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# SUSTAINABLE ROUTES



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## Infrastructure, Connectivity & Transport Forum

### **Sustainable Routes Grant - £1000**

Helps businesses develop sustainable transport initiatives to cut costs and CO<sub>2</sub>.

Covers business travel and commuting.

Grant comes from European Regional Development Fund (ERDF) and is **Match Funded** currently.



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## Who qualifies?

Location: South East (SEEDA)  
SMEs: 0 -249 staff, €50m t/o

Trading for 2 years  
Min T/O £75k

**NOT** franchises, farms, insurance, banking, public sector.



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### Application Process

2 stage via [www.sustainableroutes.co.uk](http://www.sustainableroutes.co.uk)

#### Stage 1

Register on website. Travel Efficiency Plan, Tips and Application Form sent instantly.

#### Stage 2

Complete Application Form and return.



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### **What can it be used for?**

Less travel or travel more efficiently.

#### Travel less

Laptop and connectivity for home working

Video Conferencing

#### Travel more efficiently

LPG conversion for company vehicle

Showers/bike storage to encourage cycling



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It is not a way of getting a couple of new laptops! There needs to be clear justification for the expenditure – miles and CO2 saved.

However very flexible.



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Current programme ends September with 300 grants paid.

New scheme starts November and we can accept applications now.

It will be one third of allowable costs but still £1000 grant.



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### Process

We approve, where criteria met, within week by email.

No backdating. Must be future project.



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“The most flexible and easy to obtain grant  
I have ever experienced”

Philip Wootton



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