

WIMBLEDON FOUNDATION COMMUNITY FUND — MEETING SOCIAL NEEDS ACROSS MERTON AND WANDSWORTH

GRANTS AWARDED IN OCTOBER 2014

Spare Tyre
Project: Develop Roehampton Radio, an internet community radio station run on the Roehampton Estate which aims to connect residents and help people to build skills and increase employability.
 Awarded £4,500

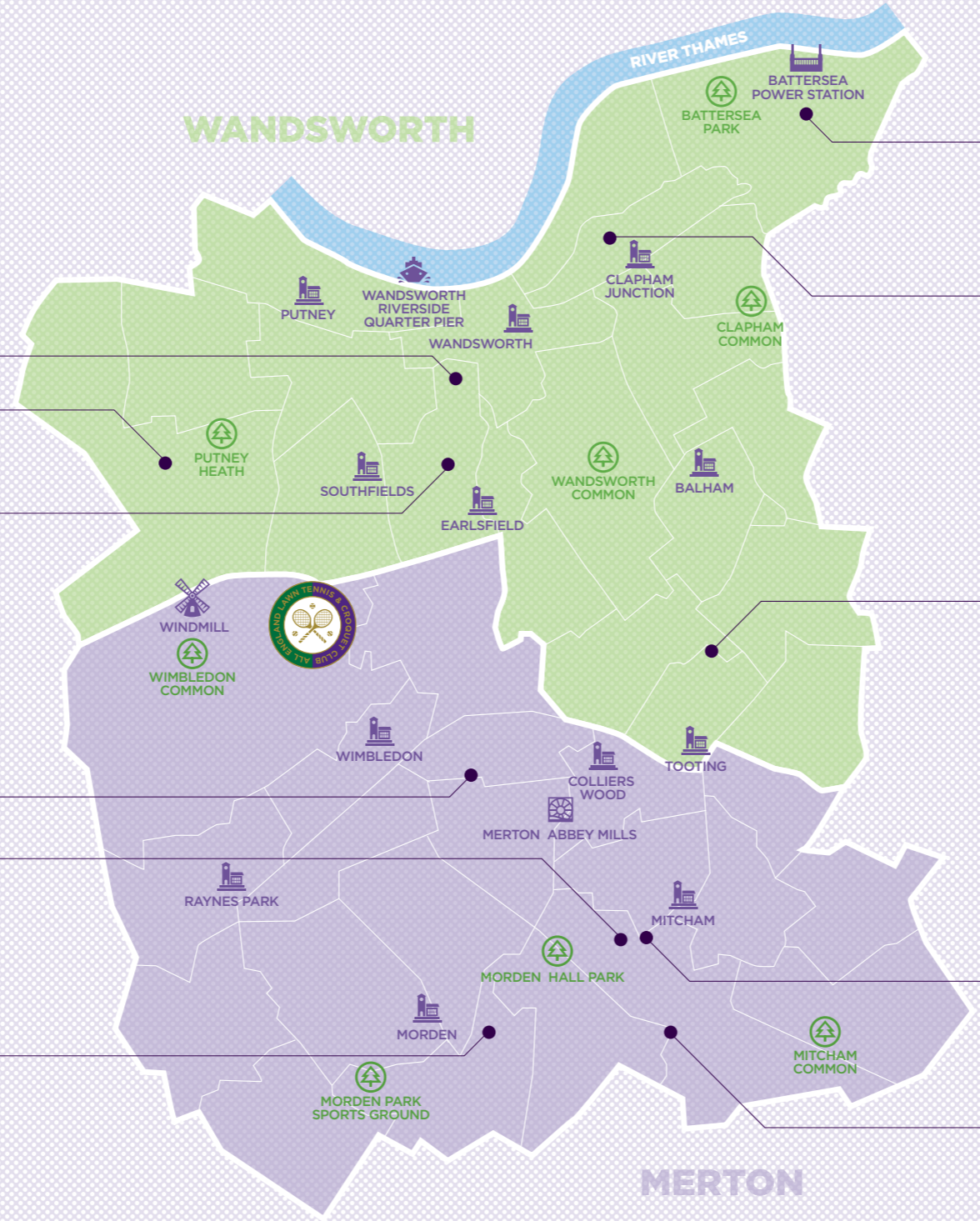
The Cara Trust
Project: Roll out a successfully piloted health and social welfare programme to older people living with HIV in Wandsworth borough.
 Awarded £2,500

World Heart Beat Music Academy
Project: Double the intake and introduce new instruments to the Celtic Fiddle School set up last year to provide free instruments, full bursaries and low cost tuition to young people aged five and up.
 Awarded £3,000

YMCA London South West
Project: Run a winter night shelter providing a safe place to sleep, a hot meal and breakfast for nearly 30 rough sleepers in Merton.
 Awarded £5,000

Merton Centre for Independent Living
Project: Provide a structured volunteer training and activity programme for disabled people to build confidence and develop employability skills.
 Awarded £5,000

Friends In St Helier (FISH)
Project: Provide much-needed social events and activities for disadvantaged elderly people and those with disabilities living on the St Helier Estate and Ravensbury ward.
 Awarded £4,994



Mercy Foundation Centre
Project: Fund an IT training programme to help disadvantaged people find employment or education.
 Awarded £5,000

FAST Project – London
Project: Establish a youth council for young people in and around the Patmore Estate with the aim of helping them to positively contribute to the transformation of their own lives, families and community.
 Awarded £2,606

Klevis Kola Foundation
Project: Provide a coffee morning for women from refugee and asylum seeking families helping them to improve their English, learn new skills and access advice on issues including welfare, housing and debt management.
 Awarded £4,400

Mitcham Town Community Trust
Project: Enrich The Trust's Shine on Saturday programme which provides extra tuition for up to 60 disadvantaged and underachieving 9-10 year old pupils in Mitcham Town.
 Awarded £3,000

The Vine Project
Project: Support 10 trainees and five volunteers for six months with training in basic woodwork, electrical appliance testing and repair, customer care, CV writing and interview techniques.
 Awarded £5,000