

Appendix 4. Letchworth Sports and Tennis Club Ltd

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1.0	NA	First Draft (BE)

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Name of Organisation	Letchworth Sports and Tennis Club Ltd			
Organisation Type	Club			
Ward	Letchworth South West			
Project Type	Active			
Green option considered?	By installing new cavity wall insulation, the squash block will become significantly more energy efficient.			
NHC Councillor involvement that may constitute a conflict of interest	None known.			
Previous financial support within six years	None			
Documentation reviewed and approved*	Safeguarding	Yes	Accounts	Yes
	Demonstrates clear governance	Yes		
Total applied for	£1,000	Total project cost	£5,500	

Officer Summary

[Letchworth Sports and Tennis Club](#) (LSTC) is a long-established, not-for-profit organisation serving the community of Letchworth Garden City. They provide accessible sport and leisure opportunities for members, residents, schools, and community groups, supporting participation across all ages and abilities.

They are requesting £1,000 towards the installation of new cavity wall insulation for the squash block, to improve energy efficiency. LSTC have already secured funding of £4,500 from the Letchworth Garden City Heritage Foundation.

Currently, the facility is uncomfortable during colder months, which can discourage participation. The primary objective is to create a warmer, more welcoming environment that supports increased engagement in squash. It is expected to improve member retention and they are looking to drive growth in junior and female participation.

It is also currently costly to heat and therefore will reduce energy consumption and operating costs. This will all contribute to the club's long-term sustainability.

Squash is a lesser-known sport, but relatively easy to take up, creating a healthier lifestyle for local residents. Existing partnerships, particularly with St Francis College and other local schools, will continue to provide a steady pipeline of participants for coaching sessions and leagues.

*Funding will only be released on receipt and approval of all supporting documentation