

DONATIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31 MARCH 2023 USING THE GENERAL POWER OF COMPETENCE

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Recipient	Reasoning for request for donation	Requested	Action	Date
SARS	Teams have responded to over 450 calls for assistance in 2021 including incidents in Thurston and the immediate surrounding area. Request is to help cover the running costs of their specialist resources. SARS relies on voluntary grants & donations to support and maintain its charitable activities	£300.00	For consideration	01.06.22
Citizens Advice West Suffolk	To provide advice people need to the problems they face. In 2021/22 they helped 52 clients from the Thurston areas with 256 issues.	up to £500	For consideration	01.6.22

SUBTOTAL OF EXPENDITURE INCURRED TO DATE	£0.00
TOTAL BUDGET AVAILABLE TO BE DISTRIBUTED by 31 MARCH 2023	<b>£3,000.00</b>

\* The General Power of Competence (GPC) was introduced by the Localism Act 2011 and took effect in February 2012. At its Annual Parish Council Meeting of 8 May 2019 the Parish Council resolved that it fulfilled the eligibility criteria set by the SoS (Localism Act 2011 s8) and that it was enabled to use the General Power of Competence (GPC).