

Agenda Supplement

Meeting: Bradford-on-Avon Area Board

Place: St Laurence School, Ashley Road, Bradford on Avon, BA15 1DZ

Date: Wednesday 2 November 2022

Time: 7.00 pm

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	Items to be considered	Time
8	Community Grants and Funding Requests_(Pages 1 - 2)	7:00pm



Report To Bradford on Avon Area Board

Date of Meeting Wednesday, 02 November 2022

Title of Report Bradford on Avon Area Grant Report

Purpose of the Report

- To provide detail of the grant applications made to the Bradford on Avon Area Board. These could include; community area grants, health and wellbeing, young person's grants and Area Board initiatives.
- To document any recommendations provided through sub-groups.

Area Board Current Financial Position

	Community Area Grants	Young People	Health and Wellbeing
Opening Balance For 2022-23	£ 14,160.00	£ 11,528.00	£ 7,700.00
Awarded To Date	£ 12,649.49	£ 0.00	£ 0.00
Current Balance	£ 1,510.51	£ 11,528.00	£ 7,700.00
Balance if all grants are agreed based on recommendations	£ 996.91	£ 11,528.00	£ 7,700.00

Grant Funding Application Summary

Application Reference	Grant Type	Applicant	Project	Total Cost	Requested
<u>ABG855</u>	Community Area Grant	Saxon Group Riding for the Disabled Association	Saxon Group RDA Mounting Block and Ramp	£1027.20	£513.60

Project Summary:

We provide horse riding and other horse related activities to children and adults in the community aged from 4 to 70+) who are living with disabilities, ranging from learning difficulties, Autisim, and complex emotional needs. We have a mounting block, that whilst it is suitable for mounting our riders, it is extremely heavy and awkward to lift and carry. We have to remove the block after each session and get it out at the beginning of each session as it is not used by the Stables, and it is in their way. We have been working with Brunel Sheds (part of the national Men and Sheds scheme) who came and had a look at making some engineering and structural changes for us. This will enable us to safely move the Mounting Block without excessive effort for our volunteers, many of which are 60+. We also have many riders who have walking aids or wheelchairs and have to navigate a step to get into the riding arena. The purchase of a portable stable ramp would make this a much safer route for these riders.

1. Background

Area Boards have authority to approve funding under powers delegated to them. Under the Scheme of Delegation Area Boards must adhere to the Area Board Funding and Grants Criteria. This document is available on the council's website.

Three funding streams are available to the Area Board, each with an annually awarded amount. These funding streams are as follows:

• Community Area Grants (capital)

- Young People (revenue)
- Health and Wellbeing (revenue)

The Area Board will be advised of the funding available prior to their first meeting of each financial year.

2. Main Considerations

- 2.1. Councillors need to be satisfied that the applications meet the requirements as set out in the Area Board Funding and Grants Criteria and that the health and wellbeing and young person's funding guidelines have been adhered to.
- 2.2. Councillors must ensure that the distribution of funding is in accordance with the Scheme of Delegation to Area Boards.
- 2.3. Councillors need to consider any recommendations made by sub-groups of the Area Boards.

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

Councillors must ensure that the Area Board has sufficient funding available to cover the grants awarded.

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.

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

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