## **Household Food Poverty Fund 2021-2022**

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Balance Available - £27,865 Report Value - £20,500 Number of projects - 7

Reference	Name of Applicant	Project Title	Project Description	Comments	Consultation	Award Recomm endation
HFPF-01	СЕТМА	Food Bank	The main outcome of the project is to help families in the areas who are struggling to put food on the table.  The CETMA foodbank currently supports 40-50 families per month, a figure which is anticipated to rise as a result of the ongoing rise in living and energy costs. Future stainability will be supported by fundraising, donations and a food growing project.  Amount requested: £3,500	CETMA are a large organisation which covers several villages/towns in one area: Pembrey, Burry Port, Pwll, Kidwelly, St Ishmaels, Five Road, Ponthenry, Pontyates.	Cllr. Jeanette Gilasbey	£3,500
HFPF-02	Tyisha Food Bank	Food Bank	The outcome of the project is to provide support to the 250 individuals per month who currently access the foodbank, in addition to the increasing number of working families who are accessing support due to the increase in living costs.  Amount requested: £3,500	All foodbank applicants are screened, with only those in need assisted. Intended outcomes are to feed as many people as possible who are in need.	Cllr.Andre McPherson	£3,500

HFPF-03	Pantry Cymunedol Cwmaman	Food Bank	The outcome of the project is to sustain and grow the positive impact of the Cwmaman Community Pantry and the Cwmaman Foodbank, with an emphasis on dignity and choice. Current membership: 77 adults and 34 children, with membership increasing weekly. Amount requested: £3,000	Stock is predominantly redistributed food through Fareshare and the Co-op which is received weekly. Stocks of perishable goods are low, even with the support from these groups.	Cllr. David Jenkins	£3,000
HFPF-04	Banc Bwyd CNE	Food Bank	A relatively new foodbank, which supported 71 adults and 65 children during 2021. The outcome of the project is to be able to support more families and individuals who fall into poverty. It is likely that donors will also experience financial constraints and may be forced to be less generous in future. Amount requested: £3,385.20	Although a relatively new foodbank it works closely with Banc Bwyd Llandysul. With foodbank use estimated to increase, it is important to support a rural community, which is situated away from the bigger towns.	Cllr. Hazel Evans	£1,000
HFPF-05	Llwynhendy Pemberton Forum	Food Bank	The outcomes of the project are to support the venerable, maintain health and wellbeing, provide healthy meals and offer practical advice for daily living. Currently supporting 100 people plus per month, with an increase expected in line with fuel cost increases and a cut in benefits.  Amount requested: £3,500	The organisation also offers support by working with outside agencies, to offer advice on debt management, access to benefits etc.	Cllr. Fozia Akhtar	£3,500

HFPF-06	Llandovery Youth & Community Centre	Food Bank	The outcomes of the project are to support those who encountered debt during the pandemic because of reduced working hours, those who are struggling to pay fuel bills and those who are self-employed who have been affected by the pandemic – focusing on the provision of food to those who really are in need.  Currently supporting around 120 people per week, which is likely to increase in line with higher living costs.  Amount requested: £3,500	Although supported by a local restaurant with weekly food provision, funding would allow for a more consistent approach to planning and support. Building on support from the local community, including donations from churches, individuals, will help with future sustainability of the provision.	Cllr. Handel Davies	£3,500
HFPF-07	Myrtle Hill Food Bank	Food Bank	The outcomes of the project are to provide people in crisis with 3 days' worth of non-perishable food, signposting individuals to additional support and inspiring change.  The foodbank is consistently providing high numbers of food parcels to those in need in the community. The total number of people fed in the week commencing 31/1/22 was 98 individuals, in comparison to the same time last year when it was 44.  Amount requested: £2,500	The number of people receiving support from the foodbank has doubled and is showing an increase in parcel distribution. It is currently sustained through community donations, fundraising, Myrtle House and some grant funding.	Clir. Jeff Edmunds Clir. Eryl Morgan	£2,500