

**Area Board Grant Detail**  
**Fovant Village Hall Management Committee**

**Started on:** 24/04/2015 19:08:48

**ID:** 1310

**Current Status:** Application Received

**To be considered at this meeting:**  
03/06/2015 South West Wiltshire

**Current Case Notes**

22/05/2015 11:27:12 Have confirmed that there is a Wiltshire grant available for owners of properties that were flooded during the period 1 April 2013 and 31 March 2014. The original end date for applying was the 31st March 2015 but this was extended to the 31st May due to the high demand. Unfortunately one of the criteria for eligibility is that the flood resilience works should be fully implemented and funds claimed by no later than the 31 May 2015, therefore with little time left the grant is not an option. Have asked applicant if they were aware that such funding was available. Community First have recommended that applicant contact Environment Agency and CCAONB before proceeding with AB grant application, have passed this onto applicant and asked to be kept updated.

20/05/2015 11:32:39 Contacted applicant to ask whether Parish Council will be making a contribution.

19/05/2015 15:35:34 Update on repair and renew grant: 'Up to £5,000 is available for householders and businesses to install property protection measures that will reduce or minimise the risk of future flooding. Where two or more properties in the same area have been flooded, it is possible to pool funding (based on up to £5,000 per property) to establish a community-level flood protection scheme. Applications can be made at any time up to 27 February 2015. To simplify the process, it is only necessary for applicants to provide one quote and the Council will take a flexible approach to assessing value for money. We can provide specialist advice and support in choosing products and suppliers and help with completing your application form.' Have contacted Community First to ask whether any alternative funding for such a scheme is available.

18/05/2015 15:25:00 Contacted applicant to ask if they have explored the possibility of central government funding for such works

05/05/2015 09:56:36 Application received.

**1. Which type of grant are you applying for?**

Community Area Grant

**2. Amount of funding required?**

£1001 - £5000

**3. Are you applying on behalf of a Parish Council?**

No

**4. If yes, please state why this project cannot be funded from the Parish Precept**

**5. Project title?**

Fovant Village Hall remedial flood preventiopn work.

**6. Project summary:**

Various remedial works required after a full survey of the hall and grounds to attempt to prevent future flooding of the hall as happened in December 2014 forcing its closure while extensive flood damage repairs were carried out.

**7. Which Area Board are you applying to?**

South West Wiltshire

**Electoral Division**

Fovant and Chalke Valley

**8. What is the Post Code of where the project is taking place?**

SP3 5LD

**9. Please tell us which theme(s) your project supports:**

Children & Young People

Arts, crafts and culture

Countryside, environment and nature

Festivals, pageants, fetes and fayres

Health, lifestyle and wellbeing

Inclusion, diversity and community spirit

Sport, play and recreation

If Other (please specify)

**10. Finance:**

**10a. Your Organisation's Finance:**

**Your latest accounts:**

03/2015

**Total Income:**

£1520.25

**Total Expenditure:**

£2209.86

**Surplus/Deficit for the year:**

£-689.61

**Free reserves currently held:**  
**(money not committed to other projects/operating costs)**  
 £10482.55

**Why can't you fund this project from your reserves:**

It would be possible for us to do this from our reserves but we are a small village and the income from rentals of the hall are not great and so we have to look to organisations such as yourselves for financial help in funding capital projects such as these when they occur.

We are a small community group and do not have annual accounts or it is our first year:

**10b. Project Finance:**

Total Project cost		£5150.00		
Total required from Area Board		£2575.00		
Expenditure (Itemised expenditure)	£	Income (Itemised income)	Tick if income confirmed	£
Remove path,relay 600mm from hall wall.	990.00	Our reserves	yes	2575.00
Raise all gutters, fit 2 new down pipes + gullies.	490.00			
Construct new soakaway to side of hall.	750.00			
Lower ground level on other side of hall by 150mm below DPC.	555.00			
Lay new 110mm round entire hall to fill trench with shingle, connect to new soak away.	1650.00			
Re point brick work as necassery. Remove air bricks, replace with solid bricks.	390.00			
Form drip rail to rendering around kitchen.	325.00			
<b>Total</b>	<b>£5150</b>			<b>£2575</b>

**11. Have you or do you intend to apply for a grant from another area board within this financial year?**

No

**12. If so, which Area Boards?**

**13. Please tell us WHO will benefit and HOW they will benefit from your project benefit your local community?**

The village as a whole will benefit and all the organisations who hire the hall for their various functions. It is hoped that by carrying out these remedial flood prevention works that we will reduce the risk of the hall flooding again as it did in 2014 and forcing closure of the hall for extensive flood damage repairs.

**14. How will you monitor this?**

We have a member of our Management Committee who used to manage civil engineering projects in his professional career.

**15. If your project will continue after the Wiltshire Council funding runs out, how will you continue to fund it?**

The project should be complete within two weeks of its commencement.

**16. If this application forms part of a larger project (eg. building of new village hall), please state what this project is and approximately how much the overall project will cost.**

This is not part of any larger project.