

# Funding List 2020

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## Good Homes and Neighbourhoods

Organisation	Website	Organisation Description	Project Description	£	Months	Borough
Cambridge House and Talbot	<a href="http://ch1889.org">http://ch1889.org</a>	Cambridge House is a frontline service provider and community hub, which operates from Southwark to effect change across London. It serves as a home for voluntary organisations and a locus for community action, as well as delivering specialist services which help people in crisis towards stability and independence.	The funding is for the development of Safer Renting, a specialist programme improving conditions in London's 'slum rental' market. It will support the second stage of research into the shadow Private Rental Sector (PRS), establishing how effective local authority licensing schemes are in tackling private landlords' criminal behaviour.	£105,000	24	London-wide
Caritas Anchor House	<a href="http://www.caritasanchorhouse.org.uk">www.caritasanchorhouse.org.uk</a>	Caritas Anchor House is a residential and life skills centre for adult single people experiencing homelessness in Newham. It provides education, guidance and personal rehabilitation through activities which address health and wellbeing, recreational and therapeutic activities, maintaining relationships, financial management, education, volunteering, training, back-to-work preparation and support to achieve independent living.	The funding is to enable its Employment Engagement Specialist to promote User Voice, in partnership with Citizens UK, to influence provision of affordable accommodation; representation of people with lived experience of homelessness within council structures; and reconfiguration of community organising consultation mechanisms within Caritas Anchor House in Newham.	£25,000	24	Newham
Empty Homes Agency	<a href="http://www.actiononemptyhomes.org">www.actiononemptyhomes.org</a>	Action on Empty Homes (AEH) raises awareness of the waste of long-term empty homes and campaigns to change Government policy. It aims to secure national investment to support local communities in transforming their neighbourhoods, through refurbishing long-term empty properties for those in need of genuinely affordable homes.	The funding is for a project to catalyse a community-led coalition to campaign about London's over 100,000 empty and under-utilised homes, and to establish a robust data and evidence base so that London's housing strategy is more focused on meeting the needs of low-income Londoners in housing need.	£52,000	24	London-wide
Housing Justice	<a href="http://www.housingjustice.org.uk">http://www.housingjustice.org.uk</a>	Housing Justice brings together the resources and social capital of churches, Christian communities and other faith groups to address homelessness and housing need through winter night shelters, migrant hosting, mentoring and befriending and developing affordable housing.	The funding is for a contribution towards salary costs of a project coordinator and user engagement costs for a hosting project, providing short-term accommodation to 150 migrants without recourse to public funds. Guests in the project will receive accommodation, immigration advice and move on support.	£90,000	36	London-wide

Latin American Womens Aid Refuge	<a href="http://lawadv.org.uk/en/">http://lawadv.org.uk/en/</a>	Latin American Women's Aid (LAWA) is a specialist women's organisation that has supported Latin American and other BME women and children who are experiencing or fleeing gender-based violence for 32 years, as well as providing the only refuge for the Latin American community in the UK and Europe.	The funding is for the further development of the Women Against Homelessness and Abuse (WAHA) project: to expand advocacy and campaigning at local and national levels, based on robust data and evidence gathered through specialist legal advice provided to BME women survivors of VAWG facing challenges to access safe housing.	£126,000	36	London-wide
Runnymede Trust	<a href="http://www.runnymedetrust.org">www.runnymedetrust.org</a>	Runnymede is the UK's leading race equality think tank. It informs policy and public debate on race, using research and evidence. Its influence reaches from Parliament to grass roots organisations and it regularly works with others to address racial inequalities in Britain.	The funding is for a one-year research project to use data to improve understanding of housing, race and class in London. The research would be mainly quantitative in nature, but would also involve conceptual work on 'gentrification' and discourse analysis on how race, class and housing is discussed.	£49,000	12	London-wide
Social Finance	<a href="http://www.socialfinance.org.uk">www.socialfinance.org.uk</a>	Social Finance is a not for profit organisation that partners with the government, the social sector and the financial community to find better ways of tackling social problems, particularly for the most vulnerable individuals and communities.	The funding is to explore the feasibility of a fund employing large-scale funding to provide housing for key workers in London at genuinely affordable rents, with the immediate goal of improved key workers' wellbeing and subsidiary goals of easier recruitment and retention at employers and better resilience of public services.	£10,000	6	London-wide
Town And Country Planning Association	<a href="http://www.tcpa.org.uk">www.tcpa.org.uk</a>	The TCPA campaigns for the reform of the UK's planning systems to make them more responsive to people's needs and to support the delivery of new and renewed sustainable communities. They do this by influencing at both the local and national levels.	The funding is for a project that will support people and communities, particularly those in disadvantaged parts of the city and from under-represented groups, to better engage with the planning system in order to positively influence change in the neighbourhood they live and/or work in.	£247,000	36	London-wide
West London Equality Centre	<a href="http://www.wlec.net">www.wlec.net</a>	West London Equalities Centre (WLEC) provides AQS-accredited legal casework, advocacy, advice and support services to persons experiencing poverty, social and/or economic disadvantage - including BAME, refugee and vulnerable people (e.g. who have experienced trafficking or hate crimes). Over 220 drop-in and appointment clinics are run annually at various locations.	The funding is for a housing advisor who will provide help and support, legal advice and housing casework for people living in private rented accommodation and experiencing housing issues. These make up 80% of the clients WLEC helps with housing advice through drop-in, appointment surgeries and food bank sessions.	£86,500	24	Ealing

