

1. Please provide details of the organisation making the application

Name of Organisation

VETERAN'S GARDEN DUMFRIES

Address of Organisation

NURSERIES AND VICTORIAN GREENHOUSES
THE CRICHTON
DUMFRIES
DG1 4ZE

Telephone Number

E-mail Address

2. Please provide your contact details

Your Name

Contact Address

Telephone Number

E-mail Address

Position in the Organisation

3. Structure of the organisation

What type of organisation are you?

REGISTERED CHARITY IN SCOTLAND

Do you have a formal constitution, governance document or set of rules?

Yes

No

4. What is the structure and purpose of your organisation?

How many people are involved in your organisation, ie:-

Management Committee

Paid part-time staff

Paid Full-Time Staff

Volunteers

Others

Please provide details of other posts below

MEMBERS FROM LOCAL COMMUNITY

When was the organisation established?

2018

5. Please tell us about the asset (building or land) you are interested in

Name of Asset

NURSERIES + VICTORIAN GREENHOUSE + SANDSTONE BUILDING + LANDS USED FOR 4 YEARS

Address of Asset

NURSERIES + VICTORIAN GREENHOUSES
THE CRICHTON
DUMFRIES
DG1 4ZE

Type of transfer you are interested in (transfer of ownership or leasing). If leasing, what length of lease is required?

TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP? / LEASE 25 YEARS.

6. Please use next page to tell us, using no more than one side of A4 paper

A. What do you want the asset for? PLEASE SEE ATTACHED SHEET + ATTACHED MAP

B. What benefits will this bring to the local community? PLEASE SEE ATTACHED SHEET.

Signed

Name

Completed applications should be emailed to CommunityAssetTransfer@dumgal.gov.uk

Or by post to:

Community Development and Empowerment Manager

Communities Directorate

Dumfries and Galloway Council

Municipal Chambers

Buccleuch Street

Dumfries

DG1 2AD

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Answers to question 6 A+b Community Asset Transfer Veterans Garden Dumfries

A. What do you want the asset for

Ans: The Veterans Garden would like to express their interest on an asset transfer on land that they have used within The Crichton Campus (the land had been unused for some 10+ years) for the past 4 years and brought back into use including putting a new roof on the sandstone building cultivating the land and in time restore/refurbish the old glasshouses and continue to run the charity The Veterans Garden Dumfries.

B. What benefits will this bring to the community.

Ans: The Veterans Garden provides therapy through gardening for serving and local veterans suffering from PTSD and service related injuries. We also provide local veterans and their families support and advice in a number issues including housing, finances and job related skills.

We also provide our support to all our blue light services and have worked closely with Mid-Park hospital with their inpatient's under care of the hospitals OT's using the garden.

In the 4 years we have worked this land we have worked closely with Dumfries and Galloway Council and other local agencies. We provide visits from local schools and other parties from further afield. The local community have been at the heart off what we do so they have a better understand of us as a charity and what we do. For the past 2 years we have been making mud kitchens and garden tables and chairs for primary schools within the community.

