



**East Ayrshire**  
COUNCIL

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Organisation  
Sorn Community Council

Reference Number  
CG4767

# grant assessment form

## 1 Aims and objectives of the organisation

To promote the well being and social welfare of the community resident in the Sorn area by ascertaining, co-ordinating and expressing to the local authority, to other public agencies and other interested bodies, the views of the community and by taking such action in the interests of the community as appears to be expedient and practicable.

## 2 Purpose of the grant (including breakdown of costs)

To manage Sorn cabin (19 year lease has been secured)

Core cost include:

Electricity	£2820
Annual rent & insurance	£201.49
Public liability insurance	£216.00
Water & Sewerage charges	£264.00
	<b>£3501.49</b>

3a How many people are on the organisation's Management Committee? 7

3b What is the organisation's total membership? 7

3c How many members usually attend the organisation's meetings or events? 7

3d How many members of the organisation would benefit from the grant? 7

3e How many members of the community would benefit from the grant? Whole community

## 4 How will the grant :- (a) develop the organisation; or

### (b) benefit the local community.

The cabin will allow all members of the local community to have a central meeting space and allow activities to take place for all generations within the community.

All questions on this form must be completed

5	<b>Total cost of project</b>		<b>£3501.49</b>
	<b>Amount of grant requested</b>		<b>£3501.49</b>
	<b>Bank Balance(s)</b>	<b>Date</b> December 2010	<b>£1781.97</b>
	Where the group has more than one bank account all balances should be recorded		
	<b>Cash in hand</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>Value of any other financial assets</b>		<b>Date</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>Name of other funding sources</b>			
N/A			
<b>Amount and date of grant</b>			
<b>£</b>		<b>Date</b>	

6	<b>If latest balance (including other financial assets) exceeds the cost of the project or is substantial, are these funds ring-fenced for the normal activities of the group or can they contribute to the cost of the project?</b>
	Electricity bills of over £2,500 to be paid. There has been a change of supplier causing this.

7	<b>Recommendation</b>	
	<b>Support</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Refuse</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Defer</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Amount</b>	<b>£3000.00</b>
<b>Recommended</b>		<b>FINAL RECOMMENDATION - REFUSE</b>
<b>Reason for recommendation</b>		
To enable the residents of Sorn to continue to utilise this essential community building, in order that the younger and older members of Sorn continue to have a place to meet to carry out their activities. I would recommend that the remainder of the grant requested is raised through fundraising. <b>The final recommendation is for refusal since the Cabin was leased to the Community Council to relieve EAC of the cost burden of its operation; it is recommended that the grants budget supports another community facility in Sorn (Sorn Village Hall); and in view of the overall level of demand for grant funding from organisations within Wards 7 and 8 for this current year.</b>		
Management Risk Ranking <b>L / M / H</b>		Child Protection Risk Ranking <b>L / M / H</b>
Risk Ranking based on Grant Application and Financial Information used to determine appropriate levels of monitoring and evaluation.		Applications with a <b>HIGH</b> ranking are not recommended for support

8	<b>If there are any revenue implications how will they be met in future years?</b>
	N/A

9	<b>Does the project represent value for money?</b>	<b>Yes</b> ✓	<b>No</b>

10	<b>Cross boundary grant (if applicable) and division per committee (the calculation should identify the corresponding number of individuals within the respective Local Committee areas who will directly benefit from the grant award)</b>

		Nos	Amount	%
Northern Local Grants Committee				
Central North Local Grants Committee				
Central South Local Grants Committee				
Southern Local Grants Committee	<b>CA</b>			
	<b>DV</b>			
Other areas outwith EA				
Method of Division				

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