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| SKMP24 | Steadfast Training Ltd | Stamford, Bourne and The Deepings areas of South Kesteven | £51,500 | <p>Our proposed 'Connect2Grow' project will provide a locally integrated skills and employment service that tackles the deep-seated barriers to work for 2 distinct target groups of residents across Stamford, Bourne and The Deepings areas of South Kesteven.</p> <p>The programme will provide support to individuals for up to 13 weeks and be integrated within the current support offer available locally, both via the DWP (e.g. Work & Health (WHP); Restart) and the NHS (NHS Neighbourhood teams; WorkWell and Integrated Care System funding). It will be accessible to those requiring skills development and seeking employment, including residents who struggle with mental health and anxiety, as well as other barriers preventing them from entering and progressing in the labour market.</p> |
| RF-1002 | Hanbeck Natural Stone Limited | Great Ponton | £90,000 | <p>This project aims to mechanise what is currently a manual process.</p> <p>For background, the current process is to excavate raw stone from the quarry face, transport it to the work area where it is then stockpiled. This Grant application is seeking financial support that will allow the business to (in effect) create a bespoke production line.</p> <p>This is a significant scheme and wherever possible the business will seek to acquire 'reconditioned' equipment to achieve better value for money</p> |
| RF-1018 | Fun Gymnastics LTD | Spalding | £30,000 | <p>Our start-up venture aims to revolutionize children's fitness and development by offering engaging and educational gymnastics programs tailored for ages 5 to 12 in Bourne and area.</p> <p>Our project focuses on investing in new, state-of-the-art equipment to create a safe and stimulating environment for young participants to explore the world of gymnastics.</p> |
| RF-1020 | The Lincolnshire Drizzle Company | Grantham | £20,000 | <p>Increase productivity and increase markets. Employ 3 teams to sell at events around the country. Increase production. 6-10 new jobs, safeguarding 2 jobs, 1 business adopting new technologies and processes.</p> |
| SK-2166 | West Deepings Village Hall | West Deepings | £21,000 | <p>New Flat Roof above Kitchen and refitted Kitchen with appliances. The Roof Leaks in kitchen and can cause problems to hirers and desperately needs reroofing. The kitchen is over 20 years old and needs refitting and we are keen to include cooking facilities This kitchen and hall are widely used for lots of local events and clubs, and it would be a great asset to have a new</p> |



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| | | | | kitchen with cooking facilities as an example we hope to offer some lunches for elderly residents and use it for the benefit of our community who are keen to have this |
| SK-2172 | Stamford Drama and Music | Thurlby | £45,000 | A recent survey stated that arts activities provided in market towns often focuses on families with activities for young children. The key youth demographic (13–19-year-olds) are missed out, meaning they have a low engagement rate in the arts. We want to change that by using the voice in the design and development of a youth arts festival which will take place in Stamford and Grantham. We will make use of different public spaces, helping young people to connect with locations in their community, and to build local networks among their peers and likeminded artists. |
| SK-2173 | Deepings Neighbourhood Plan Group/ Deeping St James Parish Council | Deepings | £21,600 | New east-west path through John Eve Field (broadly following public right of way, MaDe/4/2). Creation of hardened all-weather surface footpath, 180m length. The field was donated to the Town Council by John Eve, a local farmer. Whilst some hardened paths exist, they do not offer an east -west route. This new route will provide an all-weather route to connect pedestrians via Church, and cemetery on the west, to schools and supermarket on the east side of the park. |
| SK-2175 | Langtoft Parish council | Langtoft | 19,168.48 | The Parish Council want to visually unite the village and balance the amenities offered in each side of the village with two distinct Community Cohesion Projects. Project one: - We would like to install two signs on entry to the village one from both directions. Project two: - To continue with our strategy to promote healthy mind and movement opportunities for our villagers. Last year it was identified that the older youths and young adults had little access to healthy activities nor an area to encourage community connections. Last year we received funding for six pieces of adult gym equipment which we installed three pieces in each of the two village parks. This has proved very successful, and more pieces of equipment are now in demand due to utilization. |
| SK-2178 | St Martins Stamford Baron Parochial Church Council | Stamford | £15,000 | To install an accessible ramp into the Church, which will allow the Church to be more inclusive for worship, community group meetings, visiting tourist groups and school and special need groups. Without this project going ahead, the Church does have its limitations in that its current access is only a temporary fix and not acceptable. If the Church is to be used to its full potential, we need to ensure that we are open, welcoming and accessible to all users. |
| SK-2184 | Foston Village Hall | Foston | £8,617.35 | The project focuses on the renewal of part of the village hall flooring. The current floor tiles in the entrance hall, bar area, seating area and kitchen are old, cracked and lifting away from the base surface. In places, this provides a trip hazard. Likewise, the carpeted area in the ante-room is old, and poorly fitted. |



