



## **Eligibility for the Business Support Programme**

The Business Support Programme is a funded package of support running to December 2025 to help businesses within Adur and Worthing.

Businesses can apply to receive help and support in the following areas

- Innovation
- Sustainability
- Leadership & Management
- Pre start and start up support

Please note: For businesses less than two years old, we recommend they initially apply for start up support, however businesses can choose the most relevant support area.

To help manage demand and ensure businesses can access their preferred area of support, all registrants will be asked to indicate their priority interest upon registration.

## **Eligibility**

- 1. Incomplete registrations will not be considered
- 2. Businesses must have the core business address located and trading from Adur & Worthing.
- 3. Businesses are classified as those seeking to make a profit and performing a business function. Unfortunately Registered Charities are not eligible for this funding.
- 4. The Business Support Team reserve the right to explore any data in the public domain and request additional information from directors, suppliers and company accountants to satisfy authenticity. They reserve the right to reject any registration where there are inaccuracies or the panel cannot verify information.
- 5. By registering for the process you agree to your registration data being shared with our relevant delivery partners; Freedom Works, University of Brighton or Clean Growth UK.
- 6. If you are unable to proceed with the programme you must notify the team on <a href="mailto:bsp@adur-worthing.gov.uk">bsp@adur-worthing.gov.uk</a> to enable your space to be reallocated.
- 7. Should funding remain available then a business may be invited to undertake a second round of activity.