

Report to	Pewsey Area Board	
Date of Meeting	09/11/2020	
Title of Report	Community Area Grant funding	

Purpose of the report:

To consider the applications for funding listed below

Applicant	Amount requested
Applicant: The Jubilee Centre Project Title: Subsidy towards increased transport costs due to covid	£495.00
View full application	
Applicant: Milton Lilbourne Cricket Club Project Title: Milton Libourne Cricket team set up equipement View full application	£999.00
Applicant: Upavon Allotment Society/Parish Councillor Project Title: Upavon Allotment Society borehole and solar powered pump installation View full application	£2500.00

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 2020/2021 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

The Jubilee Subsidy towards increased transport costs due to covid	Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
	<u>3894</u>		1	£495.00

Project Description:

The Jubilee is a day centre for the elderly. We are reopening after a 7 month closure due to lockdown. Some of our members have been extremely isolated and crave the social interaction that we can provide. Their mental health and well being has been tested to the limits over recent months. By attending the centre they will be able to chat and share their experiences and feelings about their own situation. Transport to the centre is invaluable.

Input from Community Engagement Manager:

This request was considered by the health and wellbeing group and was unanimously supported. It is recommended for approval

Proposal

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
13893	Milton Lilbourne Cricket Club	Milton Libourne Cricket team set up equipement	£999.00

Project Description:

We have established a cricket team in the village of Milton Lilbourne and would like to be able to purchase equipement for the team to use. Everyone in the village is eligible to play and it has been a big success so far.

Input from Community Engagement Manager:

This application meets the criteria and can be considered for approval

Proposal

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
	Society/Parish	Upavon Allotment Society borehole and solar powered pump installation	£2500.00

Project Description:

This application is for provision of a borehole and solar powered pump infrastructure at the Townend Allotments Upavon which currently has no water access and is reliant on rainfall. This application would significantly improve the sustainability of use of this site and help guarantee its future. The Allotment Society consists of 18 members of both sexes plus their families one full plot is reserved for the use of under 18s. This proposal aims to provide financial relief for future maintenance from the Parish Council as the Society aims to become financially independent through its rental income.

Input from Community Engagement Manager:

This application meets the criteria and can be considered for approval

Proposal

That the Area Board determines the application.

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

Report Author:

Richard Rogers
Community Engagement Manager
Richard.Rogers@wiltshire.gov.uk