Report to	Pewsey Area Board
Date of Meeting	09/01/2017
Title of Report	Community Area Grant funding

Purpose of the report:

To consider the applications for funding listed below

Applicant	Amount requested
Applicant: The Bouverie Hall Management Committee Project Title: Resite Oil Tank to Cover New Regulations View full application	£1000.00
Applicant: Great Bedwyn Cricket Club Project Title: GBCC Pavilion Roof Repair View full application	£5000.00
Applicant: Great Bedwyn Great Bedwyn Memorial Hall Management Committee Project Title: New sound system for Great Bedwyn village hall View full application	£973.00
Applicant: St Katharine's Church Project Title: St Katharines Church Bells Restoration Appeal View full application	£1500.00

1. Background

Area Boards have authority to approve Area Grants under powers delegated to them. Under the Scheme of Delegation Area Boards must adhere to the <u>Area Board Grants Guidance</u>

The funding criteria and application forms are available on the council's website.

2. Main Considerations

- 2.1. Councillors will need to be satisfied that funding awarded in the 2015/2016 year is made to projects that can realistically proceed within a year of it being awarded.
- 2.2. Councillors must ensure that the distribution of funding is in accordance with the Scheme of Delegation to Area Boards.
- 2.3. Councillors will need to be satisfied that the applications meet the Community Area Board grants criteria.

3. Environmental & Community Implications

Grant Funding will contribute to the continuance and/or improvement of cultural, social and community activity and wellbeing in the community area, the extent of which will be dependent upon the individual project.

4. Financial Implications

Financial provision had been made to cover this expenditure.

5. Legal Implications

There are no specific legal implications related to this report.

6. Human Resources Implications

There are no specific human resources implications related to this report.

7. Equality and Inclusion Implications

Community Area Boards must fully consider the equality impacts of their decisions in order to meet the Council's Public Sector Equality Duty.

Community Area Grants will give local community and voluntary groups, Town and Parish Council's equal opportunity to receive funding towards community based projects and schemes, where they meet the funding criteria.

8. Safeguarding Implications

The Area Board has ensured that the necessary policies and procedures are in place to safeguard children, young people and vulnerable adults.

9. Applications for consideration

Application II	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<u>2151</u>	The Bouverie Hall Management Committee	Resite Oil Tank to Cover New Regulations	£1000.00

Project Description:

The present oil tank is too close to the Bouverie Hall and needs to be resited per current regulations. A new concrete base and safety measures are required.

Input from Community Engagement Manager:

This application meets grant criteria 2016/17.

Proposal

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<u>2183</u>	Great Bedwyn Cricket Club	GBCC Pavilion Roof Repair	£5000.00

Project Description:

Old flat felt roof of the pavilion is leaking badly is several places. Partial repairs by members as in recent years now inadequate. Pavilion is also used for village hall overflow eg for youth group whist club and neighbourhood development plan meetings.

Old felt and plywood panels need stripping off and replacing. Three estimates obtained but number of panels needed not fully known until all felt stripped. All estimates including contingency for panels about 10000. Club has saved funds for half this sum. Work will be done immediately any grant made to reduce further leakage damage and to enable non-cricket use through winter.

Input from Community Engagement Manager:

This application meets grant criteria 2016/17.

Proposal

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
1217h	1	New sound system for Great Bedwyn village hall	£973.00

Project Description:

A complete audio solution has been proposed that will bring the hall facilities up to date for hire including microphones speakers Loop system for assisting hearing impaired visitors an amplifier and leads.

Input from Community Engagement Manager:

This application meets grant criteria 2016/17.

Proposal

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
2227	St Katharine's Church	St Katharines Church Bells Restoration Appeal	£1500.00

Project Description:

The bells were installed in the 1860s are now in need of a major overhaul if the community is to continue to hear bells pealing across the fields forest as they have for the last 150 years. The repair work involves removing replacing canons clappers tuning turning rehanging the bells replacement headstocks.

Input from Community Engagement Manager:

This application meets grant criteria 2016/17.

Proposal

That the Area Board determines the application.

No unpublished documents have been relied upon in the preparation of this report

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