## Better work

Organisation	Website	Organisation Description	Project Description	£	Months	Borough
Citizens Advice Barnet	<a href="http://barnetcab.org.uk">http://barnetcab.org.uk</a>	Citizens Advice Barnet provides free, independent advice and information to people who live, work or study in Barnet. It has over 80 years of expertise in providing quality assured advice on issues including welfare benefits, debt, housing, immigration and employment.	The funding is for the provision of free, specialist advice, casework and representation on employment and immigration issues. The service will be provided by an expert employment solicitor and immigration caseworker, supported by a paralegal and small team of volunteers. It will also provide second-tier advice to the local VCS.	£190,000	36	Barnet
Disability Law Service	<a href="http://www.dls.org.uk">http://www.dls.org.uk</a>	DLS provides free legal advice, casework and representation for disabled people and their families and carers, together with referrals to other legal advisers and signposting for those whose problems fall outside their remit. It advocates for changes to the law where it disadvantages disabled people.	The funding is for specialist legal advice and assistance for disabled Londoners experiencing discrimination, threats and insecurity in the workplace and to support them in obtaining and retaining employment. It will also educate employers and support helpline staff in other disability charities, building on the successes of previous work.	£160,000	36	London-wide
East End Citizens Advice Bureaux	<a href="http://www.eastendcab.org.uk">http://www.eastendcab.org.uk</a>	East End CAB provides free, confidential and impartial advice and casework for communities in Newham, Hackney and Tower Hamlets on the big issues affecting people's lives. Its goal is to help everyone find a way forward, whatever problem they face.	The funding is for continuing and extending its Employment Legal Advice Service Project in Newham to provide specialist advice, advocacy, casework, representation and information on employment rights and related issues for people living in Newham.	£150,000	36	Newham
Focus on Labour Exploitation	<a href="https://labourexploitation.org/">https://labourexploitation.org/</a>	Focus on Labour Exploitation (FLEX) works towards an end to trafficking for labour exploitation. FLEX seeks to achieve this vision through the prevention of labour abuses, protection of the rights of trafficked persons and by promoting best practice responses to trafficking for labour exploitation through research and advocacy.	This funding is to continue developing the work of the Labour Exploitation Advisory Group and expanding FLEX's London-level advocacy for changes in law, policy and practice related to the protection of workers' rights and identification and support to workers experiencing abuse and exploitation, including in relation to the COVID-19 pandemic.	£120,000	36	London-wide

Independent Workers' Union of Great Britain	<a href="http://iwgb.org.uk">http://iwgb.org.uk</a>	Independent Workers' Union of GB (IWGB)'s legal department represents workers affected by poverty and insecurity, predominantly in London. It specialises in representing outsourced and gig-economy workers in both workplace and tribunal hearings. Through its casework and strategic litigation it contributes to union's wider aims of poverty relief and systemic change.	The funding is for two Legal Officers' salaries who will undertake casework and jointly manage the affairs of the Legal Department. They will manage other caseworkers, volunteers and lead on strategic interventions, to support low-paid and insecure workers in London to secure their employment rights.	£180,000	36	London-wide; National
Learning and Work Institute	<a href="http://www.learningandwork.org.uk">http://www.learningandwork.org.uk</a>	Learning and Work Institute is an independent policy and research organisation dedicated to lifelong learning, full employment and inclusion. Their vision is for a prosperous and fair society in which learning and work provide opportunities for everyone to realise their potential and ambitions throughout life.	The funding is for the development, launch and analysis of representative opinion polling of Londoners. The polling will gauge Londoners' current experiences and responses to the present economic crisis in real-time by cohort, including age, gender, ethnicity, disability, skills level, social grade, work status, residential status, contract type and borough.	£5,730	6	London-wide; National
ShareAction (Fairshare Educational Foundation)	<a href="http://www.shareaction.org">www.shareaction.org</a>	ShareAction wants a future where all finance powers social progress. The organisation is dedicated to making the investment sector responsible for its impacts, while mobilising its immense power to tackle the challenges we face – from exploitative working practices and deepening inequalities, to public health problems and the climate emergency.	The funding is for a contribution towards the Good Work Advocacy programme. Building on the Living Wage campaign, this will support London workers in low-paid and precarious roles by pushing employers to: pay living wages; provide secure working hours; and address other exploitative employment practices driven by insecure business models.	£120,000	36	London-wide
Social Market Foundation	<a href="http://www.smf.co.uk">http://www.smf.co.uk</a>	Social Market Foundation (SMF) is an independent Westminster think-tank dedicated to evidence-based cross-party solutions to serious social and economic problems. SMF produces research, convenes events and promotes arguments intended to produce better policy, with particular regard to a fairer economy, better public services, good work and improved skills.	The funding is for a research and advocacy project to develop and promote a benchmark for assessing and holding to account businesses over their record on poverty, including among their workers, in London and potentially elsewhere. The Coronavirus crisis increases the need for this work, and its scope for impact.	£195,000	36	London-wide; National
Working Families	<a href="http://www.workingfamilies.org.uk">http://www.workingfamilies.org.uk</a>	Working Families (WF) provides specialist, in-depth legal advice to working parents on their employment rights. It pushes for policy changes that facilitate family-friendly working and works with employers to create workplaces which encourage work-life balance for everyone.	The funding is for specialist legal advice on employment rights to disadvantaged London parents; delivering training to London advisers; working with London/national policymakers, to improve their understanding of work-family issues and influencing their policies and practice.	£120,000	36	London-wide

