

# Gloucestershire Economic Growth: Capital Investment Pipeline (CIP)

## Expression of Interest (EOI)

**Gloucestershire Economic Growth: Capital Investment Pipeline (CIP):** The CIP is a shared resource across GFirst LEP, Gloucestershire County Council and the 6 District Councils in Gloucestershire, to maintain a viable pipeline of capital projects that have the potential to support significant economic growth, and are seeking public funding. **To have the potential to be truly transformational, we expect a minimum project value of £1m.** Inclusion in this pipeline is an indication that the idea has potential, but does not automatically secure further support or funding.

EOI submissions should be made through **one** of the partner organisations. (Do not send to multiple recipients. Choose the one most suitable for your project). They will respond to your EOI to indicate if they are willing to add it to the CIP on the basis that they judge it to have potential and a good strategic fit. They would remain your first point of contact.

**Submit to one of the following:**

GFirst LEP <a href="mailto:projects@gfirstlep.com">projects@gfirstlep.com</a>	Gloucestershire County Council <a href="mailto:simon.excell@gloucestershire.gov.uk">simon.excell@gloucestershire.gov.uk</a>
Cheltenham Borough Council <a href="mailto:Jeremy.Williamson@cheltenham.gcsx.gov.uk">Jeremy.Williamson@cheltenham.gcsx.gov.uk</a>	Cotswold District Council <a href="mailto:christine.gore@cotswold.gov.uk">christine.gore@cotswold.gov.uk</a>
Forest of Dean District Council <a href="mailto:Regeneration@fdean.gov.uk">Regeneration@fdean.gov.uk</a>	Gloucester City Council <a href="mailto:eds@gloucester.gov.uk">eds@gloucester.gov.uk</a>
Stroud District Council <a href="mailto:Barry.Wyatt@stroud.gov.uk">Barry.Wyatt@stroud.gov.uk</a>	Tewkesbury Borough Council <a href="mailto:Katie.power@tewkesbury.gov.uk">Katie.power@tewkesbury.gov.uk</a>

The CIP will be used to identify projects that fit the criteria of funding opportunities as they arise. Schemes eligible for potential investment will be invited to develop a full business case to come forward for formal appraisal.

**Project Name** *(Be specific not general, to avoid confusion with other similar projects or locations)*

**Investment theme:** *Tick the primary theme that best fits your project. If applicable, also tick a sub theme. If 'other' state and explain.)*

**Primary Investment theme:**

Business Environment  Housing  Infrastructure  Place Shaping  Skills and Employment  
Other

**Sub investment theme:**

Digital  Education  Employment  Energy  Housing  Regeneration  Transport   
Other

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<b>Promoter Details</b>	
Promoter Organisation	
Promoter Address	
Primary Contact (name & job title)	
Email Address	
Contact Telephone Number	
<b>Project Summary (Max 250 words)</b> <i>(Describe your project idea clearly and succinctly, including what the investment would buy, and why it would lead to economic growth for Gloucestershire. Include the potential timeframe, and any significant drivers or constraints related to the scheduling of the investment. Include details of the organisation(s) that would be involved in its delivery, and why public funds are needed).</i>	
<b>Summary of benefits/outcomes that will be delivered (Max 250 words)</b> <i>(Expanding on your summary, provide information on the tangible benefits or outcomes that would be delivered, leading to the growth of the Gloucestershire economy. These could address challenges or capitalise on opportunities, including those associated with improving productivity. List the expected benefits, estimated quantities and indicate the timescales).</i>	

<b>Strategic Fit (Max 150 words)</b> <i>(Give the local, regional or national context for your project. Explain how it clearly aligns to the Strategic Economic Plan v2 <a href="https://www.qfirstlep.com/downloads/2018/sep-2-update2018v3.pdf">https://www.qfirstlep.com/downloads/2018/sep-2-update2018v3.pdf</a> and complements the local District strategies and delivery plans</i>

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**Evidence of need or demand (Max 150 words)** *(give details of the evidence you can reference that supports your case that there is a need or demand for this project)*

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**Summary of the Capital Investment(s) proposed and sources of funding:** *(Estimated total capital cost of the project, and (if available) list the main elements of the budget. Provide details of any potential or secured source(s) of funding and the likely shortfall.)*

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**Summary of the Revenue Investment(s) required and sources of funding** *(Explain how the project would be deliverable and sustainable by explaining the sources of revenue funding to support the likely cost needed to deliver the project following the capital investment)*

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**Project Status** *(select from one of the following, and provide brief explanation)*

Concept Stage <i>(very early stages, requires considerable development before it could be considered for funding)</i>	
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Outline Stage <i>(early stages, some detail clear but longer term aspiration which will need further development)</i>	
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Developed Stage <i>(clear project plan, deliverable, but seeking funds)</i>	
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Mobilising Stage <i>(project moving close to delivery, which still has some challenges to overcome)</i>	
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**Project Status: key milestones** *(where applicable, provide brief notes on the current situation)*

Promoter identified	
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Full Business case available	
Planning Status	
Land Assembly (potential requirement for CPO)	
Confirmed Funding Sources	
Design Detail Stage	
Earliest Potential Start Date	

**Key challenges associated with Project** *(give brief indication of the main challenges or risks associated with the successful delivery of this project)*

Challenge / Risk	Potential Impact / mitigation

### Declaration by Applicant

I certify to the best of my knowledge the information submitted on this form is true and correct.

I have the appropriate level of responsibility to submit this Expression of Interest on behalf of my organisation.

I am aware that acceptance of a project on to the CIP does not automatically result in further support or funding through any partner organisation.

Signed (on behalf of Promoter)

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Date :-

Name and title

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Status of signatory (e.g. CEO, company director, authorised agent)

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EOI submission details (see list on front page)

Sent to: (Name of organisation / person )

Date submitted:

