

Crawley Borough Council

Covid-19 Business Grants update

Business Support Grants

- Since April 2020, Crawley BC has paid £12.69m in support grants to 895 businesses.
- These comprised Small Business Grants and Retail, Hospitality and Leisure Grants
- However only 19% of Crawley's businesses were eligible for the grants (compared with approximately 36% in Worthing, 27% in Horsham, 27% in Mid Sussex and 32% in Brighton & Hove)

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- In May, Crawley BC received a 'top up' funding allocation of £612,750 towards a Discretionary Business Grants scheme.
- Aimed at eligible small and micro-businesses in Crawley
- 100% of the funding has now been allocated, supporting a further **67** businesses.
- Regular business newsletters signposting businesses to other support measures including HM Government, Coast to Capital grants, emergency funding from the Arts Council and Historic England.