

**WILTSHIRE COUNCIL**

**TROWBRIDGE AREA BOARD**

**14 MARCH 2013**

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## **ALLOCATION OF 2012/13 YOUTH FUNDING**

### **Purpose of the Report**

To agree the allocation of the remaining £3,778 funding allocated to the Trowbridge Area Board for supporting youth related projects.

### **2. Background**

2.1 Each Area Board is allocated funds to support young people's projects. £7,778 was been allocated to Trowbridge Area Board for 2012/13. £3,000 was allocated to the Youth Development Service for rail travel subsidy; £600 to the Youth Parliament towards a joint schools mosaic project; and 2 small grants of £200 each.

### **3. Main Considerations**

3.1 The Trowbridge Area Board Coordinating meeting of 30 January 2013 agreed that as there were so few small grant applications being received that the newly formed Youth Advisory Group (YAG) and the Youth Parliament would be asked to bid for the remaining funds.

3.2 The YAG and Youth Parliament were sent an application form with a deadline date of 22<sup>nd</sup> February for their applications.

3.3 The Youth Parliament submitted an application (appendix 1) to develop young leaders with funding of £1,000 requested which is less than 50% of the total project cost.

3.4 The YAG submitted an application (appendix 1) to make a professional promotional video about Trowbridge YAG and to run an overnight trip to the Houses of Parliament to learn about politics on a wider scale. £2,000 is requested or this is not a final figure until quotes are received

### **4. Financial Implications**

If the application is approved there is enough funding to fund the project.

### **5. Legal Implications**

N/A

## **6. HR Implications**

N/A

## **7. Equality and Diversity Implications**

The funding will enable young people to enhance their lives

## **8. Recommendations**

**8.1 It is recommended that the Area Board agrees to allocate £1,000 to the Youth Parliament towards developing their young leader's project.**

**8.2 It is recommended that the Area Board agrees to allocate up to £2,000 to the Youth Parliament to make a professional promotional video about Trowbridge YAG and to run a trip to the Houses of Parliament to learn about politics on a wider scale on condition that proper quotes are received.**

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### **Appendices**

Appendix A – Application Form: Youth Parliament  
Appendix B – Application Form: YAG

No unpublished documents have been relied upon in the preparation of this report