



South of Scotland Enterprise Grant Awards 1 October 2024 – 31 December 2024

As of 31 December 2024, the list below shows financial assistance provided to clients of South of Scotland Enterprise (SOSE) between 1 October 2024 until 31 December 2024. However, not all of these monies may have been currently drawn down.

SOSE, in line with its legislation, recently published its first [Five Year Plan](#), out of which future operating plans will be formed. These awards are in alignment with SOSE's Five Year Plan 'Six A's' strategic themes as well as the [South of Scotland Regional Economic Strategy \(RES\)](#).

In the last financial year (2023/24), SOSE engaged with 1,300 businesses, social enterprises, and community groups, of which 152 received grants which totalled £9.2 million.

In addition to the grants provided from 1 October 2024 to 31 December 2024, during the same period SOSE worked with 557 businesses, social enterprises and community groups.

SOSE remains on track to spend and distribute its budgets for the benefit of the South of Scotland.

Client Name	SOSE's Six A's	Purpose of Grant Award	Project Location	Amount (£)
A Reid Joinery and Construction	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and output	Castle Douglas, Dumfries & Galloway	£2,716.19
Adele's Dashing Dogs	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to improve overall quality of service offered	Dumfries, Dumfries & Galloway	£851.25
Albie Forestry Ltd	Awakening entrepreneurial talent	Procurement of capital equipment to reduce moisture level to allow production of a new range of high-quality briquettes.	Annan, Dumfries & Galloway	£18,608.00
Annandale Timber Products Ltd	Attracting ambitious investment	Support the biomass boiler automation machinery project, which will significantly	Lockerbie, Dumfries & Galloway	£25,606.50

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		reduce CO2 emissions by using waste wood fibre from the manufacturing process to fuel the biomass boiler.		
Aoife Glass (t/a Spindrift)	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase creative digital service offering encompassing video/audio and digital content production	Innerleithen, Scottish Borders	£5,000.00
Apothecally Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and profit.	Gatehouse of Fleet, Dumfries & Galloway	£4,284.26
Bengairn Country Lodges Limited	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and profit.	Auchencairn, Dumfries & Galloway	£5,000.00
Caledonian Cheese Company Ltd	Attracting ambitious investment	install insulation and compressed air systems within the CCC facility providing efficiency improvements and net zero related benefits.	Stranraer, Dumfries & Galloway	£61,200.00
Coldstream Community Larder	Accelerating Net Zero and nature-positive solutions	Support energy efficiency measures and Solar PV for annexe building	Coldstream, Scottish Borders	£8,016.00
Collingwood-Norris Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and output	Galashiels, Scottish Borders	£3,206.25
Craig Duncan	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment for project that combines creativity and technology	Dumfries, Dumfries & Galloway	£2,007.00

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Crawick Multiverse Trust Ltd	Accelerating Net Zero and nature-positive solutions	Purchase electric mowers for management of the site's landscape	Sanquhar, Dumfries & Galloway	£49,634.00
Crichton Carbon Centre	Attracting ambitious investment	Purchase of capital equipment to help support the Peatland and Evidence Trialling Scheme	Kirkgunzeon, Dumfries & Galloway	£71,878.00
Dalscone Farm Fun	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Funding to support Farm Park redevelopment	Dumfries, Dumfries & Galloway	£242,000.00
Dr Chad Woods Physiotherapy	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and output	Peebles, Scottish Borders	£3,102.59
Dumfries & Galloway Woodlands	Attracting ambitious investment	Purchase of Bennel Wood	Dalbeattie, Dumfries & Galloway	£75,067.00
Dumfries and Galloway Council	Attracting ambitious investment	Continue the partnership funding of £150,000.00 over a three-year period to 2028 to explore opportunities for potential use and development of the Chapelcross site	Annan, Dumfries & Galloway	£150,000.00
Dumfries High Street Limited	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Additional capital to support Dumfries High Street to deliver phase 1 of the Midsteeple Quarter project	Dumfries, Dumfries & Galloway	£400,000.00
Durty Brewing Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase brewing capacity	Innerleithen, Scottish Borders	£8,600.00
Edinburgh Documentary Films Ltd	Advancing innovation and	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and output	Galashiels, Scottish Borders	£3,545.91

