



CADOGAN COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAMME



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Hugh Seaborn
Chief Executive, Cadogan

Pavilion Road, Chelsea
Front Cover: 'The Big Egg Hunt', March 2023

At Cadogan, we have been part of the Chelsea community for over 300 years. As a long-term family business, we believe it is vital to contribute to a thriving city for future generations.

We launched 'Chelsea 2030' as our commitment to integrating sustainability into every aspect of our business. The strategy sets out ambitious environmental targets to reduce our carbon impact and to contribute to a healthier London, along with community contributions which amount to over £4million annually towards positive social impact, including a subsidised keyworker housing portfolio, as well as employment and skills support.

The Community Grant Programme aims to further support a thriving community and more sustainable environment, helping to create a borough where everyone has the opportunity to live happy, healthy, fulfilled lives.

We are working with our trusted partner The Kensington + Chelsea Foundation – a charity that has been working for 16 years to improve lives locally – to deliver this programme.

Grants will be awarded to organisations based in our geographical focus area (see map below), which can demonstrate a clear understanding of the issues facing the local community and deliver programmes that address them. Our focus is on initiatives which increase people's sense of community and belonging, foster environmental improvements, health and wellbeing activities, arts and culture, and ongoing help for local groups. It is open to all eligible not-for-profit organisations operating in and benefitting the residents of Chelsea and the geographical focus area:



ELIGIBILITY

The Community Grant Programme seeks to fund high-impact projects within the specified geographical focus area which make a positive, measurable difference to the lives of local residents. Grants of either £5,000 or £10,000 will be available to support local organisations with an annual income of less than £1million.

To be considered for a grant, your organisation must:

- Be a not-for-profit organisation
- Operate in and benefit the residents of Chelsea (the geographical focus area)
- Have a proposed project duration of 12 months or less

Further information on parameters and information required in the Expression of Interest Form [here](#)

Application process explained:

- Submit Expression of Interest Form
- Kensington + Chelsea Foundation and Cadogan will review your form, undertake an initial appraisal and perform due diligence
- Shortlisted applicants requested to submit full application
- K+C Foundation and Cadogan Grant Panel make recommendations in consideration of the stated selection criteria (as outlined in the form)
- Grants agreed, announced and paid



K+C Foundation/SUGi forest planting with Christ Church and Holy Trinity C of E Primary Schools

HOW TO APPLY

If you believe that your proposed project fulfils the eligibility criteria, please read the further guidelines and complete the Expression of Interest form. This will require information on the organisation requesting a grant and details of the proposed project.

Please [click here](#), or scan the QR code below to access the Guidelines and Expression of Interest form. If you have any trouble accessing the link, please e-mail grants@thekandcfoundation.com



There will be two rounds of funding throughout the year:

ROUND	OPENING DATE FOR EOI	SHORTLISTED ORGANISATIONS ASKED TO SUBMIT FULL APPLICATION	AWARD NOTIFICATION
ONE	4TH NOVEMBER Deadline 28th November at 12 noon	Week commencing 8TH DECEMBER Deadline 16th January at 12 noon	Week commencing 16TH FEBRUARY
TWO	5TH MAY Deadline 29th May at 12 noon	Week commencing 8TH JUNE Deadline 26th June at 12 noon	Week commencing 13TH JULY



Alison Jackson 'A Day in the Life' photographic competition

MONITORING AND EVALUATION

If your application is successful, you must be able to spend the funds within 12 months of the grant being awarded. It is important to gather information throughout the duration of your activities and this must be included in an end of grant report, to be submitted online. The six monthly evaluation and the end-of-grant report will ask questions about your project, and how you delivered against the plans outlined on your application form.

WHO SELECTS THE RECIPIENTS?

Applications are considered by the Kensington + Chelsea Foundation, representatives from Cadogan and feedback from local authorities.

WHERE DOES THE FUNDING COME FROM?

The Cadogan Community Grant Programme is part-funded by the annual interest received on a £100,000 Endowment Fund, created by Cadogan for The Kensington + Chelsea Foundation in 2014. This grows further each year through generous contributions from our business and residential occupiers, releasing interest to be put immediately to good use. Cadogan then add to this to reach £30,000 donated each year, ensuring both long-term security and impact.

If you would consider contributing to this Fund, please contact us for further information:

communitygrantprogramme@cadogan.co.uk

ALTERNATIVE ACCESSIBLE FORMATS

We are committed to equality and inclusion, and we recognise the diverse needs of our communities. If you experience or anticipate any difficulties with the application process (language or other barriers), or if you have any specific requirements in accessing the information and applying for grants, or would like a paper application form, please contact the K+C Foundation grants team by e-mailing grants@thekandcfoundation.com or calling 020 7229 5499.



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K + C Art Week sculpture trail