

**Matrix for evaluation of Community Chest applications**

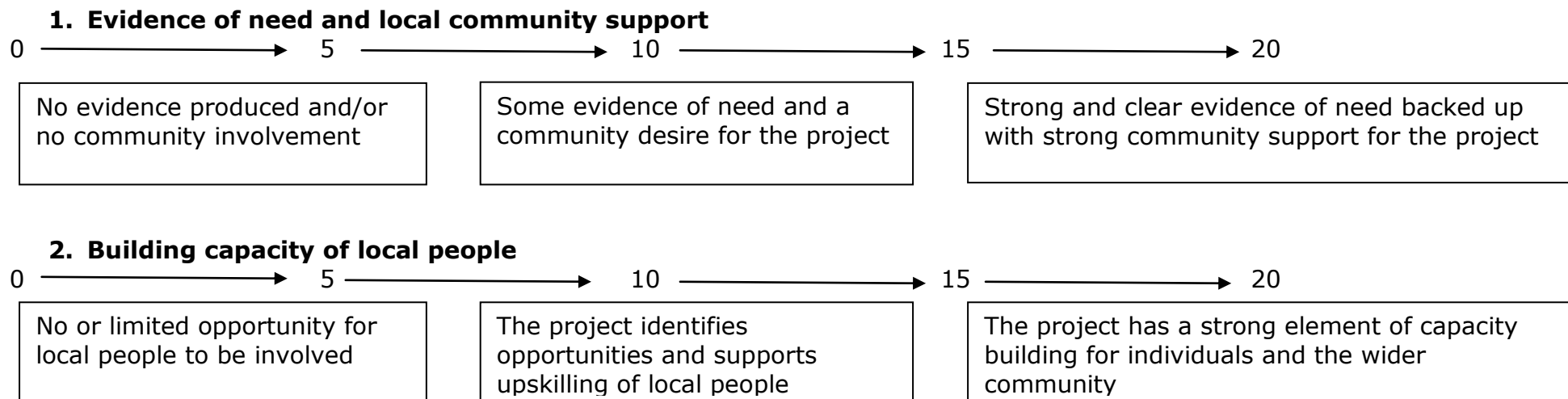
The following eligibility and selection criteria have been developed in order to support the assessment of the Community Chest applications. The selection criteria provide a score so that applications can be assessed in a fair and transparent manner and are a guide for decision-makers.

**Eligibility Criteria;** Grants are awarded on the understanding that funding;

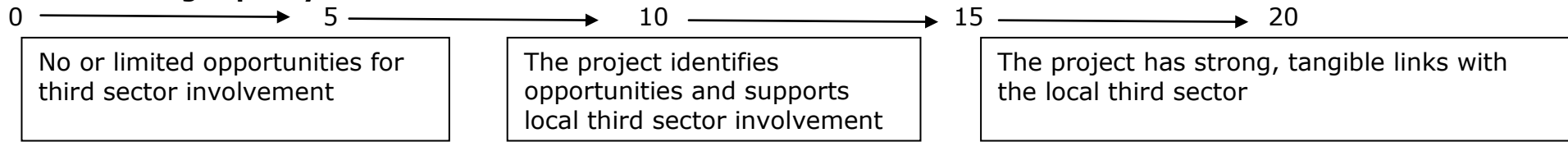
**APPENDIX 2**

- is for work or activities which are going to happen in the future (no retrospective applications);
- is not primarily for research or analysis;
- is for work that will predominantly benefit people who live or work in Forest Heath District Council or St Edmundsbury Borough Council;
- is not for the sole purpose of promoting a religious or non-religious belief or philosophy or party political view;
- will not be used for any fraudulent or illegal activity or any practices which would bring West Suffolk councils into disrepute;
- will not be used for work or activities that are usually the statutory responsibility of a public body (for example, highway maintenance and mainstream education provision);
- will, where possible, be match-funded by funding from other organisations. Funding will not be awarded from more than one West Suffolk grant programme for the same work;
- should not usually be used to pay the running costs of an organisation, except on a seed-funding basis, that is, where an initial injection of funding is needed in order to build capacity so as to attract further support; and
- will usually be for a period of two years, but with the option of one or three-year grant awards where appropriate

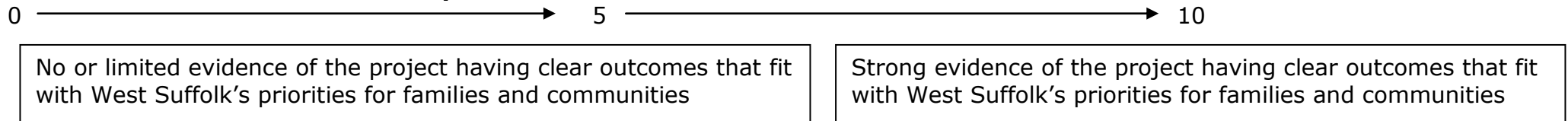
**Selection criteria**



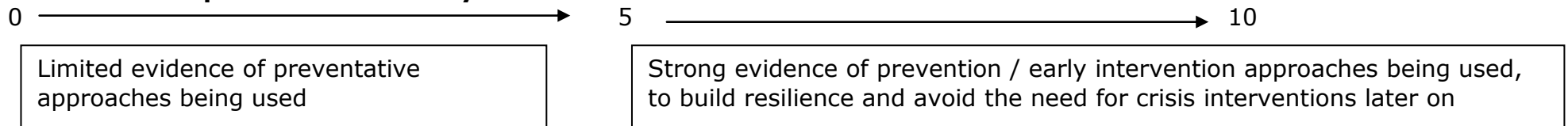
### 3. Building capacity of the third sector



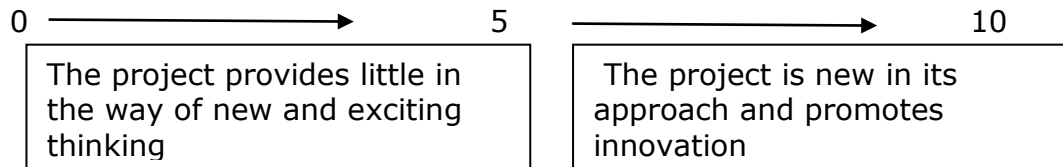
### 4. Contribute to West Suffolk's priorities



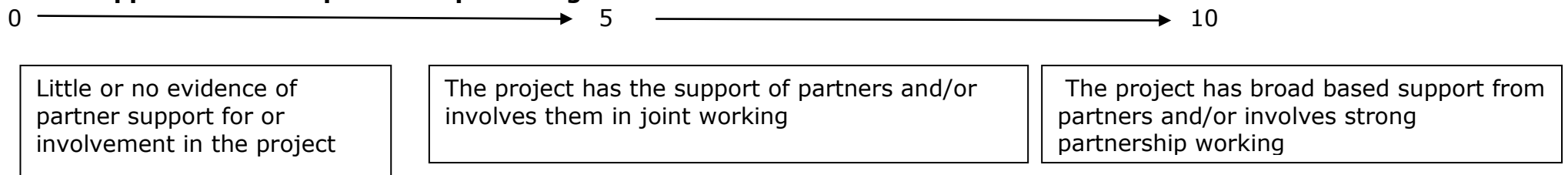
### 5. Promote prevention and early intervention



### 6. Promote Innovation



### 7. Support continued partnership working



### 8. Ability to deliver

