

<b>Report to</b>	<b>South West Wiltshire Area Board</b>
<b>Date of Meeting</b>	<b>29 February 2012</b>
<b>Title of Report</b>	<b>Diamond Jubilee / Olympic Torch Celebration applications in South West Wiltshire</b>

## Purpose of Report

1. For Councillors to consider funding applications of up to £1000 (£2000 for Mere, Tisbury and Wilton), either from or with the support of Parish Councils, for the purpose of holding celebrations for the Diamond Jubilee and/or the Olympic Torch route in 2012.

Parish Council	Brief description of Celebration	Amount
Donhead St Andrew Parish Council	Barn dance and BBQ, including beacon bonfire.	£904
Tisbury Parish Council	Activities, information and entertainment culminating in beacon bonfire, including an evening show and hog roast.	£1,990
Berwick St John Parish Council	Three day event on Jubilee weekend, including community lunch, beacon & BBQ, and street party.	£1,000
Kilmington Parish Council	Activities for children, BBQ and local band.	£1,000
Wilton Parish Council	Four day event on Jubilee weekend including concerts and street party. Community carnival and celebrations for Olympic Torch.	£2,000
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>£6,894</b>

- 1.1 An outline of the Diamond Jubilee / Olympic Torch celebration proposal, including the criteria for consideration and the application form, is included within the documents for this Area Board meeting. Councillors will be voting allocating funds towards this proposal during the meeting.
- 1.2 The Board has received 5 requests for this funding, either from or supported by the Parish Councils listed in the table above.
- 1.3 Parish Councils will manage any funds awarded and ensure that they are spent as outlined within applications. Any unspent funds will be returned by the Parish Council within 3 months of the event being held.

**Recommendation: To approve the funding as set out in the table above with the condition that each Parish Council that receives funding for celebrations must provide South West Wiltshire Area Board with confirmation that the event has taken place, a simple account summary detailing how funds were used and photographic / video proof within 3 months of the event being held.**

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