

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 | Approved |
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| SARS | Teams have responded to over 525 calls for assistance in 2022-23 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 | to be considered 02.08.23 | £300.00 |
| Gatehouse Caring in East Anglia | To assist with costs to for the delivery of food parcels to those most vulnerable in Thurston. Aim of grant is to improve the service available to the parish of Thurston and build a more connected community during the cost of living crisis. | £500.00 | to be considered 02.08.23 | £500.00 |
| TOTAL OF EXPENDITURE TO BE CONSIDERED AT MEETING OF 02 AUGUST 2023 | | | £800.00 | |
| ANNUAL BUDGET OF £10,000.00 AS SET ASIDE FROM CIL FUNDS TO BE ALLOCATED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE COUNCIL'S SMALL GRANT POT | | | £10,000.00 | |
| TOTAL BUDGET AVAILABLE TO BE DISTRIBUTED by 31 MARCH 2024 | | | £9,200.00 | |

* 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 17 May 2023 the Parish Council reconfirmed 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).