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Electric Theatre Workshop Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment for live streaming events	Dumfries, Dumfries & Galloway	£4,962.00
Eye Cut Stone	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and output	Peebles, Scottish Borders	£4,467.66
Galloway View	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase capital equipment for a project that invests in cycling infrastructure	Gatehouse of Fleet, Dumfries & Galloway	£15,860.00
GJ and C Vance & Co	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and profit	Whithorn, Dumfries & Galloway	£4,250.00
Green Heat & Power Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and output	Dumfries, Dumfries & Galloway	£1,721.63
Gunsgreen House Trust	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to improve cyclist facilities	Eyemouth, Scottish Borders	£4,100.00
H & I Engineering Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Support capital investment in new crane	Eastriggs, Dumfries & Galloway	£24,780.00
Haymarket 125 Ltd	Attracting ambitious investment	Establish a bike manufacturing plant	Innerleithen, Scottish Borders	£75,000.00
Howard Askew	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to expand blended data and technology consultancy with audio / music production and performance.	Lockerbie, Dumfries & Galloway	£4,980.00

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Ian Corsan Joinery	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and profit.	Dumfries, Dumfries & Galloway	£1,017.50
James Little	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment for audio/video podcasting	Dumfries, Dumfries & Galloway	£2,205.64
Kirkcudbright Swimming Pool Ltd	Accelerating Net Zero and nature-positive solutions	Purchase of capital equipment to help reduce carbon emissions and carry out pool efficiency upgrade	Kirkcudbright, Dumfries & Galloway	£93,354.80
Kofeopia Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Establish coffee roastery for wholesale distribution.	Moffat, Dumfries & Galloway	£9,346.00
Loch Arthur Camphill Community Ltd	Accelerating Net Zero and nature-positive solutions	Install and operate a 70kW solar PV	Beeswing, Dumfries & Galloway	£41,608.00
Lockerbie Squash & Racketball Club (SCIO)	Accelerating Net Zero and nature-positive solutions	Install Solar PV, battery storage and an ASHP at Lockerbie squash club	Lockerbie, Dumfries & Galloway	£34,787.00
M Banka Photography	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and profit	Innerleithen, Scottish Borders	£3,183.75
McLelland Cheese Packing	Attracting ambitious investment	Funding towards the purchase and installation of a more efficient transformer and compressor	Stranraer, Dumfries & Galloway	£33,596.00
Meadowside Joinery	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase capital equipment which will result in increased productivity and output.	Gatehouse of Fleet, Dumfries & Galloway	£2,756.16
Metrik Solutions Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and output	Dumfries, Dumfries & Galloway	£3,734.70

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Mike Osborne Design	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Funding towards the purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity	Thornhill, Dumfries & Galloway	£2,685.92
ML Dent Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and output	Dalbeattie, Dumfries & Galloway	£5,000.00
Monybuie Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and output	Corsock, Dumfries & Galloway	£2,171.25
Morebattle Community Hub and Public House Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Community acquisition of, and phase 1 capital works to, Templehall Hotel, Morebattle	Morebattle, Kelso, Scottish Borders	£95,094.00
Motivity Solutions Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and output	Galashiels, Scottish Borders	£2,411.36
Nature with Apithanny	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase capital equipment for a project that combines creativity with technology in the creative industry sector as defined by Scottish Government.	Galashiels, Scottish Borders	£2,287.49
Neilson Electrical Services Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and output	Moffat, Dumfries & Galloway	£4,551.29
OCD Valeting	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and output	Dalbeattie, Dumfries & Galloway	£1,484.95
Odyssey Wellness Ltd t/a The Parlour Room	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to enable virtual classes and online courses.	Hawick, Scottish Borders	£3,417.00

