

Fund Criteria:

Cefn Croes Wind Farm Community Trust

Covid-19 Hardship Fund

The Cefn Croes Wind Farm Community Trust Fund is a Charitable Trust funded by Falck Renewables Wind Ltd.

This funding is in addition to any funding distributed by the Trust to community led organisations and is in recognition of the significant effect the Coronavirus Pandemic has had and will continue to have on individuals and their immediate families.

The Cefn Croes Wind Farm Community Trust Covid-19 Hardship Fund aims to help families with limited resources including those who are suffering considerable hardship and/or those considered to be in crisis due to the Coronavirus Pandemic.

Applicants should make their case for support and can apply for funding towards the cost of items such as:

- Help with critical costs such as utilities, food and essential supplies etc.
- White goods (essential kitchen equipment such as cooker, washing machine, fridge/freezer etc.)
- Essential items of furniture and associated costs eg. A bed frame, mattress and bedding.
- Equipment to support educational attainment such as a computer/tablet and/or specialist software necessary to support those with disabilities etc.

Grants Available

- Grants of up to £300

Who can apply?

- Applicants MUST be resident within the community council areas of Blaenrheidol or Pontarfynach.
- Households can apply for a grant of up to £300.
- Households who have been acutely affected by the Coronavirus Pandemic. For example: Those on low incomes, people who have been instructed to shield/self isolate due to health issues and/or caring responsibilities, those struggling to home educate due to lack of access to internet/hardware etc.

How to apply?

Applicants will need to complete an online application. The application can be accessed [here](#).

If you do not have access to the internet, please contact Clare on 029 2037 9580.

Please note:

- Grants will NOT be awarded retrospectively ie. For costs incurred prior to the receipt of the grant offer letter.

- Applicants must be able to demonstrate the financial/social need the grant will address
- The fund is responsive to urgent needs and has a rolling deadline of the last day of each month.
- Funding will be distributed on a first come first served basis, once the fund is spent down there will be no further assistance available
- A grant panel of people with specialist knowledge and experience will make recommendations to Community Foundation Wales Trustees for approval. Their decision is final and cannot be challenged.