



## The Pimlico Million Guidelines for Mini Grants applications

### What is The Pimlico Million?

The Pimlico Million is a resident-led a funding and community development organisation, funded by the Big Local. We have been given one million pounds to spend over ten years to provide community-led projects, support and development.

### OUR VISION

The Pimlico Million – Working together to make Pimlico an even better place to be.

### OUR MISSION

We work with our community to:

Help residents find their voice, take ownership, reach their potential and make positive change in their neighbourhoods.

Inspire and invest in great ideas and projects that increase social cohesion and create pride within our community.

Provide support and opportunities for groups and projects to grow.

### Who can apply for mini grants funding?

Individuals or community groups can bid for a grant to help them run a local project. If you are an individual applying for project funding we will ask you to find a local organisation to sponsor your bid contact us by email [info@thepimlicomillion.org.uk](mailto:info@thepimlicomillion.org.uk) if you would like to discuss this further.

The Partnership Board will make the final decision on which projects will be funded. Community groups must be not-for-profit and hold a bank account requiring at least two signatories.

### How much can I apply for?

Applications may be made for up to £250.00 per organisation or individual applying.

### Important points to consider when making an application:

- Ensure your project benefits the residents of The Pimlico Million area.
- Applications should be for Big Lunch or Great Get Together community events
- If your application involves, contact with children or vulnerable adults you will need to satisfy us that all the required DBS\* Staff and Volunteer checks have been carried out and you have a safeguarding policy in place.
- If this funding is only part of the total needed for this project, please detail other funding applied for or already received.
- If your application is successful, you will need to spend the funding the and complete a monitoring and evaluation form before further applications can be made.



- The application form will include a spend breakdown, and we reserve the right to ask for receipts/invoices.
- The application should include estimates of the costs involved (including VAT).
- Funding will not be provided on a retrospective basis and organisations should not commit themselves to the project before a final decision is made.
- If your application is successful, you will receive an offer letter which will specify any conditions regarding your project. You will need to return a signed copy before any funds are released.
- Successful applicants will be expected to display The Pimlico Million logo on all publicity relating to the funded project.
- Decisions made by the Partnership Board are final.

### The Pimlico Million- Big Local Community Grants will not grant fund:

- Projects that do not benefit residents living in Pimlico Million Area (see map below).
- Projects that enhance or progress religious or political aims.
- Delivery statutory sector services.
- Projects that do not implement the Local Trust Values including the commitment to equality and to promote diversity; to overcome all forms of discrimination and prejudice so that everyone can participate in, contribute to and benefit from Big Local on an equal basis, whatever their background ethnicity or beliefs.

### You will be required to demonstrate the effectiveness of your project:

This may take the form of a questionnaire completed by participants, a survey carried out online, a video film or other form of report. In your application tell us how you plan to demonstrate how effective your project has been.

### Other Information:

\*DBS Disclosure and Barring Service <http://www.ddc.uk.net/>

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### The Pimlico Million Area of Operation

