

Cefnogi Busnesau yng Ngwynedd Supporting Businesses in Gwynedd



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FUNDING: £120m of emergency support for businesses

Further details regarding the £120m funding package, for nightclubs, events, retail, hospitality, leisure, tourism businesses and their supply chains impacted by the move to Alert Level two, announced yesterday by the Welsh Government, have now been published. The funding will take the form of three elements.

- Non Domestic Rates (NDR) linked grants of up to £6,000
To receive their payments, businesses will need to re-register their details online via Gwynedd Council's website, the registration system opening the week commencing 10 January 2022.
- Sole Trader Discretionary Fund
Grants of £500 – £2000 to support sole traders, freelancers and businesses who don't pay rates will be delivered by Gwynedd Council. More information about how to apply for this grant will be available in the New Year.

- Reopening of the Welsh Government's Economic Resilience Fund (ERF)
Grants of up to £25,000 will be made available for severely impacted hospitality and leisure business – and their supply chains. As with previous ERF rounds, this will support businesses who have seen a reduction in their turnover of more than 60%. An eligibility checker will be available on the Business Wales website early in the New Year with applications during the week commencing 17 January 2022.

As a result of the new emergency support packages, the Welsh Government is withdrawing its £35m Business Support Fund, announced in November 2021, in order to process emergency payments as soon as possible. To read the statement in full, go to:

<https://gov.wales/written-statement-120m-emergency-support-businesses>

Once we receive further details from the Welsh Government early in the New Year, we will inform you via the Gwynedd Council business support bulletins. Information will also be available on:

<https://www.gwynedd.llyw.cymru/businesscovid19>
<https://twitter.com/BusnesGwynedd>

COVID-19: Updated guidance

- Alert Level 2:
<https://gov.wales/alert-level-2-summary>
- Covid-19 contacts – guidance for health and care staff:
<https://gov.wales/covid-19-contacts-guidance-health-and-social-care-staff>
- Self-isolation:
<https://gov.wales/self-isolation>

- Contact tracing – what to do if you test positive:
<https://gov.wales/contact-tracing-if-you-have-tested-positive>
- Contact tracing – what to do if you are identified as a close contact:
<https://gov.wales/contact-tracing-if-you-are-identified-close-contact>

Wishing you the best for 2022

Gwynedd Council's regular business support bulletins will return in the New Year. To keep up to date in the meantime keep an eye on:

<https://twitter.com/BusnesGwynedd>
<https://twitter.com/CyngorGwynedd>
<https://twitter.com/businesswales>
<https://twitter.com/WelshGovernment>

Everyone at Gwynedd Council's business support team wishes you and your business the very best over the Christmas period and into 2022.

More useful information is available from:

Gwynedd Council – Business Support

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<https://twitter.com/BusnesGwynedd>

Gwynedd Business Network

<https://www.gwyneddbusnes.net/>
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