

Report to	South West Wiltshire Area Board – 7 December 2011
Title of Report	Funding for Young People in the Community Area

Purpose of Report

To outline brief proposals for use of the outstanding funding (£11,144) allocated to the area board to spend on projects for young people.

1. Proposals:

The Area Board currently has a budget outstanding of £11,144 which it is able to spend on projects for young people across the 3 community areas.

It is suggested that this be passed to the Youth Development Coordinator to spend on transport related projects for young people across the 3 community areas.

This will enable the YDC to target the funding in an efficient way towards the young people so that the money is spent in this financial year.

Types of projects might include:

- Utilising existing locality transport resources, working in partnership with local community transport schemes and other local providers to improve access to the Development Centres for Young People in Wilton, Tisbury & Mere for young people in outlying villages in South West Wiltshire
- If feasible, the development of a small scale moped loan scheme using existing Mopeds from historical Moped Access Project
- Support young people with the cost of driving lessons or CBT's in return for voluntary work on youth projects within the South West Wiltshire Area
- Purchase a second hand minibus and fit with a storage crate and tow bar to be utilised for sessions that involve conservation work, motorcycle projects and other such outdoor activities to prolong the existing clean and smart appearance of the centres' minibus
- fund 1 or 2 members of staff to undertake training to gain their D1 qualification enabling them to be able to drive the local minibuses

2. Recommendations:

That the Board agrees to transfer the youth funding available to the Board of £11,144 to the Youth Development Coordinator for South West Wiltshire to spend on transport related projects across the 3 community areas. The YDC is requested to report back to the Area Board on how this money has been allocated.

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