

Report to	Westbury Area Board
Date of Meeting	13/12/2018
Title of Report	Community Area Grant funding

Purpose of the report:

To consider the applications for funding listed below.

Applicant	Amount requested
Applicant: Penleigh & Oldfield Park Community Action Network Project Title: Penleigh Park wobbly footpath resurfacing View full application	£5000.00

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
3132	Penleigh & Oldfield Park Community Action Network	Penleigh Park wobbly footpath resurfacing	£5000.00
Project Description: This application is being made by POPCAN Penleigh and Oldfield Park Community Action Network for a contribution towards the cost of resurfacing the footpath that runs through Penleigh Park connecting Queens Road with Hackney Way. The footpath is not a public right of way and part of it sits on land owned by Persimmon Homes. It has become seriously eroded and now presents a trip hazard for walkers a serious impediment for those needing to access the path using wheelchairs and buggies. POPCAN identified this as a local priority during their summer consultation exercises.			
Input from Community Engagement Manager: (CEM put your input here)			
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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