

Solar Farm Community Benefit Monies

The Town Council entered into an agreement with Sandridge Solar Power Limited on 9 August 2016 in respect of money emanating from the production of solar power in the locality which is to be provided as a community benefit fund over a number of years. In accordance with the terms of the agreement, a payment of £44,627.13 was received in November 2019.

Under the terms of the agreement the Town Council is committed to spend the payments received on goods or services which are for the promotion or improvement of the environmental, social or economic benefit of the local community.

The schedule below shows how the payment of £44,627.13 has been assigned to initiatives that benefit the local community:

Initiative	Rationale	Expenditure
1. Play areas and equipment	To fund the repair and renovation of play areas and equipment owned by the Town Council.	£44,627
Total		£44,627

The Town Council will keep a public record of any further monies received under the terms of this agreement and detail how they are assigned to goods or services that benefit the local community. This will be available to view on the Town Council's website and will be publicised through the press and social media.