

### Conditions of Fund

- Applicants must be residents of Garvald and Morham wards or, if applying on behalf of an organisation or club, membership from these wards must be indicated.
- G&MCC are only able to fund projects that are not deemed to be a Council responsibility.
- Individual applications are capped and individuals can only re-apply after two years.

### Projects Supported by the Community Benefit Fund

The fund is committed to provide ongoing support to both Garvald and Morham Village Halls and the maintenance of the churches of Morham and Garvald.

It has also been used to support specific projects such as:

- Garvald Fun Day
- Maintenance of play equipment in Garvald Park
- Refurbishment of Morham Village Hall
- Installation of defibrillator in Garvald
- Duke of Edinburgh Awards
- Garvald Horticultural Society
- East Lothian Swim Team
- Garvald & Morham Website
- Garvald & Morham Theatre Trips
- Garvald Woodlands Project

# Crystal Rig II Wind Farm Community Benefit Fund



February 2018

#### The aim of the scheme

Crystal Rig II Wind Farm established a community benefit fund as part of their ongoing commitments to communities in the vicinity of the wind farm. The purpose of the fund is to enable communities to carry out improvements to their local area in any sphere, including the environment, local amenity or tourism.

#### Money available

Each year, the wind farm allocates an amount of money to Garvald and Morham Community Council, who then administer and oversee its disbursement to the community. The total amount of money is based on the installed capacity of the wind farm. The

amount available to Garvald & Morham Community Council is in excess of £25,000. This amount increases annually by an amount that is index linked to the Retail Price Index. This funding is expected to continue for the lifetime of the Wind Farm (approx. 20 years)

#### Project proposals

Consideration will be given to all types of projects, which will benefit the local community, and permission to proceed will be granted for ideas which successfully fulfill the aim of the scheme.

#### Who can apply

Community & voluntary groups and clubs and other relevant

organisations.

Applications made on behalf of individuals may be considered but strict conditions apply (see box).

#### Procedure

The Community Council will consider applications at their meetings in February, April, June, August and December. Applications approved by the Community Council must then be sent to the Fund Administrators for final authorisation before funding is released. Please note that this can be a lengthy process and so applications must be submitted in plenty of time. It can take up to two months for the Fund Administrators to approve applications and this authorisation is not guaranteed.

### How To Apply

Please download and complete the attached form with as much information as possible and send to:

Mr Phillip White, Vice Chair of Garvald & Morham Community Council  
by email on [philliprwhite@btinternet.com](mailto:philliprwhite@btinternet.com)  
or post to: Old School, Garvald, East Lothian, EN414LN

Tel: 01620 830316

**Note to applicant: In order to process the application in the minimum time, please provide as much information about the proposal as possible, including quotes and estimates from relevant tradespersons where available.**