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Eildon Community Fund

Forming an assessment panel

Community Fund: Grant Panel Member.
A commitment of around 8 days per year,

About Eildon Community Fund

The Eildon Community Fund is Scottish Borders Council's main provider of financial support to voluntary and community groups. The fund provides support to voluntary and community groups that are active within their communities and assists communities or interest groups with the development of community-based projects.

The Role

The Eildon Community Fund is looking for candidates to form a new Community Fund Assessment Panel. This independent panel will be responsible for scrutinising grant applications to ensure consistency of assessment against approved processes and criteria, value for money and the potential to achieve positive outcomes for the benefit of the community. The Panel report their decisions and make recommendations as appropriate to Eildon Area Partnership.

What are we looking for?

We are looking to create an assessment panel that is as inclusive as possible and which effectively represents the broad, diverse constituency of the Eildon area. The assessment will consist of 9 members; 3 Elected Members along with 6 members from the community.

A quorum of 5 members would be required.

The chair of the assessment panel will be decided by assessment panel members and approved at an Area Partnership meeting

The Eildon panel aims to be as representative of the wider community as possible including representation from older adults and young people.