

Neighbourhood Forum/ Community Organisation Details N.B. where a designated neighbourhood forum exists, applications must be made by that body. Consultation 2 Please set out how you have consulted with other community groups in your area on your proposal.

1) Named Contact XXXXXXXXX

Email Address XXXXXXXXXX

Telephone No. XXXXXXXXX

2) Westminster Ward Councilors Please give details of WCC wardcouncilors you have engaged on this proposal.

Paul Fisher
Patric Lilley

Residents Residents' Associations or other residents groups

Holcroft court res ass (north side)

3) Project Name and Location

Greening Carburton Street
Project Summary (300 words max)

We started greening carburton street 8 years ago. The project has made enormous changes and benefits to this area, stopping antisocial behavior, littering and improving air quality along with nurturing wildlife.

Everyone loves walking down this street, telling me that it has a calming effect.

Little by little it grew to include the whole of the length of Holcroft Court, with the beds around the trees being cultivated myself and residents to grow plants. It has been a learning curve as to what works and what

doesn't, but all problems have now been designed out and every one loves the tranquility this street has achieved. Westminster council have regularly provided plants with resident financing the rest.

We have also had a cash injection of £5,000 from Concord to upgrade old window boxes, planters and plants, as they were looking tired.

Now, £1,000 is needed to maintain and replace plants and for equipment in the future.



Recently, about 3 years ago, I have taken on all the work myself as I am retired and enjoy being outside. Every morning I inspect the street for damages (which does unfortunately happen along with theft, So I now wire everything I can down to secure it).

I do all the watering and have access to 2 watering stations, and a store cupboard given to me by the council, and I do all the fund raising. The long term aim is to maintain greening this street and improve it where possible.

The support from the community can be seen in the donations given for the up-keep over 8 years and, when something like a bike hanger was placed on Carburton Street, which ruined the esthetics, the community signed a petition to get it removed, because no one wants this greening to be compromised. (see attached)

Proposed Start Date

already started

Proposed Completion Date

Carburton Street greening on going with maintenance, watering, weeding and replacing plants

Please give the amount of CIL funding you are applying for and any other funding that has been identified. Total Project Cost £1,000.

£1,000 will last over a year

price subject to change

Plants	= £ 300
Border mesh	= £100
tools	= £ 100

Euonymus Jap. Green Spire	= £ 200
Bulbs	= £ 150
seeds	= £ 50
gloves knee pads etc	= £ 100
<u>Total</u>	<u>£1,000</u>

CIL sought for allocation

Other (non-CIL) funding identified to deliver project [please state source]

This project has so far been financed by the community, Westminster Council, and a donation from Concord.

5 Please provide details as to how your application matches the criteria we have set out in our CIL Spending Policy Statement. Project Compliance with WCC CIL Spending Policy Statement a. Be in line with Westminster's priorities and policies – how does your proposal address the principles and policies set out in the development plan for the area (including neighbourhood plans) and any other relevant strategy documents? N.B. Westminster's development plan includes: the London Plan (2016); Westminster's City Plan (2016) and the accompanying Infrastruc

Westminster has approved this project and has encouraged its continuity. Match funding has been proven with private donations and Westminster [Dave Sears] providing plants

b. Supporting growth – how does the proposal support the growth of the neighbourhood area, and Westminster as a whole? N.B. Proposals will not be considered for funding that are seeking to remedy pre-existing

deficiencies, unless these are made more severe by new development.
300 max

This has been greatly supported by the neighborhood by raising standards and encouraging greening, resulting in residents participating in its up-keep. This street has been transformed and is now the prettiest street in the area. Social problems have been designed out and its continuity is very important to the local community.

c. Supported by the community – Is the proposal supported by the community? Please give details of how you have consulted with the groups named in section 2 and how such groups have expressed

support for the proposal. N.B. Support of at least two relevant WCC ward councillors will be required for funding proposals to proceed to allocation.
300 words max

This project has been supported by both residents, and councilors Patrick Lilly and Paul Fisher and Dave Sear. Money won by residents from good recycling “in it to win it” was unanimously voted to be spent on the continuing of greening carburton street. Residents' funds have contributed to the project. And the council, Dave Sear has contributed plants. The Marylebone High Street Ward allocated £500 for equipment 4 years ago. All of this is on record.

d. Cost effective – does the proposal represent value for money and will it be delivered in a timely manner? N.B. Proposals should show whether the allocation of funding could leverage additional resources to ensure it is delivered, and that the proposal can be sustained in to the future. Where appropriate, feasibility studies may be required to demonstrate that proposals can be carried out within 12 months of the allocation of CIL funding. 300 words max

This project is great value for money, returning to the community far more than its actual cost, with increased aesthetics, air quality, biodiversity, the elimination of antisocial behavior and has gelled the community together. Proof of continuity is in the continuity over 8 years, evolving and growing.

e. Supported by infrastructure providers – is the proposal supported by infrastructure providers who will deliver the proposal, including the relevant council service area? Please give details of the infrastructure providers or council officers you have engaged with on your proposal. 300 words max

There is no infrastructure to provide or council service needed for this project. Dave Sear has provided plants but all labour is done by residents and myself

6 Date application received

Name Date Approved Ward Members

CIL / Infrastructure Officer Group Project Sponsor

Cabinet Member

WCC Project Manager:

Email: Project director /

Telephone:

Project manager's line manager