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| | | | | <p>Both the old tiles and carpet will be replaced with new, slip-resistant flooring. This will provide a surface which is safer (slip-resistant, properly fitted and flat), easier to clean, and which provides a more pleasant environment.</p> <p>The village hall is used regularly by the local community: The Brownies, Rainbows, guitar group, NHS clinic, NHS support group, Foston Neighbours social events, the Women's Institute, Church coffee morning, use as a polling station, and various private events.</p> |
| SK-2185 | Pointon & Sempringham Parish Council | Pointon & Sempringham | £23,676.17 | Pointon and Sempringham Parish Council have a plan to replace the play equipment on their playing field that is currently 50 years old and is unsafe for the growing population of children living within the parish. Due to the age and condition of the play equipment, families are having to travel to other villages to entertain their children with outdoor activities. The project will be done in stages; which could take several years to fully complete; but we know that with every stage added; it will bring excitement to the community. |
| SK-2190 | Stamford Diversity Group | Stamford | £18,710 | Stamford Diversity Festival- a celebration of world music, arts & crafts, food & drink plus a wider two weeks of gallery exhibition and workshops -all free and aimed at all ages with plenty of representation in terms of those performing and leading then this really is a festival for all where everyone is welcome! There will be a day long festival of world music; food & drink and street art on the Aug bank holiday Monday 26th and an exhibition with talks and associated workshops over two weeks Tues 20 - Sat 31 August in the arts centre gallery. |
| SK-2191 | Deeping Men in Sheds | Market Deeping | £20,000 | Men's Sheds are fantastic community spaces that promote well-being, camaraderie, and skill-sharing among men. They provide a supportive environment where men can work on projects, learn new skills, and socialize. We need more workspace and our kind landlords have offered us use of the outbuildings in the yard adjacent to our workshop at a peppercorn rent. These outbuildings need to be restored to make them suitable to house our woodworking equipment securely and to be insulated for Winter working. Helping older men cope with retirement and loneliness is a tremendous help to the whole family, particularly the caregivers in the family who are often the wives and daughters who traditionally take on this role. Every community needs to support its men's shed. |
| SK-2194 | Barrowby Parish Council | Parish | £10,000 | The project aims to install lighting along the pathway from Low Road to the Pavilion, currently there are no lights, and the area is quite rural, making it unsafe for users entering Low fields by foot from the main village road to gain access to the fields and Pavilion. The plan is to install fourteen low level LED posts along the entrance path to Low fields and the path towards the Pavilion building, using SWA cable contained in ducting and buried in |



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| | | | | <p>trenching. A photocell will be wired, with a 24-hour time clock and local isolation switch. Groundworks will consist of trench works to install the ducting and concrete plinths for the LED light posts. The implementation of lighting along the path will enhance users' confidence to use the area as it starts to get darker and provide safer accessibility to the Pavilion.</p> |
| SK-2195 | Barkston and Syston playing field | Barkston and Syston | £6,000 | <p>Refurbishment of showers and flooring of the Changing Rooms, toilets, and meeting areas. Members of the committee decided that due to the existing showers not working properly and the floor in need of repair also the special flooring in the rest of pavilion needing badly needed repairs and carpet worn in meeting room after 25 years of use we need to upgrade facilities.</p> |
| SK-2196 | South Kesteven District Council | District Council | £80,000 | <p>South Kesteven District Council wishes to facilitate the implementation of district-wide biodiversity-focused projects to develop and enhance green space. This will incorporate a predominant focus on community rewilding initiatives. The funding will be distributed between meaningful projects in the vicinities of Grantham, Stamford, Bourne and Market Deeping. Feasibility studies may be conducted in areas of ecological interest.</p> <p>The proposed rewilding project selection will factor in the impact of landscape design on resident wellbeing and will be an opportunity to engage residents in nature recovery. The collaboration with community groups and the Youth Council will be welcomed as part of increasing project scope and outreach. Ultimately, the proposed projects will serve a dual purpose of reconnecting people with nature, restoring a sense of community and local pride, whilst also working to support wildlife across South Kesteven.</p> |
| SK-2197 | SKDC | SKDC: Bourne Stamford Deepings Grantham | £36,000 | <p>We are asking for funding to provide four community art projects and installations, 1 based in each town within the district. This includes Grantham, Bourne, Stamford, the Deepings. This project, titled "Our Place, Our Art" aims to celebrate the identity, history, and culture of each town within SKDC.</p> <p>The final artworks may be murals, or other types of displays that will be permanently installed in public locations, serving as lasting symbols of community pride and cohesion.</p> <p>We are seeking four talented artists, each allocated one town, to collaborate with residents to create these permanent pieces of art. An open call would be put out that allows artists to apply for the project in each town. Applications would then be scored making it a fair and</p> |



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| | | | | <p>transparent process. This would also ensure the final pieces are of a high standard that fit the brief and are assets to each town.</p> |
| SK-2202 | Claypole Village Hall | Claypole | £23,800 | <p>Claypole Village Hall, the community's physical and social heart, requires a car park resurfacing to address several issues. The current surface hinders accessibility, especially for those with mobility challenges. Regular repairs fail to prevent damage from standing water, compromising safety. Aesthetic improvements are needed to match the Hall's historical beauty and volunteer-maintained gardens. A new tarmac surface with fixed markings will simplify maintenance, enhance safety, and create dedicated spaces for coffee shop deliveries and disabled visitors, supporting the village's sustainability and vitality..</p> |