



HALLOW PARISH COUNCIL DEVELOPER FUNDING AVAILABLE FOR PROJECTS IN HALLOW

Hallow Parish Council wants to hear ideas from residents with proposals for suitable projects. This will enable the funds secured from housing development projects in the village, which are held by Malvern Hills DC, or Hallow Parish Council, to be utilised for the benefit of the village of Hallow.

A fund of approximately £300,000 will be available from developer contributions made via Section 106, or the Community Infrastructure Levy. This amount could be increased by obtaining additional grant funding, or by raising additional funds. The following restrictions, which are dictated by Government, apply to the use of funds:

- Projects must be for social and community purposes within the parish of Hallow;
- Projects must be new facilities, an extension of existing facilities, or the replacement of existing facilities. Maintenance works are not normally eligible.
- A project may be anything which complies with the above, and there may be a number of individual projects;
- All funds must be expended within 8 years, or are returnable to the developers;
- Examples of possible projects are: the provision of a new pavilion at the playing field; the provision of a woodland area at Holly Bank; an extension of the parish hall car park.
- Please note that Worcestershire County Council receives developer funding directly for schools and highways improvements. For instance, the new zebra crossing was part funded by Section 106 contributions.

Following the selection of suitable projects, the Parish Council wants to form a project team which will include residents to start the planning and delivery of the projects early in 2020.

If you need to know more, or have any ideas for suitable projects then please send these by email to: hallowparishcouncil@gmail.com or contact Anne Stark, the Parish Clerk (07973 395 961)