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Criteria Number	Criteria Description	Detail
1	The need for the scheme	Here we would expect the applicant to explain the need for and the benefits of the scheme. We have asked for the applicant to respond specifically in regard to the Economic, Social and Environmental needs of the District and its residents. So will award points under each section:
		Economic - are there benefits to the economy?
		Social - what is the benefit to the local community or wider community.  Environmental - Are there clear benefits to the environment by implementing this scheme.
2	Is the scheme proposed for Infrastructure?	Schemes should provide for key infrastrucure projects likley to have a greater impact i.e medical, schools, highways, flooding will receive higher scores. Those identified in the Council's Infrastructure Plan (reg 1,2,3 List) and the Strategic Infrastructure List will receive a higher score.
3	Working in partnership	Has the applicant provided evidence that they are working in partnership with one or more organisation. We will look at the type of partners involved how formal the Partnership is and the amount of involvement from all partners. Please note; we will take into account those infrastructure/statutory providers that do not need to work in partnership.
4	Is the Bid scheme part of an existing Strategy/Plan	We would expect the scheme to be put forward as part of an existing Strategy or Plan. This could include Neighbourhood or Parish plans. It could also include regional strategies, Work Programmes by statutory bodies or if it has been identified as a project.
5	Public Benefit	It is likely that bids are looking to provide the greatest public benefit will be looked upon more favourably than those that do not bring a greater benefit to the wider community. Definition: We are therefore looking for schemes that will provide something that is advantageous or good; that will relate to, or affecting a population or a community as a whole.
6	Match Funding	CIL is clearly meant as a 'Top up' and should not be used to fund entire projects. Please note: Schemes that will be relying totally on CIL will not be considered. Schemes that already have a large amount/majority of funding in place will receive a higher score.
7	Clear Project Management	Thourgh their bid we would expect the applicant to show evidence that the project is well managed. Have they provided for example: - clear dates for start and finish of the projectdetails of the management of the project and timescales -details of when they will provide updates to SDC -is other consent required/granted?
8	Planning Permission in place	Has planning permission been granted or sought for the development? This also includes considering if the works don't require PP and whether the proposal is permitted development and also to ensure that the applicant has checked this issue.
9	Does the Bid have local support?	In particular, does the Bid have the support of a local member and/or the Parish and Town Council?
10	Has the project already had CIL funding?	A lower score will be given for those projects which have already received CIL funding. Unless a strong justification can be provided as to why further funding is required.
11	Cost Benefit	Higher scores will be given to those projects which require the smallest % of the overall project cost or provide evidence of a clear public benefit or need. Projects where the CIL money would complete the scheme will also be scored highly.
Total points allocated		
Amount applied for		