## Decent Living Standards

Organisation	Website	Organisation Description	Project Description	£	Months	Borough
Bright Blue Campaign	<a href="http://www.brightblue.org.uk">http://www.brightblue.org.uk</a>	Bright Blue is an independent think tank for liberal conservatism. They produce research and organise events to influence government policy and public debate across five major themes: energy and environment, human rights and discrimination, integrated Britain, social reform and ageing society.	The funding is for a year-long, multi-activity project which will develop distinctive analysis and policies to shape the long-term future of the UK's welfare system in the 2020s after the COVID-19 pandemic. The project will be steered by a high-profile and cross-party commission and will have multiple research, media and event outputs.	£43,000	12	London-wide; National
Centrepont	<a href="http://www.centrepont.org">www.centrepont.org</a>	Established in London in 1969, Centrepont is the leading organisation working with homeless young people and those at risk of homelessness in the capital and beyond. Its mission encompasses supported accommodation, mental and physical health services, education, training and employment; and, helping young people get their lives back on track.	This funding is for delivering a youth-led research project on the impact of Universal Credit (UC) on young people in supported accommodation. Taking a participatory approach, the project will empower young UC claimants with lived experience of homelessness to identify areas for improvements and make accurate policy recommendations.	£40,000	12	London-wide
Coram Family and Childcare Ltd	<a href="http://www.familyandchildcaretrust.org">www.familyandchildcaretrust.org</a>	Coram Family and Childcare work to make the UK a better place for families, focusing on childcare and the early years, to make a difference to families' lives now and in the long term.	This funding is for their Parent Champions for Change programme - training and supporting parents living in deprived areas of London to identify the issues with childcare that matter to them and campaign for better services.	£121,000	36	London-wide
Food Foundation	<a href="http://www.foodfoundation.org.uk">http://www.foodfoundation.org.uk</a>	Food Foundation is an independent organisation working to influence food policy and business practice, shaping a sustainable food system which makes healthy diets affordable and accessible for all. Food Foundation works in partnership with researchers, campaigners, community bodies, industry, investors, government and citizens using a wide range of approaches to make change happen.	The funding is to continue and expand its young food ambassadors' programme to promote the Children's Right to Food Charter and ensure it is implemented in London and across the rest of the UK, starting with the establishment of a Children's Food Watchdog with young people involved in its leadership.	£120,000	36	London-wide; National

Haringey Law Centre	<a href="http://www.haringeylawcentre.org.uk/">http://www.haringeylawcentre.org.uk/</a>	Haringey Law Centre (HLC) provides independent legal advice, information, guidance and representational service on housing, welfare benefit, debt and employment matters for the most vulnerable residents of Haringey and neighbouring boroughs – Barnet, Enfield, Waltham Forest, so that residents are able to maintain basic living standards.	The funding is for continuation and expansion of welfare benefits advice, and for researcher/campaigner to support advice delivery and undertake advocacy with Haringey Council one day a week.	£150,000	36	Haringey
Institute for Employment Research, University of Warwick	<a href="http://www.warwick.ac.uk/fac/soc/ier/">www.warwick.ac.uk/fac/soc/ier/</a>	The Institute of Employment Research (IER) is a self-financing inter-disciplinary centre, working across policy, practice, methodological innovation and theoretical development. Projects include a stream on 'Work, Welfare and Public Policy'. Expertise covers research, facilitation, evaluation, training, and technical and specialist subject knowledge. IER's ethos sees learning as inherent to all projects through ongoing reflexive practice.	The funding is for exploiting and building on the work of the ground-breaking Commission on Social Security, in particular to: devise and implement an influencing strategy; capitalise on learning on process and practice; and explore becoming standalone - underpinned by excellence on accessibility and inclusion plus capacity building for Commissioners.	£137,000	24	London-wide
Praxis	<a href="http://www.praxis.org.uk">www.praxis.org.uk</a>	Praxis tackles the root causes of migrant destitution and transforms the life chances of some of London's poorest migrants, by providing them with specialist advice, advocacy and holistic services. Praxis supports migrants away from a point of crisis and destitution towards safety, economic independence, social engagement and greater emotional wellbeing.	The funding is for the development of an evidence based, co-produced advocacy campaign - with beneficiaries at its heart. The project will build an alliance of voluntary and statutory organisations, civic bodies and individuals to challenge the use of NRPF condition. to reduce poverty, destitution and exclusion of migrant families.	£152,000	36	London-wide
Transport for All	<a href="http://www.transportforall.org.uk">http://www.transportforall.org.uk</a>	Transport for All is an independent grassroots charity and a membership organisation of Deaf, disabled and older people striving to increase access to transport for all. It works with and for its members fighting for transport access, championing disabled people's rights and providing an unrivalled community of support and advice.	The funding is for 'Access, Rights, Advice' a scheme aiming for transport sector system change that ensures policies are directly influenced by disabled people and based on their needs. The scheme will: collate impactful data, develop disabled people as agents of social change and campaign for much needed structural reform.	£106,000	24	London-wide
Richmond Advice & Information on Disability	<a href="http://www.richmondaid.org.uk">www.richmondaid.org.uk</a>	Richmond AID is an organisation that supports disabled people and people with long term health conditions of all ages to live as independently as possible in their community by providing a range of services and support. The organisation provides advice services and runs social inclusion projects - BuddyUp and Peer Network.	The funding is for a new Benefits Advice Service for disabled people in the borough of Hounslow. The new service will support 200 people per year in Hounslow to get benefits they are entitled to by supporting the with form filling, making and preparing mandatory re-considerations and appeals.	£85,000	36	Hounslow

