

Appendix A – NEDCF Round 3 Approvals to Date

Name & Location of applicant	NEDCF Approved	Summary
1) ABM Precast Solutions, Tuxford, Nottinghamshire	£48,366	<p>ABM produces innovative precast reinforced and pre-stressed concrete products for the UK market. This is a second award to the company and will build on the growth from our first grant. This award will enable further investment in capital equipment to allow them to compete for more complex projects. Our first investment created 4.5 FTE jobs and enabled the company to win larger jobs such as Olympic Park, Bermondsey and the M8.</p> <p>Job outputs: 4 jobs created 4 safeguarded</p>
2) County Battery Services, Kirkby in Ashfield, Nottinghamshire	£20,000	<p>County Battery Services supplies a wide range of batteries to both retail and commercial customers through web, retail and trade sales and is also heavily involved in the recycling of batteries. This award is to support the company to develop a new market in the manufacture and testing of lithium ion battery packs.</p> <p>Job outputs: 4 jobs created</p>
3) Deanestor, Mansfield, Nottinghamshire	£170,000	<p>Deanestor designs, manufactures and installs quality furniture in the UK. It specialises in furniture manufacture for markets which have specific requirements in design, strength, durability and aesthetics principally the health, education and leisure sectors. This award is to extend the current factory premises to increase overall production by 40% and invest in new capital equipment.</p> <p>Job outputs: 20 jobs created, 15 safeguarded, new production space: 6,000 sq ft.</p>
4) Inspired Scaffolding Services, Bilsthorpe, Nottinghamshire	£53,000	<p>ISS supplies and installs scaffolding and associated equipment for all sizes of building projects to trade and domestic customers. This award is to purchase the site they currently lease and to erect a garage/service bay to enable on-site vehicle maintenance and create an office training facility.</p> <p>Job outputs: 32 jobs created</p>
5) J-Flex Rubber Products, Retford, Nottinghamshire	£26,500	<p>J-Flex is a well-established UK and international supplier of rubber sheet products including silicone sheets, rubber mouldings, gaskets, extrusions, bellows, fabrications, rubber sealants and adhesives. This award is to invest in capital equipment, a large cutting machine, which will increase production capacity to meet the demand generated by new and existing relationships.</p> <p>Job outputs: 2 jobs created, 2 safeguarded</p>

6) Jelly Products, Boughton, Nottinghamshire	£89,610	<p>Jelly Products is the manufacturer of the innovative loopwheel, a shock-absorbing wheel with integral suspension for a smoother ride. The company successfully applied to the first round of the NEDCF and used that funding to develop their product portfolio. This award will increase the company's manufacturing capability for the loopwheel product and future variations. They are seeking to invest in new manufacturing jigs, assembly stations and a full manufacturing capacity 3D printer.</p> <p>Job outputs: 5 jobs created 3 safeguarded</p>
7) Kessler UK Ltd, Sutton in Ashfield, Nottinghamshire	£249,440	<p>Kessler produces high quality kitchen cabinets utilising a patented joint system which creates an accurate and rigid cabinet. The business sells to kitchen and bedroom studios, which sell them on to the public. This award is for investment in capital equipment to increase production capacity.</p> <p>Job outputs: 25 jobs created</p>
8) Leisure Vehicle Acquisitions	£30,000	<p>Leisure Vehicle Acquisitions is part of Major Oak Ventures which operates a number of on-line auction sites for the motorhome and caravan sectors. This award is to support the development of "Autofox Auctions" a bespoke website which facilitates on-line trade auctions of cars and vans. This will be a new service for the sector and this award will enable the company to be the first to market.</p> <p>Job outputs: 10 jobs created</p>
9) Redheads Digital	£20,000	<p>Redheads Digital Ltd provides digital printing, exhibition printing, portable display materials, wide format posters, vinyl banners and signage. It has recently graduated from the Turbine Centre into larger premises to accommodate the growing business. This award is for the purchase of equipment to meet the demands of its growing market e.g. producing signage for the health sector which can withstand sanitising liquids.</p> <p>Job output: 1 job created 1 safeguarded</p>