

APPENDIX A

Covid -19 Grants (as at 3 November 2020)				
Grant / Commitment	Date of Notice	National £m	Southwark £m	Purpose
General support for local authorities				
General support for local authorities for COVID-19 pressures - first announcement	11/03/20	1,600	11.137	Primarily to support social care, homeless and rough sleepers and to meet pressures across other services.
General support for local authorities for COVID-19 pressures - second announcement	18/04/20	1,600	8.785	The second tranche of funding was allocated on a per capita basis.
General support for local authorities for COVID-19 pressures - third announcement	02/07/20	494	3.649	The third tranche of additional funding to support additional costs. Headline figure of £500m. £494m for general funding and £6m for targeted support for Unaccompanied asylum seekers.
General support for local authorities for COVID-19 pressures - fourth announcement	22/10/20	919	10.007	The fourth tranche of additional funding, allocated on the relative needs formula
Total general support for additional costs		4,613	35.578	
Support for local authorities for COVID-19 sales, fees and charges income losses	02/07/20	No set amount	6.500	Estimated share of additional funding to support losses in sales, fees and charges. Actual funding ongoing and dependent on actual irrecoverable losses in 2020-21
General Announcements				
July statement	08/07/20	25,000		Series of measures around jobs creation, up to £30bn. Job retention scheme (£9.4bn); £2bn 'kickstart scheme launched 2 Sept 2020; (£1.6bn) subsidising placements for 16-24yr olds on universal credit. Stamp duty holiday (£3,8bn). £3bn green recovery to support being a carbon net zero economy by 2050 (£2bn new green homes grants, £1.1bn for insulation). Hospitality , VAT reduction £4.1bn, £0.5bn eating out; Infrastructure package (£5bn already announced)
New Deal Building Programme	30/06/20	5,000	TBC	New Deal announced. Building programme to bring forward £5bn of capital investment projects in Education, Health, Transport, Youth and Prison service, High streets and Parks. Autumn statement expected to announce a National Infrastructure Strategy (energy, road and rail, flood defences

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Support for Businesses				
Additional Restrictions Grant	02/11/20	1,100	6.377	The government will be given £1.1 bn to local authorities distributed £20 per head for one off discretionary payments to enable them to support businesses more broadly
Local Restrictions Support Grant	02/11/20		6.424	Business Grants- Extended to national lockdown. Updated on 02/11/2020 in anticipation to the new lockdown. Premises that are forced to close will receive grants of up to £3,000 monthly
Business Grants for reduced demand due to local restrictions	22/10/20	No set amount	Amount per business	Additional funding to support businesses with up to £2100 per month for businesses in hospitality, accommodation and leisure sectors who may be harmed by restrictions in high alert level areas
100% business rate reliefs	17/03/20	8,000	31.900	The government increased the retail businesses discounts to 100%, with the relief applying to occupied retail, leisure and hospitality properties in the year 2020-21. Local authorities are compensated through a Section 31 grant.
Small Business Grant Fund and Retail, Hospitality and Leisure Grant	17/03/20	13,000	70.062	Business Grants. As at 1 September 2020, c £63.7m released (4372 of 4939 SMEs)
Discretionary Grant	30/04/20	617	3.503	This additional fund is aimed at small and micro businesses that were not eligible for the Small Business Grant Fund or the Retail, Leisure and Hospitality Fund.
Reopening High Street Safely Fund	24/05/20	50	0.286	Funding to support the safe reopening of high streets and other commercial areas to establish a safe trading environment for businesses and customers
Support for Specific Services				
Support for Leisure Centres	22/10/20	100	Not yet announced	Central government have announced £100m to support leisure services. Details expected shortly.

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Contain Management Outbreak Fund	16/10/20	465	0.956	Payments of £3 per head of population for tier 2, for targeted testing and tracing and compliance and providing support to those who are self isolating. Potential further grant for period of national lockdown at £8 per head of population.
Support for Vulnerable families	10/06/20	63	0.412	Funding for LA for vulnerable families to help those who are struggling to afford food and other essentials due to coronavirus. LAs have existing mechanisms to provide this support such as cash payments, food vouchers, or alternative means of support.
Hardship Fund	11/03/20	500	3.476	The council has introduced a new council tax hardship policy to provide extra help to low income, working age, council tax payers. In most cases the extra help will reduce bills by £150.
New burdens funding for administering business grants	17/03/20	TBC	TBC	Funding of the new administrative burdens, including Business Rate Grants and discounts.
Local Government Compliance and Enforcement Grant	05/10/20	30	0.226	60m (£30m for police and £30m for LAs) to pay for Covid-19 marshals and other measures to encourage compliance with restrictions.
Homelessness Fund - emergency fund to help rough sleepers to self-isolate	17/03/20	3.2	0.033	Emergency funding for rough sleepers
Rough Sleeping Initiative – 2 nd	24/6/20	105	1.019	£85m of new funding and £20m from existing homeless and rough sleeping budgets, to provide interim support for 15,000 vulnerable people accommodated during the pandemic, and secure tenancies and short term housing. Help with deposits for accommodation, and securing alternative rooms such as student accommodation.
Rough Sleeping Initiative – Cold weather payment	12/10/20	10	TBC	£10m Cold Weather Payment for councils to help keep rough sleepers safe this winter. £2m to faith and community groups to help them get rough sleepers into accommodation
Track and Trace Action Plan Funding	22/05/20	300	2.521	Additional funding for LAs to support track and trace action plans. Each local authority will be given funding to develop tailored outbreak control plans, working with local NHS and other stakeholders.