## Pathways to Settlement

Organisation	Website	Organisation Description	Project Description	£	Months	Borough
Anti-Slavery International	<a href="http://www.antislavery.org">www.antislavery.org</a>	Anti-Slavery International's vision is of a world free from slavery. It works to secure the freedom of those in slavery or vulnerable to it, to campaign for changes in attitude towards slavery and press for robust implementation of national and international laws and policies to protect vulnerable people.	The funding is for an ASI-led project, in partnership with ATLEU, to support trafficking victims in London to gain access to their legal entitlements: through capacity building of frontline partners; gathering evidence of key issues and systemic failures faced by victims; and challenging this through influencing policy and targeted advocacy.	£150,000	36	London-wide
Bexley Citizens Advice Bureau	<a href="http://www.bexleycab.org.uk">www.bexleycab.org.uk</a>	Bexley CAB provides free, independent and accredited advice to Bexley residents across a portfolio of subjects including welfare benefits, employment, debt, housing and immigration.	The funding is for a new, part-time Level 3 Immigration Advisor (subcontracted from Lewisham Refugee and Migrant Network) to provide advocacy, advice and representation to Bexley residents with insecure immigration status (especially those with No Resource to Public Funds).	£96,000	36	Bexley
CARIS Haringey	<a href="http://www.carisharingey.org.uk">http://www.carisharingey.org.uk</a>	CARIS empowers homeless families in Haringey and improves their welfare and enhances their quality of life. It works with and on behalf of homeless families, specialise in supporting families in temporary accommodation including refugees and asylum seekers, domestic violence and abuse survivors and families experiencing destitution.	The funding is to improve access to immigration advice for Haringey's residents. The grant sought will enable CARIS to employ two immigration workers to ensure residents receive the correct advice at the earliest opportunity to prevent delays and unnecessary expenses when regulating their status and pathway to settlement.	£145,000	36	Haringey
Doctors of the World UK	<a href="https://www.doctorsoftheworld.org.uk/">https://www.doctorsoftheworld.org.uk/</a>	DOTW UK is part of Médecins du Monde, an international humanitarian organisation providing medical care to vulnerable populations. In London, DOTW runs a clinic and a mobile outreach clinic, staffed by volunteer GPs and nurses, that help people who have been unable to access NHS services. They also run a specialist clinic for women and children. They support just under 2,000 people every year to access the NHS. Most have insecure status, and are living in poverty without recourse to public funds. They help patients register with a GP, access hospital care and signpost to wider services.	The funding is for work to integrate healthcare access into the GLA's ongoing work to support Londoners with insecure immigration status, including: building the GLA's capacity to address patient, civil society and provider healthcare information needs addressing discriminatory practice which prevents Londoners accessing health services informing the citywide Covid-19 response.	£50,500	12	London-wide



Law Centres Network	<a href="http://www.lawcentres.org.uk">http://www.lawcentres.org.uk</a>	Law Centres Network (LCN) is the representative body supporting Law Centres. There are 40 Law Centres across England and Wales (19 of which are in London) providing free legal advice and representation to thousands of people who would otherwise have no access to legal services.	The funding is for LCN to use data, relationships, and 'seats at the table', from 5 years working with EU citizens, to understand groups unlikely to apply for Settlement. This will inform targeted service design, strategic litigation, policy and advocacy to support vulnerable EU Londoners to stay in the UK.	£105,000	24	London-wide
London Pathway	<a href="http://www.pathway.org.uk">www.pathway.org.uk</a>	London Pathway exists to improve the quality of health and social care for homeless people and other excluded groups.	The funding is for the provision of specialist legal advice via five London hospital teams, two mental health and one TB outreach service. The aim is to ensure extremely vulnerable individuals' rights on housing, immigration and welfare are protected and upheld.	£135,000	36	London-wide
Min Quan Legal Centre	N/A	Min Quan Legal Centre is a relatively new organisation, registered with the Office of the Immigration Services Commissioner since 28 January 2019. They provide specialist immigration advice and representation, with particular emphasis on advice provision to London's Chinese community. They also campaign on behalf of undocumented Chinese and other migrants.	The funding is for provision of specialist immigration advice and representation, available in Cantonese and Mandarin, to be undertaken by two caseworkers (for an additional 2 days per week each). It will also enable the organisation to continue their campaigning work on behalf of undocumented migrants within the Chinese Community.	£85,000	36	Lambeth; London-wide
New Europeans Association Ltd	<a href="http://www.neweuropeans.net">www.neweuropeans.net</a>	New Europeans works in partnership with a range of actors, nationality groups of all major EU citizen groups in London, Embassies, Home Office, Community groups and third sector organisations to ensure the voices of EU citizens are heard in the debate about their rights and future in the UK.	The funding is to continue the secondment of their employee to the GLA Social Integration team, via the Citizenship & Integration Initiative (CII). To ensure the support the GLA have developed for European Londoners; the EU Londoners Hub, advice on the EU Settlement Scheme and funding community organisations is maintained.	£59,485	12	London-wide
Newham Community Renewal Programme	<a href="http://www.renewalprogramme.org.uk">www.renewalprogramme.org.uk</a>	The Renewal Programme (TRP) has been working with the community in Newham to transform and inspire lives for over 45 years. It empowers people to change their lives through advocacy, education, temporary accommodation and a range of positive activities. Its services are taken up by over 5,000 people a year.	The funding is to build on its successful project supporting destitute vulnerable migrants in Newham. Trained specialists, supported by volunteers, work holistically offering legal advice/representation on immigration cases; destitution support; advice on welfare, debt, and housing; plus bridging support after status is achieved, to provide a new pathway to settlement.	£148,200	36	Newham

