



WITNEY TOWN COUNCIL

Grant-aid to Local Organisations APPLICATION FORM

(PLEASE COMPLETE THE FORM IN BLOCK CAPITALS)

(1) Your Organisation			
Name of Organisation		APOLLOS CLOTHING	
Registered Address*			
Post Code		Tel No.	
Contact Name	CHRIS GASKELL		
Position in Organisation	TRUSTEE AND TREASURER		
Registered Charity	YES	Registration No.	1205794
<p>Eliminating clothing poverty and caring for the environment.</p> <p>Food and energy prices continue to rise, and an increasing number of households in the UK are struggling to provide clothing for themselves or their growing families through the ever-changing seasons.</p> <p>At the same time, almost 400,000 tonnes of used, but still wearable clothing ends up in UK landfill every year.</p> <p>At Apollos Clothing we set out to solve both of these problems. We collect pre-loved and out-grown clothes, saving them from landfill and providing good quality, clean clothing to those most in need.</p>			
(2) Membership			
How many members do you have?		26 VOLUNTEERS WHO LIVE IN WITNEY	
Approximately how many of your members live in Witney?		ALL	
Is membership restricted in any way?		NO	
What is your annual subscription, if any?		N/A	
Are you affiliated to a national organisation? If so, which one?		NO	
Local venue/meeting place		N/A	

(3) Grants	
PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE GRANT IS REQUIRED: THE VAST MAJORITY OF THE EMERGENCY CLOTHING PARCELS THAT WE GIVE AWAY TO WITNEY'S MOST VULNERABLE ARE MADE UP OF DONATED CLOTHING FROM THE COMMUNITY. HOWEVER WE DO NEED TO PURCHASE SHOES FOR OUR BENEFICIARIES. THIS GRANT WILL ALLOW US TO BUY 120 PAIRS OF SHOES.	
Amount of grant applied for	£1080.00
Has your organisation previously applied to the Town Council for a grant?	Yes
If YES please give details	Cost of living grant. October 2024
Have you applied for a grant to any other body or organisation?	Yes
If YES please give details	Apollos Clothing is predominantly grant funded.
(4) Financial	
<i>Please enclose a copy of your latest audited accounts, a financial projection for the period following the balance sheet or a Business Plan if a new organisation.</i>	
(5) Fundraising	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WE HOLD FUNDRAISING EVENTS, WITH OUR LARGEST IN 2024 BEING HELD AT COGGES CHURCH CENTER. • WE RECEIVE GRANT FUNDING • WE SELL BRANDED MERCHANDISE. • WE RAISE MONEY FOR SPECIFIC PROJECTS EG. WINTER COATS, BRAS, UNDERPANTS, SHOES ETC. • WE HAVE AN AMAZON WISHLIST. • WE TAKE DONATIONS DIRECTLY FROM OUR COMMUNITY. 	
(6) General	
Recipients of a grant from the Town Council should acknowledge the fact on all relevant literature. Please provide or attach any additional information which may assist the Council in reaching its decision.	
<i>I certify that the above information is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that I am authorised to make this application for Grant-aid.</i>	