

Cornwall Council: Grow Nature Seed Fund

Any locally constituted and recognised 'not for profit' organisation which seeks to serve the people or wildlife of Cornwall will qualify. For example: Also please see here further information on [eligibility](#)

- You need to raise at least 50% match funding raised before Cornwall Council funds will be pledged
- The trigger point for the Council's pledge will be once you have raised 25% of the total project costs raised.
- The maximum Seed Fund pledge will be £500 or 50% of your target (whichever is the lower)
- Pledges will only be made on all or nothing projects.

Listed below are the type of projects that we would like to support:

- Conversion or restoration of community greenspace to wildlife habitat: community orchards, ponds, wildflower meadows/verges, native hedges, street trees or woodlands
- Environmental improvements to a community centre or village hall grounds: installation of bee bricks, bug hotels, swift boxes, nest boxes, tree planting
- Coastal and marine projects: no anchor zones, initiatives to reduce single use plastics
- Local wildlife training and monitoring schemes
- Schemes to reduce invasive species, litter, noise or light pollution in the environment, including coastal areas and on the water
- Environmental aspects of a heritage restoration scheme
- Initiatives to help local people to connect with their environment.
- Activities which encourage people to grow nature and increase the public understanding and enjoyment of wildlife and heritage
- Cornwall-wide, regional and national organisations are eligible, but only for projects delivering a clear and demonstrable benefit to the environment of Cornwall. [Please see our terms and conditions here](#)