## Stronger Voices

Organisation	Website	Organisation Description	Project Description	£	Months	Borough
Campaign Academy	<a href="http://www.campaignbootcamp.org/">www.campaignbootcamp.org/</a>	Campaign Bootcamp ensures that people most affected by injustice lead campaigns that affect their lives. It does this by providing high quality, effective and impactful training, support and mentoring.	The funding is to support marginalised people who have experienced inequality to create systemic change through campaigning and activism at a local grassroots level including campaigns with a specific focus on housing injustice.	£165,000	36	London-wide
Children England	<a href="http://www.childrenengland.org.uk">www.childrenengland.org.uk</a>	Children England's mission is to change the world for England's children, young people and families by championing the voluntary organisations which work on their behalf. It's goals are to keep children at heart in society, and to create a sustainable voluntary sector, through campaigning, policy development and sharing learning from practice.	The funding is for continuation of the 4in10 network of campaigners working to end child poverty in London. It will enable the development of good practice in the voluntary and statutory sectors, build the sense of community within the network, and be led by experts by experience.	£199,000	36	London-wide
HEAR Equality and Human Rights Network	<a href="http://www.HEARequality.org.uk">http://www.HEARequality.org.uk</a>	HEAR is London's network of VCS organisations, wider civil society and Expert by Experience campaigners working for equality and human rights, connecting specialists across all protected characteristics on pan-equality and intersectional issues. They champion user-led organisations and Lived Experience in combating poverty and discrimination. They are a pan-London, non-consensus network.	The funding is for coordinating members' pan-equality and intersectional lobbying and campaigning, expanding user-led and Expert by Experience advocacy. HEAR will engage members, defining new priorities and themes, applying HEAR's unique position and members' voices to current challenges and opportunities of low-income Londoners, including COVID19.	£150,000	36	London-wide
Kingston Voluntary Action	<a href="http://www.kva.org.uk">http://www.kva.org.uk</a>	Kingston Voluntary Action (KVA) is the infrastructure organisation for voluntary and community organisations in the Borough of Kingston upon Thames. Superhighways is a project within KVA which provides training and advice on digital literacy for the voluntary and community sector across London.	The funding is for a 'Realities-of-Poverty' capacity-building programme for small frontline charities and community groups working to alleviate poverty in their communities. It will enable better and appropriate data capture and storytelling via practical skills to inform future campaigning and influencing work.	£151,600	36	London-wide

University of the Arts London	<a href="http://www.arts.ac.uk">www.arts.ac.uk</a>	University of the Arts London (UAL) offers world-leading courses in art, design, fashion, communication and performing arts, shaping creative industries worldwide. UAL hosts approximately 19,000 students engaged in Further Education, undergraduate, and postgraduate study across six constituent colleges. In 2018 this equated to 1,387 FE students; 14,663 undergraduates; 3,188 postgraduates.	The funding is for Talent Works, a twelve-month project in which skilled staff and students will deliver training and tools in digital communications to low income, community-led groups across Southwark. The project will amplify their voices and ensure that experiences of poverty and inequality they face are effectively represented.	£49,000	12	Southwark
Voluntary Action Harrow	<a href="http://www.voluntaryactionharrow.org.uk">http://www.voluntaryactionharrow.org.uk</a>	Voluntary Action Harrow works to develop a strong, independent, purposeful and unified not-for-profit sector in Harrow, and support the growth of a successful co-operative movement in West London, by providing information, training and guidance.	The funding is to enable positive change through increasing the skills, knowledge and emotional resilience of Harrow residents, who have lived experience. This will be through training, network-building and development to improve facilitation, advocacy, communications, and awareness of injustices namely; low pay, income inequality, working/housing conditions, discrimination, and environmental injustices.	£40,000	12	Harrow

## Connected Communities - Activities in isolated communities

Organisation	Website	Organisation Description	Project Description	£	Months	Borough
BCU Life Skills Centre	<a href="http://www.lifeskills.org.uk">www.lifeskills.org.uk</a>	BCU Life Skills Centre (BCU) provides support to members of the local community who experience deprivation, loneliness, isolation, mental health difficulties and those on low income.	The funding is for the continuation of support and activities offered to local residents living in the most deprived areas of Bexley.	£25,000	24	Bexley
Bromley Together	<a href="http://www.advocacyforall.org.uk">http://www.advocacyforall.org.uk</a>	Bromley Together is a group for people with learning disabilities/autism/Asperger's syndrome, some who live independently in the community, with others in supported living. Its members learn new skills, and gain confidence to speak up for themselves and others. They share their experiences and utilises creativity/technology to get their stories heard.	The funding is for lobbying/campaigning around the issues of social welfare and social care for learning disabled (LD) people. COVID-19 reveals existing social inequalities that needs headlining, with Bromley Together (BT) extending to new audiences/hard to reach groups to create a new strong collective to promote these human rights issues.	£45,000	36	Bexley, Bromley, Sutton, London-wide
E17 Puppet Project	<a href="http://www.e17puppetproject.org.uk">www.e17puppetproject.org.uk</a>	E17 Puppet Project (E17PP) is a small arts and education charity supporting people to live their best lives and reach their full potential through providing access to arts programmes and learning opportunities. E17PP supports those for whom socio-economic or personal circumstances might act as barriers to engagement.	The funding is for the salary of a new part-time 'Connecting Arts Development Lead' post. The aspiration is that the post-holder will harness the skills of local people to offer a more stimulating and accessible community arts provision to disadvantaged and socially isolated residents in Waltham Forest.	£30,840	24	Waltham Forest
GesherEU Support Network	<a href="http://www.geshereu.org.uk">http://www.geshereu.org.uk</a>	GesherEU empowers leavers of the ultra-orthodox Jewish (Charedi) community to enter mainstream British society. They are British citizens; poor, with rudimentary education, with little English living in isolating communities without access to newspapers, internet, the British legal and education systems. If they leave the Charedi community, they are ostracised by their family & community and lacks skills to live independently.	The funding is for a three year part-time Community Co-ordinator's post for GesherEU to help disenfranchised ex-Charedi (ultra-orthodox Jewish) service-users to become active and integrated part of modern, multi-cultural Britain by supporting them on their journey and building with them a new "family and community" of similarly affected people.	£43,000	36	Barnet, Harrow
Hug Support Group	<a href="http://www.thehugsupportgroup.co.uk">http://www.thehugsupportgroup.co.uk</a>	The Hug Support Group (HSG) is focused on parents, carers about their wellbeing and mental health. It addresses isolation, exclusion, and awareness of key topics for new parents. Also empowers women, advocate for their needs, and speaks up for their rights.	The funding is for salaries of part-time workers, to help support with the running of the Group's activities. Which will allow HSG to continue and expand its activities for the benefit of new mothers experiencing isolation.	£10,000	24	Barking & Dagenham

