



Organisation Name	Lacey Green Parish Council
Project Name	Kiln Lane Pond Project
Funding Stream	Community Area Priorities
Total Cost of project	£1,000
Amount of Match Funding	£420.00
Amount being applied for	£420.00
Amount suggested	£420.00

### Project Summary

The scope of this project is to clear Kiln pond, to improve aquatic life and enhance it's appearance, and will benefit the residents from Lacey Green and Loosley Row.

### How does the project address local priorities?

The Community Board agreed its priorities on 9 July which included a priority for **Environmental and Climate Change**.

This project will contribute towards the subgroups objective in seeking schemes and initiatives that have a sustainable and lasting effect on the North West Chilterns area, improving the built or rural environment and promoting or reversing environmental damage or climate change.

In addition, this project will assist in the health and wellbeing of it's local residents.

### How does the project align with the values, objectives and corporate priorities of Buckinghamshire Council?

This project seeks to achieve the corporate priority around **Improving our Environment**.

The mission of the Parish Council, which supports our corporate priority, is to seek to preserve and enhance the character and community spirit of their picturesque village set in the Chiltern Hills. They also aim to keep village assets such as ponds (and other village properties), well maintained, to ensure their residents have access to high quality and safe environments. This project will also protect and enhance our natural environment and all the benefits that brings.

### How does the project achieve value for money?

Three quotations were retrieved for the removal of tree branches adjacent to the pond to mitigate drop foliage. The total cost of this project is £1000 and the Community Board have been requested for a contribution of £420.

This project will improve the aquatic life of the pond and will benefit the local community and the environment.

## Community Board Coordinator comments

This application has been fully assessed by the Environmental and Climate Change subgroup in line with the Community Board funding criteria, and based on this and the evidence above, it is recommended as a project which is suitable to receive funding from the North West Chilterns Community Board.

The funding applied for in this report (£420.00) can be accommodated within the North West Chilterns Community Board 2020/21 budget available. This takes into account monies already spent to date and also monies committed to projects formally approved by the Board, but not yet spent.

**The applicant will be required to agree to terms and conditions, which include a monitoring agreement, as discussed with the Community Board Coordinator before the fund will be formally awarded.**