

England, Midlands & East: committee decisions March 2025

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Schedule of decisions for The National Lottery Heritage Fund committee for England, Midlands & East meeting on 5 March 2025.

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National Lottery Heritage Grants £250,000 to £10million delivery round

Heritage Enterprise: Saving the Iron Duke

Applicant: Great Yarmouth Preservation Trust

Decision: Award Delivery grant of £2,405,884 (81%)

Restoring Pugin

Applicant: Nottingham Roman Catholic Diocesan Trustees

Decision: Award Delivery grant of £1,690,944 (71%)

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Heritage Enterprise: Llwyd Mansion - Framing the Future

Applicant: Oswestry Town Council

Decision: Award Development round grant of £479,972 (84% of total costs) with the potential delivery grant of £2,870,665 (83% of total costs)

Whixall Moss Nature Hub

Applicant: Natural England

Decision: Reject

People of the Peak: Past, Present, Future

Applicant: Peak District National Park Foundation

Decision: Award Development round grant of £204,376 (54% of total costs) with the potential delivery grant of £774,022 (50% of total costs)

SGS: New Beginnings

Applicant: Spalding Gentlemen's Society

Decision: Award Development round grant of £594,738 (90% of total costs) with the potential delivery grant of £4,332,341 (45% of total costs)

The Second World War: Stories for a New Generation

Applicant: Imperial War Museum

Decision: Award Development round grant of £222,456 (88% of total eligible development costs) with the potential delivery grant of £4,504,971 (74% of total costs)

St Andrew, Soham: building repairs and building skills for a brighter future

Applicant: The Parochial Church Council of the Ecclesiastical Parish of St Andrew Soham

Decision: Award Development round grant of £270,199 (73% of total costs) with the potential delivery grant of £2,858,247 (72% of total costs)

St Andrew's, Boreham: Saving a Church for all Seasons

Applicant: The Parish Church of St. Andrew, Boreham

Decision: Award Development round grant of £199,000 (88% of total eligible development costs) with the potential delivery grant of £904,119 (77% of total costs)

Unearthing our past, inspiring our future: Restoring St George & St Mary's, Church Gresley, from Grade II* Heritage At Risk, to Cherished Heritage at the Centre

Applicant: The Parochial Church Council of The Ecclesiastical Parish Church of St George and St Mary, Church Gresley

Decision: Reject

Marches UNESCO Biosphere Reserve

Applicant: Shropshire Wildlife Trust

Decision: Reject



[The Iron Duke before restoration. Credit: Great Yarmouth Preservation Trust.](#)



[Arthur and cast at the New Vic Theatre by Horace Wetton \(1986\). Credit: Victoria Theatre Archive.](#)



[of local cultural icon Arthur Berry](#)

Ely's London Plane is thought to have been planted in 1674. Credit: The Tree Council

Caring for the Great London Plane Tree of Ely