

We want your Vote!!!

Newhall/Aston Parish council budget to spend

What You Need to Know:

Funding Restrictions: The Community Levy can only be used for certain types of projects. <u>https://www.gov.uk/guidance/community-infrastructure-levy</u>

- **Focus**: This funding is for one-time or short-term investments that benefit the community.
- **Challenge**: On-going maintenance and continuous funding needs will be difficult to support with these funds

Please keep this in mind when suggesting new projects!

Thank You for Helping Shape Our Community

We have already had some recommendations from the Community Group

(Please note these requests have been made in the last 12 months but may not form part of the CiL restrictions)



Speed control signs

Speed control signs capable of capturing traffic data on the Whitchurch Road



Benches & paving

Sheppenhall Lane by Sheppenhall Grove, the land to the ford for a better path or the land opposite the pub next the exchange (possibly private land though!)



Joint development contribution

The land opposite Aston Mill (private land owned by the mill) could be developed into a community space with trees, benches, paths. Any funds would be matched or made better by the mill.

Support the church



Support the church for replacing worn carpets upstairs – this could provide a degree of community space (free use) in the future pending an agreement designed together with the church.

Crossroads - Challenge

Improving safety at the crossroads has been suggested, however, that is the responsibility of Cheshire Highways, the Police and an area with associated liabilities that are considered too risky for Parish involvement. Requests can be suggested to Cheshire East Council via their website.

Dog bins - Challenge

The challenge with dog waste bins is the on-going maintenance of such items making it tricky for this to form part of the request for the CIL Fund. Requests can be suggested to Cheshire East Council via their website.

Other suggestions are welcome but will need to be validated with the CiL criteria and approved before we can proceed. Your feedback will guide us in choosing the best options to support our community.

How to Participate:

<u>Paper Survey</u>: Pick up a suggestion form at the Exchange, No18 Coffeeshop (a) The Bhurty, The Bhurty or Longmans and drop it in the collection boxes at the same places. <u>Online Email</u>: Send your responses and suggestions to

astonandnewhall@gmail.com



The survey is open until 31st Jan 2025. Don't miss your chance to make a difference!