



# Micro Grant: Communications & Technology Support

Alongside the Community Chest Micro Grant, Essex County Council have introduced the Micro-Grant Communication & Technology Support Fund.

Applicants can apply for up to £500.

This grant supports grassroots organisations responding to the pandemic who rely largely on volunteers to deliver their projects & have no infrastructure to support communications & technology.

## Examples of Projects:

- Designing and printing costs for leaflets which provide key information to the community who may not have access to social media
- Distribution of literature/leaflets
- Paid for advertisements in local papers
- Building or improving websites
- Improving social media presence and reach technological expertise and training

You must have your own bank account, whether this is in your organisations name or via an alternative source, who are willing to act as a broker.

The application form is available to download from our website. Please call Louise Gambardella on 07495 915912 or email her at [louise.gambardella@ealc.gov.uk](mailto:louise.gambardella@ealc.gov.uk) if you have any more questions.