

IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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CALLING ALL LOCAL CHARITIES...

In 2016 Market Harborough Building Society's Charitable Foundation awarded more than £10,000 to 16 local charities and voluntary organisations.

A wide range of projects were supported from camping equipment for scout groups, an individual powered mobility aid, new planters for Harborough in Bloom volunteers, seating for local village community halls to musical instruments for a youth band. Head of Sales and Marketing, Louise Bunce said, "Since 1999, the Foundation has helped to make a real difference to our local community by awarding grants worth over £200,000 to 278 local groups. We hold four meetings throughout the year and are always really keen to hear about how we can help support local projects run by either charities or voluntary, community groups."

WE LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING FROM YOU!

So if you belong to a local voluntary organisation or charity and are looking for some support for capital expenditure to benefit people in our local area, please apply today! Our next meeting is being held Monday 6th March. If you would like more information on eligibility and to apply visit our website www.mhbs.co.uk/charitable_foundation.aspx.

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EDITORS NOTES

Market Harborough Building Society was established in the south Leicestershire town of Market Harborough in 1870. The Society has grown steadily and prudently over the last 146 years with assets in excess of £420m, over 35,000 savings members and 4,000 mortgage members.

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