

Report to	Salisbury Area Board
Date of Meeting	08/11/2019
Title of Report	Community Area Grant funding

Purpose of the report:

To consider the applications for funding listed below

Applicant	Amount requested
Applicant: Foodcycle Salisbury hub Project Title: Refurbishment of Victoria Bowls Club View full application	£5000.00

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 [Area Board Grants Guidance](#)

[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 2018/2019 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 ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
3091	Foodcycle Salisbury hub	Refurbishment of Victoria Bowls Club	£5000.00
<p>Project Description: We have secured the lease on the former bowls club in Victoria Park for use as a community kitchen to enable people to come together to cook and to create meals from surplus to reduce food waste. We need to quickly get the kitchen and venue up and running in order to make it safe and comfortable as a minimum before being able to be used in this way.</p> <p>Input from Community Engagement Manager: The Pantry Partnership-Foodcycle hub Salisbury is a social enterprise working in and around Salisbury. It aims to transform food and help to transform lives in the process. It creates delicious and nutritious meals from next to nothing - using perfectly good (but very fresh) surplus food that would otherwise go to waste - and shares this across the community. It is largely run by volunteers who help to grow and prepare food; it collects surplus from local shops and farmers; and serves great quality, great value meals.</p> <p>The aim of the project is to also spread cooking skills through workshops and courses. "In a nutshell, we're all about doing good with food" quote from Pantry Partnership web page.</p> <p>This project is looking to expand its offer to more local charities and community groups specifically Headway, the food bank, and the Alzheimers society, as well as to be able to reach out to more people. Improvements to the kitchen at the former Victoria Bowls Club will allow the project to help others get involved in regular cooking activities to boost their skills and confidence, and employment opportunities in some cases, as well as to create meals for others in the community both for sale to support the project's activities and to offer meals to those living in isolation. Having a permanent kitchen will allow the project to prep more easily, batch cook, and also collect more surplus that would otherwise go into the bin.</p>			
<p>Proposal That the Area Board determines the application.</p>			

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

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