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Test and Trace Support Payment	28/9/20	50	0.349	Individuals are eligible for a support payment of £500 if they have to self isolate. £25m to programme (Southwark share £113k); £15m to discretionary payments (Southwark share £188k) and £10m to admin costs (Southwark share £48k)
Care Home Support Package	15/05/20	600	0.887	The fund is ring-fenced for social care to help care homes cover the costs of implementing measures to reduce transmission. 75% of the funding to be passed straight to care homes with discretion for local authority to distribute the residual based on need.
Care Home Support Package- second tranche	17/09/20	546	1.372	Infection Control Fund has been extended by £546m to ensure providers have the resources they need to halt transmission of Covid 19 throughout winter months, and can be used to pay staff wages for those self – isolating and hire more staff to restrict movement between homes.
Unaccompanied asylum seeker care leavers (UASC)	09/06/20	6	0.400	Increased funding rates for unaccompanied asylum seeking children leaving care to £240 per week replacing previous rates of £150-200pw. Plus a targeted uplift of 25% for authorities who are looking after the highest numbers of UASC, who will receive a tariff of £143 per night instead of standard rate of £114 per night. Estimated for Southwark at £400k.
Schools	18/06/20	650	£80 per pupil, over the academic year. Average £16k for primary and £80k for secondary	£650m of universal catch up premium over 2020/21 academic year. £80pp for mainstream and £240pp for special). Estimated at £16k for primary and £80k per secondary). £350m access to tuition for most disadvantaged 'National Tutoring Programme' this is paid for programme where school can use their catch up premium to pay a subsidised rate for tuition. Covers the academic year, 2 financial years.
Education – Wellbeing for Education Return Grant	12/08/20	8	0.047	Grant to support the wellbeing for education return project, to support pupils wellbeing and psychosocial recovery, to be used for training package and ongoing support for next 6 months

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Pupil Referral Units	05/06/20	7	TBC	£7m one off package for vulnerable pupils leaving alternative provision to boost support to 11,300 year 11 pupils making the transition from secondary school into post 16 education, work or training.
Emergency Active Travel Plan	12/05/20	250	25.0 for London	Department for Transport announcement of funding for reallocation of roads for walking and cycling measures. Part of £5bn investment.
Measures to ease cash flow pressures on local authorities (no additional funding)				
Section 31 grant for business rates reliefs	11/03/20	1,800	9.256	Early payment of 2020-21 S31 business rates reliefs grant. Paid in one instalment in 2019-20 rather than spread through 2020-21.
Advance of social care funding	16/04/20	850	6.834	Early payment of full year social care grants rather than 4 quarterly payments.
Deferral of business rate to government	16/04/20	2,600	27.842	Payments of the business rates central share deferred.
General support for local authorities – third announcement- tax deficits over 3 years				Councils will be allowed to spread tax deficits over 3 years. Additional support likely to be announced at the autumn statement.
Additional Southwark funded Covid-19 support for residents, community/voluntary sector and small businesses				
Enhancement of Southwark Emergency Support Scheme	19/03/20	NA	1.500	Release of earmarked reserves of c £1.5m for Southwark Emergency Support Scheme, previously set aside to offset pressure in future years. Forecast spend up to March to October is £1.3m
Southwark Small Business Support Fund	07/04/20	NA	2.089	Release of unused Pioneer Fund resources (c £1.95m) and High Street Support Grant (c £139k) from earmarked reserves to help support small businesses

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Southwark Community Support Grant	13/04/20	NA	0.511	Release of £391k from earmarked reserve for voluntary sector to new scheme for small support grants for VS working to help tackle COVID. Additional support for tenants also available from existing council scheme (c £120k)