

Report to	South West Wiltshire Area Board	
Date of Meeting	07/12/2016	
Title of Report	Community Area Grant funding	

Purpose of the report:

To consider the applications for funding listed below

Applicant	Amount requested
Applicant: Zeals Parish Council Project Title: New Rights of Way Circular Walks and Monarchs Way Notice Board View full application	£872.50
Applicant: Zeals Parish Council Project Title: Zeals Green Pastures Recreational Grounds New Secure Storage Container For Floodlights View full application	£916.67
Applicant: Kilmington & Stourton Cricket Club Project Title: Refurbishment of practice and match facilities at KSCC View full application	£5000.00
Applicant: Tisbus Project Title: New TISBUS website View full application	£960.00

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 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

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2084	Zeals Parish Council	New Rights of Way Circular Walks and Monarchs Way Notice Board	£872.50

Project Description:

The New Notice Board to be placed at the centre of the village will have details of local Rights of Way the CPRE funded Circular Walk and Monarchs Way detailed on a map of the Parish and surrounded by pictures of the local sights. The reverse side of the Board will have details of the Monarchs Way and other notices for healthy living in the Parish.

Input from Community Engagement Manager:

The Circular Walk initiative follows the Area Board's Public Rights of Way Improvement Programme, which has had engagement from 20 parishes in the area. This is a capital project and the applicant has committed to paying 50% of the project cost, meeting the community area grant criteria.

Proposal

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<u>2175</u>	Zeals Parish	Zeals Green Pastures Recreational Grounds New Secure Storage Container For Floodlights	£916.67

Project Description:

Provision of a secure container for a Tower Light to provide floodlighting from the opposite side of the ground complementary to a set procured in 2010 and enable us to light the full football ground for evening matches and training and also a number of other uses including Youth Club Scouts and villagers activities. Currently both sets of lights are stored on one side of the ground and requires towing a very heavy diesel generator and lights across the ground in all weathers. These towable lights are also available elsewhere in the village if required

Input from Community Engagement Manager:

The applicant reports that Zeals Youth Trust are actively involved in all activities on Zeals Green Pastures and will actively monitor the benefits of this improved arrangement.

This is a capital project and the applicant has committed to paying 50% of the project cost, meeting the community area grant criteria.

Proposal

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
	SIOHIOOD CHCKAL	Refurbishment of practice and match facilities at KSCC	£5000.00

Project Description:

The artificial match wicket and 2 lanes of nets at Kilmington Stourton cricket Club are 15 years old and require refurbishment. Surfaces are uneven on the match wicket and nets and their surrounds are worn. The existing net facilities do not meet modern safety standards so require updating. These facilities are used mainly be a 6 junior teams for matches and practice.

Input from Community Engagement Manager:

The applicant reports that the major beneficiaries of this project will be junior players below the age of 13 who play all their matches on the artificial surface. In 2016 the club had 4 teams in this age group approximately 50 boys and girls. Kilmington and Stourton with Gasper Parish Councils have been approached by the applicant for a contribution towards the project. The applicant will update the Area Board at the meeting on 7th December 2016 as to the decisions made by the two Parish Councils.

This is a capital project and the applicant has committed to paying 50% of the project cost, meeting the community area grant criteria.

Proposal

That the Area Board determines the application.

Application ID	Applicant	Project Proposal	Requested
<u>2189</u>	Tisbus	New TISBUS website	£960.00

Project Description:

TISBUS relies on its private hire arm to fund the regular community work it does taking elderly and isolated people on weekly shopping trips and other outings. Our website is dated and not particularly user friendly or professional in appearance. We want to improve its functionality and appearance to attract customers and increase business.

Input from Community Engagement Manager:

The applicant reports that as a result of the new website the local community will have better communication links with TISBUS enabling them to email membership check shopping and trip dates and request private hire.

This is a capital project and the applicant has committed to paying 50% of the project cost, meeting the community area grant criteria.

Proposal

That the Area Board determines the application.

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

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