

<b>Report to</b>	Westbury Area Board
<b>Date of Meeting</b>	02/06/2016
<b>Title of Report</b>	Community Area Grant funding

**Purpose of the report:**

To consider the applications for funding listed below

<b>Applicant</b>	<b>Amount requested</b>
<b>Applicant:</b> West Wilts Esprit Gymnastics Club <b>Project Title:</b> West Wilts Gymnastics and Fitness Showers  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£1000.00
<b>Applicant:</b> Westbury Rugby Football Club <b>Project Title:</b> Westbury RFC New Changing Rooms  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£5000.00
<b>Applicant:</b> Dilton Marsh Village Hall ( Trustee) <b>Project Title:</b> Dilton Marsh Memorial Hall Lighting and Sound System  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£2500.00
<b>Applicant:</b> None - a group of residents <b>Project Title:</b> The Big Lunch – Hawkeridge/Westbury  <a href="#">View full application</a>	£250.00

## 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 2015/2016 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
<a href="#">1884</a>	West Wilts Esprit Gymnastics Club	West Wilts Gymnastics and Fitness Showers	£1000.00
<p><b>Project Description:</b>            We have now completed 18 months in our fantastic facility and wish to expand our fitness provision to provide daytime use of the fitness suite and daytime fitness classes. We can then expand our membership to workers in the White Horse Business Park and other local business communities providing class's gym sessions and personal training at lunchtimes. To do this we need to upgrade our changing rooms by installing shower cubicles as we have no shower provision at present. This will enable workers to increase activity levels during the day and us to work with businesses to promote healthy lifestyles.</p> <p><b>Input from Community Engagement Manager:</b>            The application meets the community grants criteria.</p>			
<p><b>Proposal</b>            That the Area Board determines the application.</p>			

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">1941</a>	Westbury Rugby Football Club	Westbury RFC New Changing Rooms	£5000.00
<p><b>Project Description:</b> To replace the old mobile changing room units which have suffered damage in the heavy storms we have had over the winter. The current changing rooms also only have 3 showers for both teams to shower and change after a match and 2 official's showers. Unfortunately this has led to a few teams choosing to return home to shower and not stay for the post-match meal and speeches. It will be replaced with a purpose built container with 21 pegs 3 showers and a toilet per changing room and one officials changing room shower and toilet.</p> <p><b>Input from Community Engagement Manager:</b> The application meets the community grants criteria.</p> <p><b>Proposal</b> That the Area Board determines the application.</p>			

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">1916</a>	Dilton Marsh Village Hall ( Trustee)	Dilton Marsh Memorial Hall Lighting and Sound System	£2500.00
<p><b>Project Description:</b> To replace the current ad hoc lighting and sound system which is now outdated expensive to run and costly to maintain in accordance with the relevant legislation. Collectively for the benefit of all hall users.</p> <p><b>Input from Community Engagement Manager:</b> The application meets the community grants criteria.</p> <p><b>Proposal</b> That the Area Board determines the application.</p>			

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<a href="#">1952</a>	None - a group of residents	The Big Lunch – Hawkeridge/Westbury	£250.00
<p><b>Project Description:</b> Residents of Hawkeridge Park and members of the local Women's Institute met to organise a Big Lunch along the Ham to celebrate the Queens 90th Birthday. The Big Lunch is an annual community lunch promoted by The Eden Project and the National Lottery to bring neighbours together. We have borrowed a field from a local farmer and have invited everyone in the local area to a Bring Your Own Picnic on the 11th June. We have planned a fancy dress and games for the children also possibly some local music and a few arts and crafts.</p> <p><b>Input from Community Engagement Manager:</b></p>			

The application meets the community grants criteria.
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<b>Proposal</b>
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That the Area Board determines the application.
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No unpublished documents have been relied upon in the preparation of this report

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