

GREATER LONDON AUTHORITY

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(By email)

Our Ref: MGLA270420-0248

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Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your request for information which the Greater London Authority (GLA) received on 27 April 2020. Your request has been dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

You asked for:

Details of the scheme for the Ludham Undercroft in the London Borough of Camden proposed by the London Mosaic School which was awarded £766,000 under Round Three of the Good Growth Fund.

Details of any funding provided by the GLA/Mayor of London to develop this scheme.

Our response to your request is as follows:

The Good Growth Fund is Mayor Sadiq Khan's £70 million regeneration programme to support growth and community development in London.

Working with the [London Economic Action Partnership](#) (LEAP), the fund supports innovative, best practice regeneration activities, that enable:

- Londoners to actively participate in their local community and have a say in how their city is shaped
- delivery of co-ordinated place-based strategies that welcome growth in a way that works with the physical character of London's many places
- diverse and accessible local economies – from our high streets and town centres to industrial areas – to realise their full potential and making London a place of opportunity for all

Development funding is awarded as a strand of revenue funding to support the development of projects with design and development costs including feasibility, viability, business planning, ahead of Good Growth capital funding being applied for, to demonstrate need, improve quality, and shape and influence the delivery of targeted outcomes.

The Good Growth Fund assessment criteria are available here:

<https://www.london.gov.uk/what-we-do/regeneration/funding-opportunities/good-growth-fund-supporting-regeneration-london/bringing-about-real-change-london#acc-i-58821>

The London School of Mosaics was awarded £50,000 development funding in 2018 to scope a proposal to refurbish the Undercroft on the Ludham estate in Gospel Oak into workspaces and a community hub. Through competitive tender they appointed Public Works to develop the proposal to concept design and support further fundraising efforts.

The London School of Mosaics made a successful funding application to the Mayor's Good Growth Fund Round 3 in 2019 and the Ludham Undercroft Project and was awarded £766,000 (subject to contract) to develop the Undercroft into a multi-use space that includes artist's studios and workshops and a dedicated community space.

If you have any further questions relating to this matter, please contact me, quoting the reference at the top of this letter.

Yours sincerely


Information Governance Officer

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<https://www.london.gov.uk/about-us/governance-and-spending/sharing-our-information/freedom-information>