

Abingdon-on-Thames Town Council

Grant Application Form - Part A - for committee review

Please ensure you also fill in Part B and send it in with this form to enquiries@abingdon.gov.uk

A1. Your organisation.

Name of the organisation
requesting the grant:

Clean Slate

State briefly the purpose/objectives of the organisation:

The purpose of Clean Slate is to provide long term emotional support for male and female survivors of abuse in the UK, particularly in Cherwell and wider Oxfordshire. We aim to encourage individuals to explore their own mental health needs and adopt positive coping strategies for long term recovery. To support Men, Women and their families who have been victim too or witnessed domestic, sexual, mental, emotional, and financial abuse.

A2. Your grant request.

Describe the project for which the grant is needed.

Any funds raised will be used to fund multiple courses for victims of domestic abuse. Their aim is to help victims see the abusive behaviours and early warning signs of abusive behaviours, to arm them with a varied toolkit of support and skills to better their lives and the lives of their children by living a life free from abuse.

The courses aim to teach victims the effects that abusive relationships have on themselves, their children and family, it also gives people the knowledge and signposting to resources to help them safely leave the abusive relationships they are still living in, as well as equipping them with positive coping strategies to improve their mental and emotional wellbeing

Each course is 12 weeks long and we will run a total of 6 Freedom Programmes, 3 dealing with the Narcissist course per year in term time to allow parents to be able to access the course without the stress of worrying about finding childcare. The courses are run on-line or in our own community space.

What is the total cost of the project?	£18,000
How much grant are you seeking?	£500.00
What percentage of the total cost are you seeking via this grant?	3% %
How will you be raising the rest of the money for the project?	Other Town councils, parish councils and grants

Show roughly how the costs of the project are broken down.	£3000 materials £5800 facilitators £4200 administration £2000 insurance, registration and initial assesments
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What fund-raising have you undertaken for this project or others in the past 2 years?

A client ran a sponsored run and raised 5800.00, we have other volunteers planning sponsored events, we will run charity bingo nights

A3. Local benefit.

How many people take part in your organisation’s activities? Give local branch numbers if you are a national organisation.

a. as members b. as recipients

Please fill in the table below relating to numbers of members and/or recipients falling into each category. Estimates are acceptable provided an “e” is put after the figure.

age profile	0-16	16-65	over 65
members		54	
recipients		335	25
gender profile	male	female	
members	8	46	
recipients	58	302	
local connection	town resident	attend school in town	neither resident nor attending school in town
members	5		
recipients	29		

A4. Other/previous grant awards.

Please list below any grant awards from this council, other councils and large organisations made in the past three years.	Please list any grant applications to other councils or bodies on which you are awaiting the result.
Lottery £9000.00 TVPCC £21,000	All town councils and parish councils

A5. Further detail about your organisation:

Please provide your last set of accounts and the most recent bank statement.

How is your organisation run?

What is the balance in the club account on the most recent bank statement?

How much do you charge your members or attendees in subscriptions/fees and how much does this raise each year?

The Board Trustees are responsible for the integral running of Clean Slate, and to ensure that services given are ethically and morally delivered. All disputes and complaints are dealt with by the Trustees if major or complex. This is made up of a group of named persons who are held accountable to the charity and the Charities Commission.

CEO is a paid member of staff who is supported by 3 part-time coordinators, they oversee the general running of the whole service. They are accountable to the Board of Trustees. The CEO seeks the views of users, the staff and volunteers in deciding the activities we provide.

£24,000

£ donations

£ 12,000