## Connected Communities - Advice work

Organisation	Website	Organisation Description	Project Description	£	Months	Borough
Excel Women's Centre	<a href="http://www.excelwomenscentre.org.uk">www.excelwomenscentre.org.uk</a>	Excel Women's Association (EWA) was set up to provide support services for women and girls in Barking & Dagenham and surrounding boroughs in East London as a women only space for support and self development in areas of health, skills training, employability and work club for women.	The funding is to provide information, advice and guidance (IAG) sessions on welfare benefits, housing and health and wellness three times a week for refugee, migrant women and girls in Barking and Dagenham with language support if needed.	£60,000	36	Barking & Dagenham
Iraqi Community Association	<a href="http://www.iraqiassociation.org">http://www.iraqiassociation.org</a>	Iraqi Community Association (ICA) is a charity established in 1987, in response to the need of the community to create an identity and to enable members to settle, integrate and encourage positive contributions towards the host society, mainly by the provision of advice on welfare rights, housing, health, education, employment and immigration.	The funding is for the salary and running costs of a part-time Advice Officer to provide: Up-to-date advice and information on welfare rights. Develop and strengthen networks with voluntary and statutory agencies. Recruit volunteers (1 per week) to help with delivering social welfare services.	£60,000	36	London-wide
Lambeth Elderly Association from Vietnam	<a href="http://www.leav.org.uk">www.leav.org.uk</a>	The Lambeth Elderly Association from Vietnam (LEAV) is a small registered charity with one part-time staff member and ten volunteers serving 300 elderly Vietnamese and Chinese-Vietnamese former refugees from Lambeth and surrounding boroughs. The organisation runs activities and services that support the community to combat poverty, isolation and poor wellbeing.	The funding is for the cost of an advice worker (two days per week) and three training sessions per year covering benefits, debt and housing.	£32,000	36	Lambeth
Lee Green Lives	<a href="http://www.lgl.org.uk">www.lgl.org.uk</a>	Lee Green Lives is a community group that aims to bring life back to Leegate, a run-down shopping centre in Lewisham. The organisation campaigns to ensure that local residents and shops have a say in any redevelopment, and runs a community centre.	The funding is for advocacy support and literacy sessions for vulnerable people who face challenges navigating welfare rights, housing, health and social care issues, and to support and enhance their self-confidence.	£32,000	36	Lewisham
Reconnection	<a href="http://www.reconnection.london">http://www.reconnection.london</a>	Reconnection works to relieve and prevent poverty of refugees by providing advice, information, advocacy, referrals, signposting, translation and interpretation services. Reconnection also works to promote social inclusion for the public benefit and integration of refugee communities who are socially excluded on the grounds of their social and economic position.	The funding is for an essential service that a) provides much needed advice and information on welfare benefits; b) signposts those with complex, legal and high personal and social needs to relevant advice agencies specifically addressing those needs.	£59,000	36	Bexley, Brent, Greenwich

Redbridge Equalities and Community Council	<a href="http://www.redbridgeequalities.org">http://www.redbridgeequalities.org</a>	RECC promotes equality, human rights, community cohesion and representation of the diversity of Redbridge in its civic institutions.	The funding is for continuation funding for drop-in and outreach advice surgeries for isolated or vulnerable groups in Redbridge.	£55,000	24	Redbridge
Stream Skills Advancement	<a href="http://www.streamskills.org">www.streamskills.org</a>	Stream Skills Advancement (SSA) was founded in 2011 by a group of experienced local community development workers. Its overall aim is to improve the quality of life of the local communities through the provision of easily accessible, appropriate advice especially those from refugee and black & ethnic minority backgrounds.	The funding is to provide information advice and guidance to both Somali and Arabic speakers from Syria , Iraq, Morocco and Yeman. As these community groups face barriers such as language, confidence and not having the knowledge of how to access appropriate social welfare services.	£58,100	36	Brent
Welwitschia Welfare Centre	<a href="http://www.wwcuk.org">http://www.wwcuk.org</a>	WWC provides services to Portuguese and Spanish-speaking African asylum-seekers, refugees and migrants in London. This includes support with managing debt, help with employability and personal development, and activities that address poor mental health and social and emotional wellbeing. They deliver this through a combination of drop-in services and outreach work.	The funding is for their advice work at their premises in Tottenham. They are seeking funding towards running costs and towards the salary of our Services Coordinator who oversees and delivers the work, plus some volunteer costs.	£60,000	36	Haringey

