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**Community Infrastructure Levy Fund  
Expression of Interest**

Please read the accompanying guidance notes before completing the Expression of Interest form, as this will provide context and help you understand the type of projects we are looking to support. If you have any questions about your project or completing the EOI, or you are not able to submit the form by email, please contact the Infrastructure Team at [cil@cornwall.gov.uk](mailto:cil@cornwall.gov.uk) or telephone 0300 1234 151.

**Please submit the completed Expression of Interest form to the Infrastructure Team at [cil@cornwall.gov.uk](mailto:cil@cornwall.gov.uk) no later than 5pm on Tuesday 30 April 2024.**

**1. Applicant Details**

Name of applicant group/organisation	Liskeard Town Council
Name of contact	Jacqui Orange
Position within applicant group/organisation	Facilities Manager
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Briefly describe the purpose or main activity of your group/organisation	Town Council

**2. Eligibility Criteria**

**Applicant eligibility**

Please check the box which best reflects the nature of the group or organisation that is seeking to apply for this funding:

- Town, City or Parish Council
- Constituted community group – please provide your Registered Charity Number, if applicable:
- Not-for profit organisation – please provide your Company/Registered Number, if applicable:
- Cornwall Council department
- Other (please specify):

**Project eligibility**

Please cross the box(es) which best reflect what the project will deliver:

- Provision of new infrastructure
- Improvement to, or replacement of, existing infrastructure
- Operation or maintenance of existing infrastructure
- Other (please specify):

**3. Project Proposal****Project name**

Liskeard Skatepark

**Project description**

In no more than 250 words, please tell us what your project is, where it is, and briefly explain how the project will:

- help development to come forward in the area, and/or
- address the cumulative impact of development.

You will have an opportunity to expand on this should you be invited to submit a full application, but it is important that you touch on both these points here as well.

Liskeard needs investment to improve its recreation facilities and public open spaces (POS). The amount of POS in Liskeard is below the level recommended by Cornwall Council's Open Space Strategy, 2014. The current skate ramp Rapson's Park was installed over 20 years ago and it is very limited in terms of its size and design and the steel ramp is reaching the end of its life.

The Town Council in conjunction with the local community is seeking to replace the old skate ramp with a new concrete skatepark suitable for a wide range of users including skaters, scooters, in-line skates, BMX, etc. Although the current facility is past its best the location is excellent. Situated on a large open space less than 5-minutes from the town centre. There is an adjacent carpark, and the railway station is a 5 minute walk. The bus terminus in Barras Street links Liskeard to surrounding villages and towns across SE Cornwall.

The site is owned by Cornwall Council and leased to the Town Council.

The total anticipated cost of the project is £250k.

The project is currently under development. A site report has been completed £5,000 of funding has been secured from the Town Council. A steering group is being formed and this will oversee a Crowdfunder appeal, community consultation, events, user surveys, etc.

The new skatepark will be a high quality, low maintenance facility for Liskeard (and surrounding communities), developed in consultation with the local skating community and other stakeholders. It will be a safe and inclusive space for local children, young people, and adults alike. The site will be improved by providing better access, natural surveillance, signage, fencing, and biodiversity (through hedge planting).

**4. Value for Money**

4.1 Estimated project cost: £200k

4.2 Amount of CIL funding likely to be requested if invited to full application: £

4.3 To date, has any additional funding been sought or secured for the project?

Yes       No

If yes, please provide details:

Source	Amount £	Confirmed *	Conditions attached	Spend deadline
Liskeard Town Council	£5,000.00	Yes	No	N/A

\*if no, please provide a date of when a decision is expected.

**5. Declaration**

I am authorised to submit this Expression of Interest form for CIL Funding on behalf of the organisation that I represent. To the best of my knowledge the information I have provided on this form is correct.

I understand that, if my application is successful, the funding will not be given to my group/organisation upfront and that we must claim it retrospectively by providing evidence of expenditure during the course of delivering the project, and

I confirm that the project for which this application relates has not already been delivered.

Signed:      Jacqui Orange

Position in applicant organisation:    Facilities Manager

Date:      30.04.2024

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**PRIVACY STATEMENT**

The personal data collected on this form is necessary for processing your interest in applying for Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) grant funding. This includes the consideration of whether to invite a full application and to ensure the effective management of CIL grant funding if approved.

If your Expression of Interest is unsuccessful, your personal data shall be deleted securely. If you are successful at Expression of Interest stage and your subsequent full project application is successful, then your data will be retained for the duration of the project applied for and for the full period in which the contract under which the monies are transferred is enforceable, and up to 7 years after the final CIL grant payment is made to the project. Your personal information will then be deleted securely.

Unless otherwise stated we will handle personal information in accordance with the Council's Privacy Policy, which can be found through our website at [www.cornwall.gov.uk/privacy](http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/privacy).