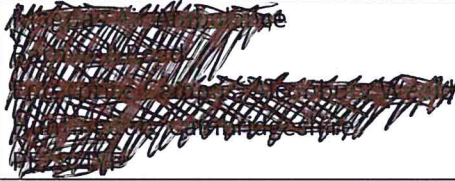





**SAWSTON PARISH COUNCIL**

**APPLICATION FOR GRANT OR DONATION**

Name of Organisation	Magpas Air Ambulance
Address	
Registered charity number (if applicable)	119279
Telephone number	<del>01480 371000</del>
E-mail	<del>laura.jopson@magpas.org.uk</del>
Contact name and position in Organisation (plus address if different from above)	Laura Jopson, Fundraising Consultant
Bacs payment details	
Describe the overall aim of your organisation and the activities or services it provides	<p>Magpas Air Ambulance provides the very best pre-hospital emergency care, both in the air and on land. Operating 24/7, the charity answers on average six calls for help a day, treating approximately <b>1,100 patients</b> in life-threatening emergencies each year.</p> <p>Magpas Air Ambulance serves the communities of Cambridgeshire, Bedfordshire and the East of England, and is dispatched by both the East of England and the East Midlands Ambulance Service Trusts – caring for a population of over 10 million.</p>
Explain the direct benefit to Sawston of your organisation's activities including the number	Demand for our service is growing – exponentially so. In 2023 - 2024, the charity was activated to <b>Cambridgeshire 1119 times, including to Sawston.</b>

Amount requested	£350

<p>Explain why your Organisation is applying for funding and the purpose for which it will be used</p>	<p>In 2023 – 2024, our team treated over 692 patients across Cambridgeshire. These treatments included lifesaving procedures that helped to stabilise patients and treat urgent, time sensitive injuries. The procedures also provided pain relief and comfort to patients who were in severe distress and helped to reduce their trauma.</p> <p>Entirely dependent on charitable funding, we simply would not be able to continue this service without the support of generous funders such as Sawston Parish Council.</p> <p>We urgently require funding to ensure we can continue to save lives.</p> <p>Your parishioners could be anywhere when they need us – at work, crossing a road or perhaps simply enjoying a family walk.</p> <p>We are asking for core funding to help ensure we can get to them.</p> <p>Any donation you can give will go towards saving lives and reducing disability in the event of emergency.</p>
<p>Detail the total cost of each item covered by your funding request (please use separate sheet if needed)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• £30 could fund a blizzard blanket to keep patients warm whilst we provide treatment</li> <li>• £140 could fund the equipment and drugs needed to ventilate a patient and take control of their breathing</li> <li>• £500 could refill a haemorrhage pouch to help stop a patient bleeding to death</li> <li>• £1,000 could refill our helicopter fuel tank to ensure we can get out to patients</li> <li>• £3,500 could fully fund the cost of one of our missions to go out to save a life</li> </ul>
<p>Have you applied to Sawston Parish Council for assistance before? If so give details</p>	<p>Yes. The last donation received from the Parish Council was in 2020 and for £356.40 (thank you again for your kind support).</p>
<p>Signed</p>	<p>Laura Jopson</p>
<p>Date</p>	<p>17.09.2024</p>
<p>Position in Organisation</p>	<p>Fundraising Consultant</p>

Completed form should be sent to:

Mrs J Keeler  
Parish Clerk