## Connected Communities - Strengthening voice

Organisation	Website	Organisation Description	Project Description	£	Months	Borough
Barking and Dagenham Youth Dance	<a href="http://bdyd.uk">http://bdyd.uk</a>	Barking and Dagenham Youth Dance (BDYD) is a champion grassroots group who make positive changes to the local community by offering high quality arts based projects. It provides effective opportunities that engage local people in constructive action, through tasks such as dance, drama and singing, and emphasise common values such as friendship, citizenship and learning.	The funding is to pay for a part-time Project Co-ordinator to expand BDYD's existing Youth Action Programme called Bar-Ham Leaders – “Giving Young People a Voice”. It wants to support young people to take their first steps on a journey that will benefit Barking and Dagenham through them taking action.	£44,000	36	Barking & Dagenham
Community Plan for Holloway	<a href="http://www.plan4holloway.org/">www.plan4holloway.org/</a>	Community Plan for Holloway (CP4H) aims to ensure the voices of the local community remain central to the development of the Holloway site (previously HMP Holloway). This includes engaging with the local authority and the housing association responsible for the development.	This funding is to ensure that the CP4H has some 'equality of arms' with the housing association and developers through a small operational hub to co-ordinate community activities and raise further funds.	£44,500	18	Islington

Deaf Ethnic Women's Association	<a href="http://www.dewa.org.uk">www.dewa.org.uk</a>	Led by Black and Minority Ethnic (BAME) Deaf women, Deaf Ethnic Women's Association (DEWA) exists to secure equal rights and access for this group, campaigning to raise awareness, and providing advocacy, direct support, employment and opportunities for BAME Deaf women to volunteer and support each other.	The funding is for a series of culturally sensitive workshops in BSL for Deaf BAME women. They face multiple oppression and difficulties as well as barriers to information and support. This project aims to inform Deaf BAME women of their rights and how to exercise these in full.	£40,000	24	London-wide
Deptford Neighbourhood Action (DNA)	<a href="http://www.deptfordaction.org.uk">http://www.deptfordaction.org.uk</a>	Deptford Neighbourhood Action (DNA) is a designated neighbourhood forum set up to create a Neighbourhood Plan for Deptford. It's purpose is to shape development; designate sites for housing; protect green spaces; support local employment initiatives and address planning matters at a grass roots community level.	The funding is for completing of the neighbourhood planning process and to support engagement of communities in Deptford to enable as many local people as possible to have a strong voice in producing the final draft of the Deptford Neighbourhood Plan.	£25,000	12	Lewisham
French African Welfare Association	N/A	French African Welfare Association (FAWA) was set up to improve the health and well-being of the African community in London.	The funding is for the training and support of 20 champion leaders from the African and BAME communities in London so they can help people in their community to address the root causes of poverty.	£30,000	24	London-wide
Greater London Forum for Older People	<a href="http://www.greaterlondonforum.org.uk">www.greaterlondonforum.org.uk</a>	Greater London Forum for Older People (GLFOP) is an umbrella body for grassroots (borough based) voices for older Londoners. It supports small, local and regional campaigning groups on key areas affecting older Londoners. This includes low incomes, social exclusion, fuel poverty, inadequate transport, lifetime housing, health & social care services and community safety.	The funding is for the salary and running costs of a part time Co-ordinator, to make the voice of older Londoners' as loud and articulate as possible - to push for implementation of a real 'Age Friendly London'. This includes supporting small and local older peoples forums to campaign.	£39,720	24	London-wide
Nomad - Nations of Migration Awakening The Diaspora	<a href="http://www.nomad-uk.org">www.nomad-uk.org</a>	NOMAD is a community of young people from all walks of life including migrants and people who have experienced and seeking asylum, working to make their lives and their community's lives better through practical support, collaborations, campaigning and advocacy and also through doing fun activities together.	The funding is for a contribution towards salaries, rent for their small office and insurance for NOMAD's work with young people, especially those from refugee and migrant backgrounds, in outer north west London.	£60,000	36	Harrow, London-wide
Southwark Travellers Action Group	<a href="https://www.southwarktravellersaction.org.uk">https://www.southwarktravellersaction.org.uk</a>	Based in Peckham, Southwark Travellers Action Group (STAG) provides advice and support for the English & Irish Traveller communities who live on the four permanent sites (3 in Peckham and 1 in Bermondsey); and the wider Gypsy, Roma, and Traveller (GRT) communities living in bricks and mortar social housing in Southwark and surrounding boroughs.	This funding is to support development work to strengthen the voice of the GRT community in Southwark. The aim is to ensure that STAG is led by the community and that engagement is incorporated into the Southwark resident involvement structure, using this as a model for other London Boroughs.	£60,000	36	Southwark

## Exceptional

Organisation	Website	Organisation Description	Project Description	£	Months	Borough
Inquest Charitable Trust	<a href="http://www.inquest.org.uk">www.inquest.org.uk</a>	INQUEST provides expertise on contentious deaths to bereaved people, lawyers, other support agencies, media, parliamentarians and the public. Its range of cases includes custody and detention, multi-agency failings or where wider issues of state and corporate accountability are in question.	The funding is for casework support and advice for London based families bereaved as a result of a contentious state related death. It is also for influencing and campaigning around the issues raised with the ultimate aim of preventing future deaths.	£150,000	36	London-wide

