

Report To	Tidworth Area Board
Date of Meeting	Monday, 22 November 2021
Title of Report	Tidworth Area Grant Report

Purpose of the Report

- To provide detail of the grant applications made to the Tidworth Area Board. These could include; community area grants, health and wellbeing, young persons 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 <u>2021/22</u>	£ 32,705	£ 16,710	£ 7,700
Awarded To Date	£ 6,501.70	£ 5,000	£ 0
Current Balance	£ 26,203.30	£ 11,710	£ 7,700
Balance if all grants are agreed based on recommendations	£ 16,508.8	£ 9,210	£ 2,210

Grant Funding Application Summary

Application Reference	Grant Type	Applicant	Project	Total Cost	Requested
ABG284	Area Board Initiative	Tidworth Area Board	Path for All Funding	£5000.00	£5000.00

Project Summary:

The Paths for All project has been operating in the Tidworth Community Area under the banner of the Area Board for 3 years. Since the boundary review in May 2021, the project has expanded to include the Stonehenge area. There will be joint meetings and improvements will be worked on collaboratively where possible and practical. Stonehenge Area Board have already allocated funding towards improvements within their area so that payments can be made easily for styles, gates, leaflets and other expenditures without a separate grant application being required for each one. It is proposed that Tidworth Area Board do the same. Payment requests can be made to the CEM and agreed by the CEM and the Area Board Chair.

ABG285	Area Board Initiative	Tidworth Area Board	Queens Platinum Jubilee	£2000.00	£2000.00
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Project Summary:

The Area Board wishes to offer a financial contribution towards Parish and Town Councils who are planning to organise events as part of the Queens Platinum Jubilee celebrations. They will be invited to complete a simple form stating what they will be doing and how much funding they are looking for. A deadline will be set and councillors will then look at the requests and allocate the funding.

Application Reference	Grant Type	Applicant	Project	Total Cost	Requested
ABG236	Community Area Grant	PCC of Collingbourne Ducis and Everleigh	St Andrews Church Turret Clock Repairs	£5300.00	£1000.00
<p>Project Summary: Cleaning and repair of the Turret clock set in St. Andrew's Church tower. The clock was donated to the village in 1867 and has a working asset since then. Unfortunately, the clock has not been working since September 2019. Dave Pauley, who has maintained the clock on several previous occasions, visited in December 2019 but was unsuccessful in getting the clock to go. Many residents have commented how much they miss seeing the accurate time and hearing the clock chiming the hour. Symon Boyd of Timsbury Clocks who is recommended by Salisbury DAC visited on 2nd March 2021. He reported: This is a good cast Iron plate and bar movement set in a beautiful old dove cote. The movement is quite dirty and should not be running in its present condition as the excessive amount of oil all over the movement traps dirt and grit which wears the working faces of the movement. Mr Boyd recommends that the clock needs to be dismantled; taken to his workshop; thoroughly cleaned and repaired; reassembled in his workshop to check it is working, disassembled; returned to the church tower and reassembled. Hopefully, to work for the for the next 100 years.</p>					
ABG286	Community Area Grant	Ludgershall sports club	Ludgershall FC new ride on mower	£2500.00	£1250.00
<p>Project Summary: LSFC provides sport for children and adults promoting integration of the military and civilian population we need funding to purchase a ride on mower. We have both youth and adult teams with a great mix of civilian and military both playing supporting and helping to run the club and all are volunteers. We also run kids football clubs in the school holidays for local children and in the summer we had over 30 children for a week with all coaches giving their time freely. The football club is a big part of the community and has been for many years, in fact the Ludgershall sports club building has been in situ for over 100 years. We need a ride on mower to enable us to keep the playing surface safe and well managed for all of our users in order to provide a safe environment and promote health and well being for lots of people from the local community.</p>					
ABG295	Community Area Grant	Collingbourne Ducis Parish Council	Tidworth and Everleigh road junction Bus shelter	£6889.00	£3444.50
<p>Project Summary: A number of years ago the Collingbourne Ducis Parish council ran a survey of local residents to ask what people would like to see in the Village. 2 of the top 3 items have been achieved and now the Parish Council would like to complete another of the requests by completing a project to build a new Bus shelter. This will provide shelter for the community all year round and is planned to be constructed from timber to be in keeping with the surrounding area.</p>					
ABG268	Health and Wellbeing Grant	AWS Community Support Tidworth	Tidworth art and craft mindful sessions	£9980.00	£4990.00
<p>Project Summary: I (AWS CS) would like to work in partnership with a sewing and craft specialist to offer mindful craft sessions for identified groups above. We would offer clay work, mosaic, silk painting, wreath making, decoupage, macrame, basic sewing skills, up cycling/repairing, wool craft, woodcraft. This would be offered for 1 year with each craft being taught over 2 week/ 3 week cycle, twice a week to different community groups at a cost of £2.00 per session and repeated depending on demand. Often craft sessions are too expensive and too complicated for many so we would like to give people opportunities by teaching various basic craft skills and ignite imagination and creativity to help with boosting health and mental wellbeing.</p>					

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 persons 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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