

North Norfolk Big Society Fund

Voluntary and community organisations within North Norfolk may apply for Big Society Fund grants to support their projects. Full information including contact details are given in the Fund's page on the District Council website <http://bit.ly/cllr-fitzpatrick-BSE>. It is worth making contact at an early stage to discuss your application. The officers are very happy to give help and advice with any application.

Applications to go to the 4th December 2017 Big Society Fund Grant Panel will need to be submitted by the 6th November 2017.

Greenbuild

Greenbuild's thirteenth outing will be at Felbrigg Hall, near Cromer this coming weekend, on September 9th and 10th. There is great range of talks, events and activities taking place. There are too many exhibitors to list but they include Dong Energy, various NNDC teams, Super Homes, Maltby Plastering to name a few.

Do come along and have a wonderful day out. Visit the Greenbuild page on our website <http://bit.ly/cllr-vfitzpatrick-greenbuild-2017> for more information.

Don't be Scammed – Council Tax Appeals are Free

Residents across North Norfolk are being warned to avoid paying private companies that charge for appealing against council-tax bands.

North Norfolk District Council has received reports of people being asked to hand over their bank details by these third parties – all for providing a service that is free for householders. Employing one of these companies does not help or influence the outcome of an appeal, and is a complete waste of money.

What makes matters even worse in this instance is that some of these third parties are trying to impose a fee simply for filling out a form, regardless of whether the application to lower the council-tax band proves successful or not.

To apply for a council-tax re-evaluation, visit <http://bit.ly/cllr-vfitzpatrick-challenge-your-band>. This link takes to the council Tax Appeals page on gov.uk.

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<https://www.north-norfolk.gov.uk>