

CARMARTHENSHIRE BUSINESS FUNDS EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORM

(THIS FORM IS FOR USE FOR BOTH THE CARMARTHENSHIRE START UP FUND AND BUSINESS GROWTH FUND)

Applicants Details

Existing Business Start Up Business (trading less than 6 months)

Business Name			
Contact Name		Position in Business / Company	
Business Address			
Business Postcode		Tel No	
		Mobile	
E-mail:			Website:
Business Sector <i>(Details on reverse)</i>			
Business Activity			
Number of Employees <i>(Existing/Proposed)</i>		Year Company established / Proposed start date	
Annual turnover / Projected Turnover			
Who are / will be your customers			
Who are / will be your competitors <i>(Please Specify)</i>			
What geographical area do / will you cover			

CONFLICT OF INTEREST

Are you or a relative going to be providing a price for any items associated with your grant application?	YES	NO	<i>(delete as appropriate)</i>

If Yes, please provide details:

Are you an employee / Councillor with Carmarthenshire County Council?	YES	NO	<i>(delete as appropriate)</i>
If yes, please provide details:			

- Is there potential for growth, investment, job creation?
- What experience do key personnel have in the proposed business activity?
- Please note as this is a retrospective grant, can you confirm you have adequate funds in place to cover initial project expenditure and match funding?

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Date Received	
Invited to submit application	Yes No
Reference Number	

Business Sectors

A wide range of business sectors are eligible including those shown below:

Please tick which Business sector applies to your business

	✓		✓
Advanced Materials & Manufacturing		Life Sciences	
Construction		Food & Drink	
Creative Industries		Tourism	
Energy & Environment		Retail	
Financial & Professional Services		Care	
Information Technology & Telecoms			

Other (please state):.....

Please Note:

If you are invited to proceed onto the next stage of the application process, it would be in your interest to return the completed application form with the supporting information (e.g. business plan/project plan template, financial management information, three year cash-flow forecasts and profit and loss) as soon as possible. **The fund is limited and each complete application will be assessed on a first come first serve basis.**

It should be noted that the Carmarthenshire Business Growth Fund and Start up fund is a discretionary grant and is subject to approval by Carmarthenshire County Council. The Authority maintain the right to refuse any application.

PLEASE RETURN TO:

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 Carmarthenshire Business Fund Team
 Carmarthenshire County Council
 Rural Business Centre
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 Carmarthen
 Carmarthenshire
 SA33 5DR

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Tel No: 01554 748813

Date Completed: