

# Funding News: Friday 29 May 2020



## Arts, Culture & Heritage

### Larger Grants Now Available Through Heritage Emergency Fund

Applications are now being accepted for larger grants to cover emergency costs during the coronavirus (COVID-19) crisis.



## Business Support

### Coronavirus Large Business Interruption Loans Increasing to £200 Million

Businesses will soon be able to benefit from larger loans to help them survive the coronavirus downturn.

### Claims Service for Coronavirus Statutory Sick Pay Rebate Scheme Opens Soon

Employers will be able to make claims through the Coronavirus Statutory Sick Pay Rebate Scheme from next week.

### Future Fund Opens to Support High Growth Businesses Impacted by COVID-19

The Government's £500 million Future Fund is now open for applications, with innovative and high-growth businesses able to secure investment to help them through the coronavirus outbreak.

### Loans to Help SMEs Bounce Back from COVID-19 Difficulties Now Available

A new loan scheme for smaller UK firms in need of financial support to weather the coronavirus crisis is now open to applications.

### Salesforce Offers Grants to Ease COVID-19 Pressures on Small Businesses

Grants are on offer to small firms across the UK, supporting them through the difficulties they are experiencing because of the impacts of the coronavirus outbreak.

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## Children & Young People

### Youth Endowment Fund

Funding is available for organisations in England and Wales to support interventions targeting children aged 10-14 who are at risk of being drawn into crime and violence, and to build up knowledge of what works to prevent this happening. **Application deadline 03/06/2020**

### Youth Futures Foundation

£10 million will be brought forward for the **Youth Futures Foundation** to help organisations who support unemployed, disadvantaged young people across the country into jobs. They will be launching an Emergency Levelling Up Youth Fund to support young people from hardest hit communities; and will expand their Development and Impact grants programme to rapidly increase youth employment provisions.



## Community Development

### Big Society Capital

£45 million will be deployed by **Big Society Capital** to allow better access to investment including emergency loans for charities, social enterprises and some small businesses facing cash-flow problems and disruption to their trading following the coronavirus outbreak.

### Cumbria COVID-19 Response Fund still accepting applications!

The Fund offers local charitable and community organisations funding to support emerging challenges faced within local communities as a result of the continuing threat of coronavirus.

### Coronavirus Community Support Fund

Distributed by The National Lottery Community Fund, the Coronavirus Community Support Fund is open for applications from Friday, 22 May. It is expected that this funding will reach frontline organisations within a few weeks.

### Funding for Creative Projects for Armed Forces Communities in Isolation

One-off grants for projects supporting people from Armed Forces communities who are isolated as a result of the coronavirus/COVID-19 pandemic.

### Government to Use £150m from Dormant Accounts for Coronavirus Response

The Culture Secretary has announced that £150 million will be taken from dormant bank and building society accounts to help support the UK's charities and social enterprises whose work has been affected by the COVID-19 crisis.

### Henry Smith Charity - Main Grants - Strengthening Communities

Grants to support the running costs of small community-based organisations working in the most deprived areas of the UK to help people to make positive changes in their lives.

### UK Insurance and Long-Term Savings Sector Set Up New COVID-19 Support Fund

New funding for community-based charities and charities supporting the most vulnerable across the UK.

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## Crime, Rehabilitation & Community Safety

### Baring Foundation - Strengthening Civil Society (Supporting Legal Action Related to COVID-19)

Grants are available for registered charities to support legal action that seeks to protect vulnerable individuals and communities from the impact of Covid-19.

### Emergency Funding for Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence Organisations during COVID-19

The funding application for charity organisations that help victims of domestic abuse and sexual violence to receive emergency funding during COVID-19 is now open.

### Funding for Racial Justice Initiatives

Grants are available for frontline organisations, grassroots groups and community groups across the UK that are working to redress the impact of the coronavirus/COVID-19 and systemic racism on communities of colour.

### Funding for Voluntary Organisations Working in the Criminal Justice System

Grants are available for voluntary organisations that are working in the criminal justice system in England and Wales to support their vital work during coronavirus/COVID-19.



## Environment & Energy

### Deadline Extended for Round 2 of Urban Tree Challenge Fund

Community and volunteer groups, town councils and individuals can continue to apply for funding to increase tree numbers in urban areas of England, through small scale planting projects.

### Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) Fund - Support Grants and Loans Package

Interest-free loans are being provided for electrical waste treatment facilities in the UK and grants are also available for UK charity-sector reuse organisations.

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## Health & Social Welfare

### Independent Age Grants Fund

Grants are available for smaller registered charities across the UK that are working with some of the older people hardest hit by the coronavirus (COVID-19) crisis. **Application deadline 04/06/2020.**



## Homelessness and Housing

### Funding for Homelessness Charities in England Affected by COVID-19 Crisis

Emergency funding is available for frontline homelessness charitable organisations who are directly affected by the COVID-19 outbreak.

### Move On Fund

Funding for Homes England investment partners, including housing associations, local authorities, private sector developers and community groups in England (outside of London) to free up hostel and refuge spaces for rough sleepers and those in hostel accommodation.



## Sport, Tourism & Leisure

### Funding to Prepare Football Pitches for Resumption of Games and Training

Football clubs and organisations in England and Wales can apply for grants to get their natural and artificial grass pitches ready for when the Government's coronavirus/COVID-19 advice allows football to start being played again.

### Funding news from Active Cumbria

The Sport & Physical Activity Partnership funding news round up.

### Sport England offering grants and match funding to help clubs survive

The grants are up to £10,000 a time, and groups that use Crowdfunder to raise money can apply for match funding of 50 per cent.

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## Close deadline alert

- **Youth Endowment Fund Application deadline 03/06/2020**
- **Independent Age Grants Fund Application deadline 04/06/2020**



## Further support and resources

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