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Paragon Ensemble Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to support inclusive digital music workshops and live performances with disabled musicians.	Dumfries, Dumfries & Galloway	£4,133.00
Pathways Grant Fund	Awakening entrepreneurial talent	Pathways Grant Fund	South of Scotland	£56,000.00
RM Landscaping Services	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and output	Gatehouse of Fleet, Dumfries & Galloway	£2,888.94
Robert Burns Ellisland Trust	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Complete the design of the renovation of historic buildings and three holiday units to RIBA stage 3	Auldgirth, Dumfries & Galloway	£313,210.00
Ross Turley (t/a Solway Fitness)	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and output	Dumfries, Dumfries & Galloway	£5,000.00
Rowan Glen Ltd	Accelerating Net Zero and nature-positive solutions	Install high efficiency flow plates, streamlined pipework and associated interfaces within the production environment	Newton Stewart, Dumfries & Galloway	£64,974.15
Roy Sutton	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase joinery production	Castle Douglas, Dumfries & Galloway	£4,162.50
Scotia Automation Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Fit out of a new facility to establish a new production and demonstration area	Dumfries, Dumfries & Galloway	£95,148.00
Scottish Enterprise	Accelerating Net Zero and nature-positive solutions	Clean Heat Expert Support	South of Scotland	£528.00

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SHAX	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Funding to establish new, fit for purpose operating premises through the purchase of the Marchmont Store, Dumfries	Dumfries, Dumfries & Galloway	£96,236.00
Sky-Pin Drones Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Funding towards the purchase of an XAG P100 Drone	Melrose, Scottish Borders	£5,000.00
South West Media Factory CIC	Activating and empowering enterprising communities	Provide young people in Dumfries and Galloway with the opportunity to gain access to film and media training.	Dumfries, Dumfries & Galloway	£4,000.00
St John's Town of Dalry Community Properties Trust	Accelerating Net Zero and nature-positive solutions	Complete the Glenkens Community Centre low carbon retrofit	St John's Town of Dalry, Dumfries & Galloway	£30,292.80
The Crichton Trust	Attracting ambitious investment	Development of an 'International Acceleration Arena' for NetZero businesses and future industries combined with a 'Media Engagement Centre' for enhancing education, learning and communication.	Dumfries, Dumfries & Galloway	£41,000.00
The Whithorn Trust	Attracting ambitious investment	Fund building fabric improvements for transition to Net Zero - specifically relating to the Whithorn Trust Museum Cafe	Whithorn, Dumfries & Galloway	£66,000.00
Think Fitness Ltd	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and profit	Hawick, Scottish Borders	£4,340.62
Transform Arts CIC	Advancing innovation and	Purchase of capital equipment for a project	Selkirk, Scottish Borders	£4,938.13

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Trejayne Glass Studio	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and profit	West Linton, Scottish Borders	£4,211.43
Tweed Forum Ltd	Attracting ambitious investment	Resource required to deliver the Wild Heart Expansion Project Phase 2	Melrose, Scottish Borders	£15,000.00
Tweed Forum Ltd	Attracting ambitious investment	Design and create innovative attenuation features to retain water, slowing the flow, improving water quality and enhancing biodiversity in the catchment	Peebles, Scottish Borders	£85,000.00
Vulture Recycling Equipment Ltd	Accelerating Net Zero and nature-positive solutions	Create a new design and modification to the Vulture system, allowing it to be adapted or universal to fit different sizes and models of excavators across the world	Dumfries, Dumfries & Galloway	£14,850.00
Wigtown and Bladnoch Community Initiative	Advocating for Fair Work and equality	Acquisition and redevelopment of former church hall for cultural and entertainment enterprising activity	Wigtown, Dumfries & Galloway	£53,666.00
Wigtown Community Inn Community Benefit Society	Advocating for Fair Work and equality	Support for the acquisition of the Plough Inn in Wigtown	Wigtown, Dumfries & Galloway	£337,500.00
Yarns To Yarn For	Advancing innovation and improving productivity	Purchase of capital equipment to increase productivity and output	Langholm, Dumfries & Galloway	£2,239.14