

Report to	South West Wiltshire Area Board
Date of Meeting	21/11/2019
Title of Report	Community Area Grant funding

Authorisation of expenditure from delegated community grants budget:

On 30 May 2018 Area Board Councillors agreed that, in order to expedite the work of the Area Board and to deal with urgent matters that may arise between meetings, the Community Engagement Manager, in consultation with all Councillors of the Area Board (to gain a majority vote in support) may authorise expenditure to support community projects from the delegated community grants budget of up to £5,000 in total, youth projects of up to £1,000 in total, and health and wellbeing projects of up to £1,000 in total, between meetings of the Area Board (full paper available [here](#)).

An application from Quidhampton Parish Council was received on 19 September 2018. This grant was due to be considered at the Area Board meeting on 21 November 2018. However, the applicant advised that a decision was required before this time to retain matched funding secured from the Community Landfill Trust, which would otherwise expire and result in the project not proceeding.

Applicant	Amount requested
Applicant: Quidhampton Parish Council Project Title: New equipment and general improvements at Quidhampton recreation ground. View full application	£3677.00

The Community Engagement Manager consulted with Area Board Councillors who agreed a unanimous decision and on 8 October 2018 the applicant was advised:

Decision

The South West Wiltshire Area Board awarded £3,500 to Quidhampton Village Hall for new equipment and improvements at Quidhampton recreation ground.

Reason

The project met the Community Area Grant Criteria for 2018/19.

No unpublished documents have been relied upon in the preparation of this report

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