**Coventry Diocesan Board of Finance Net Zero grants – Stage 2**

**Support for PCCs to move towards Net Zero by 2030**

**Stage 2 application form**

Name of church/Parish:

Ref: NZ

Contact details *if different from your Stage 1 Expression of Interest***:**

1. Describe the planned improvements to your church building to reduce carbon emissions or generate energy from renewable sources. If available, please attach a written specification. *Max 300 words*

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1. How will these improvements reduce carbon emissions or generate energy from renewable sources? Please estimate the actual and percentage energy saving and attach any technical reports. *Max 300 words*

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1. Please attach the project brief (that installers have quoted against) and, if available, a copy of your preferred quote(s) for the work. If you do not intend to accept the lowest quote, please explain why here. *Max 200 words*

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1. One of the aims of this fund is to encourage churches to engage with their communities about climate action issues, and to lead the way. Please describe how you have involved and informed church members in decisions about the project and how you have engaged the wider parish and community in discussions about climate action, carbon reduction or renewable energy issues. *Max 300 words*

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1. Describe discussions with Diocesan staff, technical advisers, Diocesan Advisory Committee members or Local Authority, where applicable, and the outcome of these discussions. (G*rants will only be made subject to the relevant permissions being granted). Max 300 words*

Faculty reference number (*if started)***:**

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1. Funding: please set out below full details of project costs and funding. Please include evidence of funding already raised and how you plan to raise any shortfall. Costs should normally be based on the lowest of two or more quotes against your specification or brief and should itemise VAT, contingencies and fees, where applicable. A grant offer may be made based on estimates only, conditional upon providing a final cost and your preferred quote. If you do not intend to accept the lowest quote, please explain why.

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|  |  | Source of funding | | | | | |
| Item | Cost | Net Zero Fund | PCC | Other: | Other: | Other: | Other: |
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| **Totals** |  | *50% of cost max £10,000* |  |  |  |  |  |

1. How does this project relate to the deanery plan of your deanery? You should discuss this question with your Area Dean.

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**Declaration**

I confirm:

The PCC are aware of the project and support the project

The incumbent is aware of the project and supports the project

*If this church is part of a benefice or group of churches*

All other churches in the benefice/group are aware of and support the project

Name of applicant/contact (this is who the approval letter will be sent to):

Role at church:

Date:

Please submit this completed application form with the completed Area Dean Support Form to Jo Hands, Governance and Grants Officer: [jo.hands@coventry.anglican.org](mailto:jo.hands@coventry.anglican.org)

Attachments:

Technical reports(s)

Project brief

Quote(s)

Area Dean Support Form