

SMALL FLORAL GRANT SCHEME TO IMPROVE YOUR LOCAL ENVIRONMENT

Armagh City. Banbridge and Craigavon Borough Council would like to encourage communities to improve their local environment by planting flowers and shrubs. Council is therefore inviting local constituted Community groups in the Borough to apply for a grant up to a maximum amount of £250.00 to purchase bedding plants and shrubs.

- Council will purchase the bedding plants/shrubs on behalf of the Community group.
- The Community group will arrange collection the plants/shrubs
- The Community group will then plant and tend the plants/shrubs.

Communities will be awarded a small grant by the Council based on evidence of real interest on the part of the Community concerned in making a practical contribution to the improvement of the local area.

Applications will not be considered from the following areas:

- Villages or Towns who compete in the Ulster in Bloom Competition.
- Private companies.
- Grounds that are not open to the public 12 months of the year.



CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

Communities will only be entered where there is a demonstrated commitment and documentation provided along with a completed application form:

- Must be a constituted Community group constitution must be supplied with the application form.
- The group must have insurance this must be supplied with the application.
- A plan of action, including maps of areas that are being planted and a list of who will be looking after these displays.
- Council will not supply hanging baskets.
- Council will not be responsible for any activities that the group/organisation carries out as part of the small floral grant scheme.
- If the groups are going to plant on non-Council lands, permission must be sought from the landowner this must be supplied with the application.

All Council entries will be treated with equity and with the best support, our resources permit.

The Council will allocate resources to entrants in the small grants scheme if the Community can show effort and commitment. A Working Group will assess this effort; all successful applicants must supply photos of the planting carried out.

Please complete and return the grant aid form to:

joanne.grattan@armaghbanbridgecraigavon.gov.uk

<u>Please send your application form on or before 26 November 2021. Any</u> <u>applications received after this date will not be considered.</u>



APPLICATION FORM FOR THE FLORAL GRANT SCHEME (up to a maximum amount of £250.00) TO IMPROVE YOUR LOCAL ENVIRONMENT

Name of Area:

Name of residents' group/community group:

1. Correspondence details (name, address and telephone number):

E-mail address:

** Please ensure that this is the correct information as this is where all correspondence will go to regarding your application.

2. Background information of your residents' group/committee: date formed, members:

*********Please send in a copy of your constitution, if this is not supplied your application will not be considered.



3. What is your Group/Committee's plan of action for your area; please give as many details as possible.

When introducing flowerbeds, shrubs or trees – remember you must get permission of the landowner (written permission from the landowner must submitted with the application).

** Please also supply a copy of your insurance and send in with you application.

4. The plants that Council can supply for you are listed below. Please indicate what you require and the number. Once we have a full list from all the entrants we will be able to work out exactly what we can afford to supply.

- Please note: if a plant you require is not on this listing you must supply it yourself.
- Plants are subject to availability from the supplier.
- These plants need to be ordered in trays.



THIS SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED *** OR THE APPLICATION FORM WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

BEDDING PLANTS	NUMBER OF TRAYS
	Please note each tray contains 28 plants at an approximate cost of £6.00 per tray
	an approximate cost of 20.00 per tray
Antirrhinum La Bella Mixed	
Begonia Non Stop Mixed	
Begonia Non Stop Pink	
Begonia Non Stop White	
Begonia Non Stop Yellow	
Begonia Semps Red	
Begonia Semps White	
Cinneraria Silver Dust	
Dahlia Diablo	
Dahlia Figaro Yellow	
Dianthus Mixed	
Geranium Cherry	
Geranium Mixed	
Geranium Pink	
Geranium Red	
Geranium Salmon	
Impatiens Mauve	
Impatiens Mixed	
Impatiens Pink	
Impatiens Red	
Lobelia Cambridge Blue	
Lobelia White Lady	
Marigold French Yellow and Orange	
Marigold African Yellow and Orange	
Petunia Fantasy Mixed	
Rudbeckia Marmalade	
Salvia Vanguard	
Bacopa pink	
Bacopa white	
Begonia illumination mixed	
Bidens aurea	
Brachycombe Lemon Mist	
Diascia trailing	
Fuchsia trailing	
Geranium Trailing	
Million Bells Terracotta	



<u>Shrubs</u>

Each shrub costs £5.00 please let us know what variety and number you need (we will try to provide what is requested but this depends on the supplier).

VARIETY REQUESTED	Number Requested

Please remember to include the following items with your application, or it will not be considered:

- A copy of your constitution.
- A copy of your insurance.
- Landowner's permission to plant on their land.
- A map clearly showing areas that are being planted.
- Completed plant list.