

England, Midlands & East: delegated decisions May 2026

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Schedule of decisions under delegated powers for England, Midlands & East at The National Lottery Heritage Fund in May 2026.

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1 May

Grant change (National Lottery Heritage Grants £250,000 to £10million development round)

Croswight Church: Saving and Promoting a Heritage Treasure

Applicant: The Parochial Church Council of Honing with Croswight

Decision: Agree change in grant percentage from 79% to 85%

14 May

National Lottery Heritage Grants £10,000 to £250,000??

Beyond Wedgwood: Discovering the Wider Ceramics Stories within the V&A Wedgwood Collection

Applicant: Victoria & Albert Museum

Decision: Award grant of £250,000 (87%)

The African Cultural Centre: Preserving Luton's African Heritage

Applicant: Luton and Beyond CIC

Decision: Reject

Rooves x 3 repair to the church 2026

Applicant: The Parochial Church Council of Wethersfield

Decision: Reject

Echoes of Us: Living Histories of Northamptonshire

Applicant: Serve

Decision: Reject

Bricks of History

Applicant: The Parochial Church Council of St Stephen's Church

Decision: Reject

Accessible WC / Shower Tin Tabernacle

Applicant: North West Norfolk Division Girl Guides

Decision: Reject

Voices of Diversity

Applicant: Aspirants Outreach CIC

Decision: Reject

Northamptonshire Heritage Connect

Applicant: University of Northampton

Decision: Reject

Restoring Traquair's Vision: The Clayworth Murals Project

Applicant: The Parochial Church Council of St Peter's Church Clayworth

Decision: Award grant of £249,217 (93%)

Threads Through Time: A Millennium of Midlands Encounters with the Muslim World

Applicant: Museum of Islamic Arts & Heritage Foundation

Decision: Reject

Cottage rethatch

Applicant: David John Meen

Decision: Reject

Access and Securing the Future of a Listed Veterans' Memorial Building

Applicant: Lord Kitchener Memorial Holiday Centre

Decision: Reject

Saving St Mary's Church

Applicant: St Mary's Church Glemsford

Decision: Award grant of £250,000 (88%)

The Fishermen's Chapel – John Wesley's Leigh, community, culture, heritage and song

Applicant: The Fishermen's Chapel

Decision: Reject

Celebrating and Safeguarding African Heritage

Applicant: United African Association

Decision: Reject

Inclusive Access to Heritage at St. Peter's Church Sharnbrook: Phase 1 External works

Applicant: St. Peter's Church Sharnbrook Parochial Church Council

Decision: Reject

Unlocking our Digital Heritage

Applicant: Archives of IT

Decision: Award grant of £97,571 (64%)

A traditional marriage comparison between England and the Ndebele of Zimbabwe and South Africa

Applicant: Destiny House Worldwide Ministries

Decision: Reject

How Does a Community Grow?

Applicant: MarketPlace Arts

Decision: Reject

Enhancing Tintwistle Community Hub for Inclusive Heritage and Community Use

Applicant: Tintwistle Cricket Club

Decision: Reject

Garba for Health & Wellbeing: A Monthly Family & Community Dance Programme

Applicant: Kreesh Community Events CIC

Decision: Reject

REMEMBAH ZEPHANIAH! A Living Vault

Applicant: MAMA Youth Project

Decision: Reject

Hidden Diamonds; Migrant Stories of Punjabi Women in Leicester

Applicant: Kohinoor Media Ltd

Decision: Reject

Bringing heritage to the people of, and visitors to, Moreton, Bobbingworth and the Lavers

Applicant: Moreton, Bobbingworth and the Lavers Parish Council

Decision: Reject

Reaching the Pinnacles – The Holme Heritage Appreciation and Tower Restoration Project

Applicant: The Parochial Church Council of Holme next the Sea

Decision: Award grant of £249,845 (50%)

Summer of '76: Black Youth, Northamptonshire, and the Caribbean – United by Reggae, Heritage and Resistance

Applicant: Northamptonshire Rights and Equality Council

Decision: Award grant of £238,999 (99%)

Voices from the Classroom: The Educational Legacy of the Windrush Generation and Their Descendants

Applicant: Sudden Productions

Decision: Reject

Baripen Archive & Cultural Centre

Applicant: Compas

Decision: Award grant of £226,486 (100%)

Heritage in Harmony: Bells, Biodiversity and Belonging

Applicant: Copdock with Washbrook Parochial Church Council

Decision: Defer

Rooted in Heritage

Applicant: Watersprings Christian Centre

Decision: Reject

All Saints' Church, Morborne: from fragile to forever

Applicant: Parochial Church Council of All Saints', Morborne

Decision: Award grant of £245,727 (77%)

Midlands Gospel Music Preservation – MGMP

Applicant: Gospel Revisited Project CIC

Decision: Reject

Heritage Sounds Leicester

Applicant: HQ CAN CIC

Decision: Reject

The Reydon WW1 Pillbox Project

Applicant: Reydon Parish Council

Decision: Reject

The Importance of Shrovetide Football to People, Place and Heritage in Ashbourne and Atherstone

Applicant: GRAIN Projects CIC

Decision: Award grant of £33,000 (79%)

Bulmer Brick and Tile Foundation: Building a resilient future for the Foundation and traditional Brick Making

Applicant: The Bulmer Brick and Tile Company Limited.

Decision: Reject

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Church restoration and community engagement

Applicant: The Parochial Church Council of Christ Church Biddulph Moor

Decision: Award grant increase of £19,707 to make a total grant of £68,442 (73%)