## Trustees Distribution Fund

Organisation	Website	Organisation Description	Project Description	£	Months	Borough
Capital Mass	<a href="http://www.capitalmass.org.uk">http://www.capitalmass.org.uk</a>	Capital Mass exists to engage and support every parish in the Diocese of London in tackling poverty and inequality. It is focused primarily on the areas of debt and financial exclusion, food poverty, refugees, mental health, loneliness and isolation. They do this through training, resourcing and one to one facilitation.	The funding is for supporting a COVID-19 response for London church leaders and their communities by developing resources such as tool-kits, webinars and workshops; and by building strategic alliances in partnership with YourNeighbour.org. Emerging areas of work are domestic violence and working with the elderly.	£7,500	6	Westminster
Greenwich and Bexley Community Hospice	<a href="http://www.communityhospice.org.uk">http://www.communityhospice.org.uk</a>	The Hospice cares for the terminally ill of Greenwich & Bexley, offering dying people nursing care in their homes, in care homes, local hospitals, Belmarsh prison and in the Hospice itself. They also train clinical staff in end-of-life care.	The funding is for the social work department of the Hospice. This deals with the most vulnerable of their patients who have problems with poverty, housing, legal issues around asylum, wills and power of attorney. To give them the equal right to a good death in their place of choice.	£7,500	6	Bexley, Greenwich
Hackney Migrant Centre	<a href="http://www.hackneymigrantcentre.org.uk">http://www.hackneymigrantcentre.org.uk</a>	Hackney Migrant Centre (HMC) provides free advice and support on immigration, housing, welfare and destitution to refugees, asylum seekers and other migrant in need, regardless of immigration status, nationality and current place of residence.	The funding is for HMC's holistic support for migrants, usually delivered at a weekly drop-in advice service and remotely during the Covid-19 pandemic. Through advice provision and ongoing casework they work to alleviate destitution, support regularisation of immigration status and assist vulnerable migrants to access welfare provision and safe accommodation.	£7,500	12	Hackney, London-wide



LGBT Foundation	<a href="http://www.lgbt.foundation">http://www.lgbt.foundation</a>	LGBT Foundation is a national charity delivering advice, support and information services to lesbian, gay, bisexual and trans communities. Through their services they reduce isolation, help people feel more confident and in control of their lives and enable people to flourish.	This funding is for the commissioning of consultancy to review London's current LGBT sector infrastructure, and weaknesses and gaps. Building on insight from the Trust For London funded 'Still Out There' report, they will identify priorities and actions to work effectively to tackle inequality across London.	£7,500	12	London-wide
Magic Breakfast	<a href="http://www.magicbreakfast.com">http://www.magicbreakfast.com</a>	Magic Breakfast's aim is to alleviate child hunger and poverty as a barrier to education through the provision of healthy breakfasts to children across the UK. They achieve this through three key activities: food aid, building capacity within the school communities they work with, and making the case for change.	The funding is for the provision of approximately 22,000 nutritious breakfasts plus wrap-around support from their dedicated team to children across London. They work with Primary, Secondary, Special Educational Needs schools and Pupil Referral Units - to be eligible at least 35% of students will be registered for Pupil Premium.	£7,500	6	London-wide
OnSide Youth Zones (Future Youth Zone)	<a href="http://www.futureyouthzone.org">http://www.futureyouthzone.org</a>	Future Youth Zone is a safe and inspiring place for young people in Barking and Dagenham to spend their free time. They offer 20+ activities a session including cooking, climbing, dance, boxing and music production, and much more! Most importantly they give young people someone to talk to.	This funding is for their Back to the Future strategy which will support the most vulnerable young people as lockdown eases. From virtual sessions and phone calls, to outreach youth work, and small targeted sessions, they will provide targeted support to those who need it most in one of London's most disadvantaged areas.	£7,500	6	Barking & Dagenham
The Smile Brigade CIC	<a href="http://www.thesmilebrigade.org">http://www.thesmilebrigade.org</a>	They are currently providing free meals and care packages to local residents who are vulnerable and at risk during this COVID19 crisis - with majority of those being the elderly, sick and those in financial hardship.	The funding is to help them provide support and relief to people in need during C-19 by cooking and distributing between 2500-3000 meals per week for a 12week period. After the initial 12 week period -they believe their services will continue to be needed for at least a year.	£7,500	12	Hammersmith & Fulham
West Ham United Foundation	<a href="https://www.whufc.com/club-foundation/foundation">https://www.whufc.com/club-foundation/foundation</a>	West Ham United Foundation was established to promote health and wellbeing through community participation in sports, tackle exclusion and poverty and advance the education of children and young people.	The funding is for the provision of food parcels (and online cooking tutorials) for vulnerable young people, families and adults in East London. The food parcels will include also include basic recipe cards and non food essential items such as toiletries and hygiene products, when appropriate.	£7,500	12	London-wide

## Grants Related Funding

Organisation	Website	Organisation Description	Project Description	£	Months	Borough
Grants Related Funding			This funding is for work to support existing grants such as evaluation, research, capacity-building, advisory work and strategic communications.	£254,686		

## Summary Statistics

Programme Area	Total Awarded	No. of Awards
Good Homes and Neighbourhoods	£790,500	9
Better Work	£1,240,730	9
Decent Living Standards	£954,000	9
Pathways to Settlement	£974,185	9
Stronger Voices	£754,600	6
Connected Communities - Activities in isolated communities	£153,840	5
Connected Communities - Advice work	£416,100	8
Connected Communities - Strengthening voice	£343,220	8
Exceptional	£150,000	1
Trustees Distribution Fund	£60,000	8
<b>Grants Total</b>	<b>£5,837,175</b>	<b>72</b>
Grants Related Funding	£254,686	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£6,091,861</b>	<b>35</b>