Appendix 1 – Homelessness Prevention Grants 2020-21 Applications and Grant Recommendations

The following recommendations are subject to the confirmation of the Council's budget in February 2020 and, in some cases, the receipt of satisfactory information from applicant organisations (this could include projects, programmes, finances, governance etc).

- The activity being funded will be detailed in grant agreements
- Figures in brackets are the numbers of beneficiaries
- Where no funding is recommended it is due to one or more of the reasons stated in 3.9 of the report

No	Group	Activity	Full Cost	Request	Grant	2019-20 award
1	Cambridge and District Citizens Advice Bureau - provide advice people need for the problems they face	Specialist independent support, advice and representation around housing and debt issues (target 700 bens)	£48,635	£48,635	£35,000	£35,000
2	Cambridge Churches Homeless Project - 17 bed spaces December - March for rough sleepers, homeless or vulnerably housed and move-on support	Nightly winter shelter for up to 17 rough sleepers hosted by 12 local churches from 2/12/19 – 31/3/20 (40-50 bens)	£5,000	£5,000	£5,000	£5,000
3	Cambridge Cyrenians - accommodation for 103 homeless people in Cambridge, plus specialised support and services	Older Homeless Floating Support Service: single people over 50 to access and maintain move on accommodation	£34,320	£15,000	£5,000	£5,000
4	Cambridge Cyrenians	Supported Housing Service: accommodation for 103 single homeless meeting Council local connection policy	£36,400	£15,000	£5,000	new
5	Cambridge Cyrenians	Discretionary Rate Relief (2 properties)	£1,200	£1,200	£1,200	£1,140
6	CHS Group (The Cambridge Housing Society Ltd) - social enterprise and charitable housing association	Outreach employment advice for Housing Benefit+ and HB+ family projects	£47,720	£47,720	£30,000	£33,000
7	CHS Group	Supported housing for 8 young homeless parents	£165,740	£17,357	£15,000	£15,000
8	CHS Group	Outreach employment advice for homeless and those vulnerably housed in Cambridge	£28,620	£14,301	£14,000	new
9	Cambridge Reuse - provides low cost furniture and household items to people on low income	Discretionary Rate Relief	£1,820	£1,820	£1,820	£1,720

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10	Cambridge Women's Aid - information, advice, support for women who have experienced domestic violence	Community based specialist support service for victims of domestic abuse. Telephone, email, face to face support groups and social programmes. 24hr call service (120 bens)	£165,085	£47,000	£43,000	£43,000
11	Cambridge Women's Aid	Discretionary Rate Relief (4 properties)	£5,060	£5,060	£5,060	£4,710
12	Cambridgeshire Community Foundation - award grants for local projects	Support for the Street Aid fund including 10 contactless terminals, branding, marketing etc. Enable donations to be allocated in full	£10,000	£10,000	£7,500	£7,500
13	Cambridgeshire County Council - Counting Every Adult Team - work with those hardest to reach where previous service responses have not succeeded	Co-ordination and support for homeless adults at risk of exclusion (45 bens)	£155,238	£20,400	£20,000	£20,000
14	Cambridgeshire County Council - Substance Abuse Team - dedicated outreach to provide expertise around drug and alcohol interventions to clients who are homeless or sleeping rough	Substance Misuse Outreach Service targeting rough sleepers in Cambridge. Weekly street based outreach sessions, local hostel and supported housing visits, advice and information, dual diagnosis work, client case load (35 bens)	£29,728	£15,000	£15,000	£40,252
15	Centre 33 - support and empower young people to overcome their problems through a range of free, confidential services	Young People's Homeless and Housing Support Project (150 bens)	£47,008	£47,008	£43,000	£43,154
16	Groundwork East - transform places and lives via accredited training/employability support	Green Skills Employment Programme and greenspace improvement project (12 bens)	£15,516	£11,300	£0	new
17	It Takes A City - fund to support volunteer led action groups working together to strengthen existing services to improve the lives of rough sleepers	Co-ordinate and resource It Takes A City Action groups	£60,875	£25,000	£10,000	new
18	Jimmy's Cambridge - emergency accommodation and supported housing for homeless or vulnerably housed people	Emergency accommodation. Assessment, resettlement and support in addressing needs for those accessing the services at the assessment centre and providing extended floating support to clients moving on to their own tenancies. Provision of early intervention and diversionary opportunities for newcomers to homelessness (59 bens)	£1,000,000	£64,000	£55,000	£53,384

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19	Jimmy's Cambridge	Severe weather emergency provision (SWEP) night shelter for up to 26 adults for 60 nights	£98,278	£27,930	£27,930	£31,730
20	Jimmy's Cambridge	Day Service to support alcohol reduction at the controlled drinking project 451 Newmarket Road via specialist drug and alcohol drop in sessions	£3,120	£3,120	£3,000	new
21	Jimmy's Cambridge	Housing Support Officer - specialist drug and alcohol worker at the controlled drinking project at 451 Newmarket Road	£9,935	£9,935	£0	new
22	Jimmy's Cambridge	Abstinence House Project - 3 bed shared accommodation (7 bens)	£4,660	£4,660	£4,500	£4,524
23	Riverside Group Ltd – seek to transform the lives of individuals and revitalise the places where they live	Resettlement and pre-tenancy support to homeless individuals living in hostel accommodation to move on and maintain their tenancies (17 single homeless and 6 pre-tenancy workshops across Riverside services and at Jimmy's Night shelter and Centre 33)	£31,824	£28,898	£10,000	£10,000
24	Wintercomfort for the Homeless - day centre supporting homeless and vulnerably housed people	Welfare and learning and development services	£91,630	£91,630	£91,630	Approved 2018
25	Wintercomfort for the Homeless	Trained counsellor 2 days a week to support service users who are struggling with their mental health (60 bens)	£39,350	£32,900	£15,000	new
26	Wintercomfort for the Homeless	"Into work fund" (50) to support the transition from benefits to paid employment	£6,000	£6,000	£6,000	new
27	Wintercomfort for the Homeless	Full time Drug and Alcohol Recovery Worker to support service users (60 bens)	£42,640	£32,000	£0	new
28	Wintercomfort for the Homeless	Arts and Culture Programme - bowling, cinema and theatre activities for service users (250 bens)	£10,873	£7,040	£0	new
29	Wintercomfort for the Homeless	Discretionary Rate Relief	£2,300	£2,300	£2,300	£2,200