org.uk/communities/funds](http://foundationscotland.org.uk/communities/funds)

### SCOTTISH LAND FUND

The Scottish Land Fund is a programme which supports community organisations across Scotland to own land, buildings and other assets. Funded by the Scottish Government, grants of up to £1million are available.

The partners delivering the fund also offer practical support to develop community aspirations into viable projects.

[tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/scottish-land-fund](http://tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/scottish-land-fund)

### CORRA FOUNDATION

Contributes to improving the lives of individuals and communities experiencing disadvantage across Scotland and in developing countries.

[corra.scot/grant-programmes](http://corra.scot/grant-programmes)

### SCOTTISH LANDFILL COMMUNITIES FUND

Fund to benefit community and environmental projects. Administered by SEPA.

[sepa.org.uk/environment/waste/scottish-landfill-communities-fund/looking-for-funding](https://sepa.org.uk/environment/waste/scottish-landfill-communities-fund/looking-for-funding)

### INSPIRING SCOTLAND

Funds targeted to identify and solve deep-rooted social problems.

[inspiringscotland.org.uk/what-we-do/thematic-funds](https://inspiringscotland.org.uk/what-we-do/thematic-funds)

### SOCIAL INVESTMENT SCOTLAND

Provides affordable, flexible, repayable investment for social enterprises in Scotland.

[socialinvestmentscotland.com/investment/looking-for-investment](https://socialinvestmentscotland.com/investment/looking-for-investment)

### RESILIENT SCOTLAND

Provides social investment through grants and loans to enable organisations to have an impact on the regeneration of their community in 13 local authority areas in Scotland.

[resilientscotland.org.uk](https://resilientscotland.org.uk)

### COMMUNITY SHARES SCOTLAND

Community Shares Scotland exists to raise awareness of the community shares model and support communities who wish to raise money this way.

[communitysharesscotland.org.uk/support](https://communitysharesscotland.org.uk/support)

## FUNDRAISING

### INSTITUTE OF FUNDRAISING

The Institute of Fundraising is a professional membership body for fundraising.

Everyone can access introductory information for fundraising, in-depth guidance, as well as information on rules and regulations for fundraising on their website.

[institute-of-fundraising.org.uk/guidance](https://institute-of-fundraising.org.uk/guidance)

### OSCR SCOTTISH CHARITY REGULATOR

Their webpages explain how fundraising by charities is regulated in Scotland.

[oscr.org.uk/managing-a-charity/fundraising](https://oscr.org.uk/managing-a-charity/fundraising)



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