



## Horsmonden Parish Council

### Application for Grant Funding for Voluntary Organisations **Form to be completed by applicant:**

Name and Address of Organisation	Air Ambulance Charity Kent Surrey Sussex, Rochester City Airport, Maidstone Road, Chatham, Kent ME5 9SD
Name, address and status of contact	Nick Turrell, Community Fundraising Manager, Address as above
Telephone number	01634 471900
Email address of contact	community@aakss.org.uk
Is the organisation a registered charity? (If Yes, please give charity registration number)	Yes, number: 1021367
Amount of grant requested	£ 500
For what purpose or project is the grant requested	Our aim is to end preventable loss of life from medical emergency, and to ensure the best possible outcomes for patients. We fulfil this aim by provision of HEMS (Helicopter Emergency Medical Service). HEMS brings A&E resources, including doctors and critical-care paramedics, direct to the patient at the scene of emergency. Some complex surgical procedures may be undertaken there, including chest and heart procedures and administration of anaesthetics and blood transfusions. During rapid transfer to the most appropriate hospital trauma centre, our helicopters allow for 360-degree patient access, which enables our

	<p>crews to carry out several procedures during the flight. We bring critical pre-hospital care to the patient in situations where every second counts.</p> <p>Grant is requested as a contribution to the operating costs of HEMS -- helicopters, rapid-response vehicles, medical equipment, fuel, highly-trained crews.</p>
What will be the total cost of the project?	£ 20.8 million annually; £57000 daily
If the total cost of the project is more than the grant, how will the balance be financed?	Our ongoing fundraising efforts throughout the year include grants, donations, lottery, raffles, legacies, events, sponsorship, business partnerships.

#### HPC Grant Funding Application Voluntary Organisations 2020

Have you applied for a grant for the same project to another organisation?	Grant applications are being submitted to other councils and the response is very positive and supportive.
If you answered Yes above, which organisation have you applied to for a grant and what was the amount of the grant requested?	£500 requested from parish councils
Who will benefit from the project?	The population of Kent Surrey Sussex
Approximately how many of those who will benefit are residents of Horsmonden parish?	In the event of a serious medical or trauma emergency in Horsmonden, every resident of your parish could be a potential beneficiary of our life-saving service.
How will this grant benefit the Horsmonden community?	See above
What will be the project outcomes?	Missions undertaken and lives saved

**Notes:**

If you require more space for your answers, please attach an additional sheet.

Please return the completed application form by email to

[clerk@horsmondenpc.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@horsmondenpc.gov.uk) or post to Clerk, Horsmonden Parish Council,  
The Parish Office, Horsmonden Village Hall, Back Lane, Horsmonden, Kent,  
TN12 8LH