

Sent to BID Businesses on 26th March 2020

Eligibility for Relief Grants - Wandsworth Council Online Portal

We wanted to urgently send you the online portal link which Wandsworth Council have uploaded onto their site (this afternoon) with information on online COVID-19 grant forms. We know that some businesses are very concerned that they might not be in a position to visit their properties (to collect the Council's letter which has been posted to their address). Please see below:

Eligibility

The Council has identified all of the businesses that would have been eligible for any of these reliefs on 11 March 2020 and have written to them at their business rates correspondence address inviting them to provide specific information in order to apply for the relevant grant.

We have chosen to write to all businesses as it was considered the most effective and therefore quickest way to reach all those that qualify for the grants, as we do not hold email addresses for all businesses. Therefore, we encourage you to respond to the email address shown on the letter, with all the information we have requested, as soon as possible.

If you have responded to the letter there is no need to complete the online form. If you have completed the online form, there is no need to respond to the letter.

The portal has gone live - https://www.wandsworth.gov.uk/business-and-licensing/business-rates/business-rates-budget-statement/

You can also visit <u>www.visitclaphamjunction.com</u> where we have live online information BLOG pages for Businesses and Employers and on Business Services that are available across The Junction BID.

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If you are a Clapham Junction BID business and you have missed any of these communications, or for more information – please contact Roz Lloyd-Williams, The Executive BID Director, The Junction BID Tel: 07522 812299 email: roz.lloyd-williams@thejunctionbid.co.uk