



Wiltshire Community Foundation

Meet the Funder Event

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What does the Foundation do?

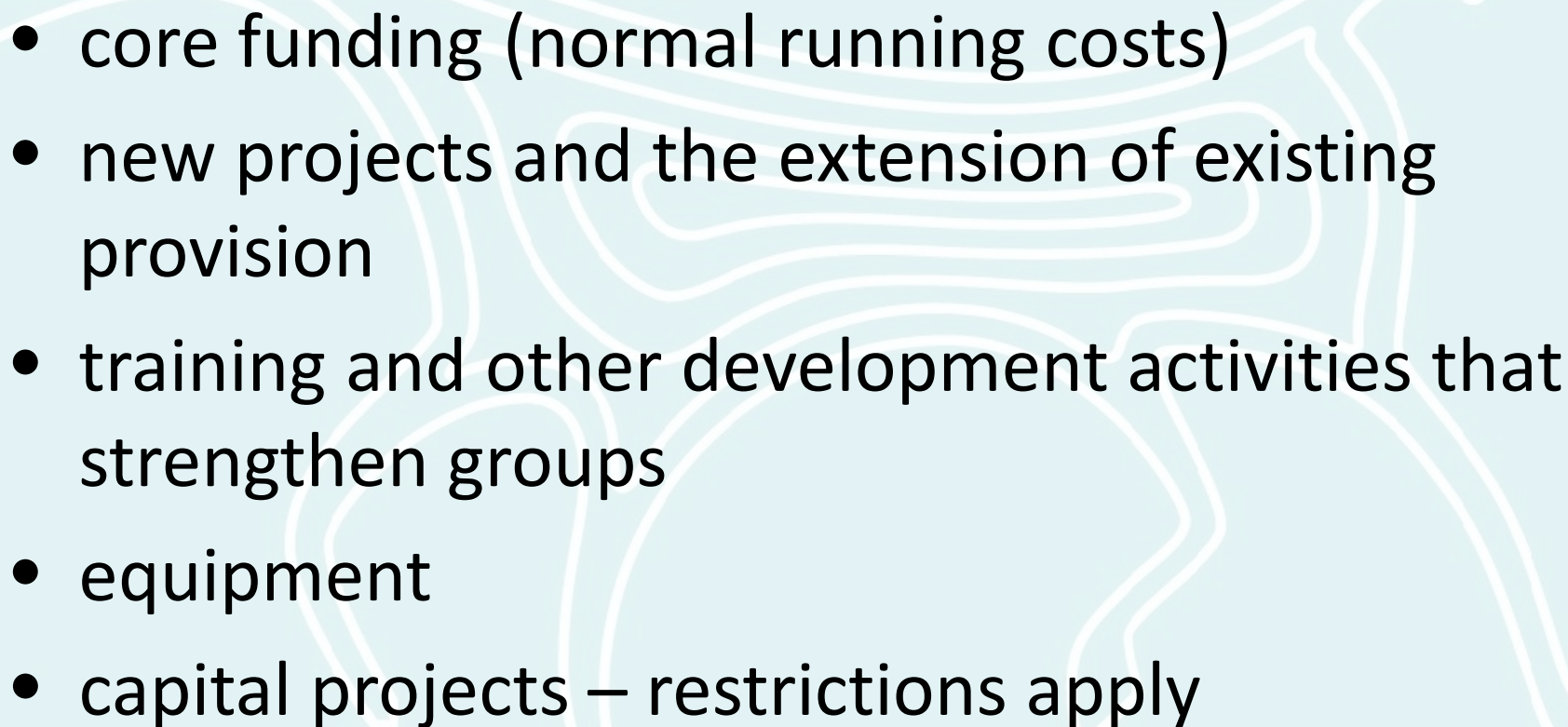
- Makes grants to support the valuable work of the third sector in Wiltshire and Swindon
- Manages grant programmes on behalf of other funders
- Fundraise

Who do we fund?

Third sector organisations -

- Whose work benefits people in Wiltshire and / or Swindon
- Have an independent management structure based in the Wiltshire or Swindon

What will we fund?

- core funding (normal running costs)
 - new projects and the extension of existing provision
 - training and other development activities that strengthen groups
 - equipment
 - capital projects – restrictions apply
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What won't we fund?

- Groups that have more than 12 months running costs in unrestricted reserves
- One-off events or sponsored events



Foundation Large Grants



- Grants of up to £5,000 per year
- 3 year funding available
- Annual budget of £450,000 per year
- Apply at any time

Foundation Small Grants

- Only available to groups with an income of £50k and under
- Grants of up to £2,000 per year
- 2 year funding available
- Annual grants budget of £100,000 per year
- Apply at any time

Comic Relief Small Grants

- Projects which increase access to sport and exercise for people who face social exclusion and isolation
- Projects which help people who are experiencing difficulties in their lives

Police and Crime Commissioner Grants

Projects must projects which seek to bring communities together to tackle local issues

- Anti-social behaviour
- Crime in local neighbourhoods
- Drug and alcohol related crime
- Reducing re-offending
- Violence against women and girls
- Youth crime

Last year

- We awarded £1.2m through Wiltshire and Swindon
- 365 grants were made, but more than 50% of these were paid to individuals



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