

Report to	South West Wiltshire Area Board
Title of Report	Community Area Grants – Area Board Meeting 9 December 2009

Purpose of Report

To request that Councillors consider six applications seeking 2009/10 Community Area Grant Funding.

1. Application SWW 12/09

Applicant	Project proposal	Funding requested
East Knoyle Village Hall Management Committee	Upgrade village hall	£3,000

- 1.1 The full application is attached
- 1.2 The application meets grant criteria 2009/10
- 1.3 The application demonstrates links to the Community Plan
- 1.4 The application meets Wiltshire Council priorities
- 1.5 Summary details about the applicant:
The applicant manages the village hall. Its upgrade was identified in the Parish Plan.
- 1.6 Summary details about the project:
The Management Committee wishes to upgrade the village hall: panelling, carpets, curtains, re-siting cupboards, broadband connection and electrical update.
- 1.7 What will happen if the Area Board makes a decision not to fund the project
They will have to find their own resources.

Recommendation:

Grant in full

2. Application SWW 14/09

Applicant	Project proposal	Funding requested
Fovant Parish Council	Playground Multi-Activity Centre & Safety Surfacing	£4,979

2.1 The full application is attached

2.2 The application meets grant criteria 2009/10

2.3 The application demonstrates links to the Community Plan

2.4 The application meets Wiltshire Council priorities

2.5 Summary details about the applicant:

Fovant Parish Council

2.6 Summary details about the project:

Provision of this multi-play facility, incorporating a new rope climb, wall climb and suspension pole over a safety surface, will accord with the Nadder Valley Community Area Plan. It is to be provided for all children (age 0-13) and their parents, living in and/or visiting the Fovant village community by providing raised level exercise play equipment within a secure and safe environment within the village boundary.

2.7 What will happen if the Area Board makes a decision not to fund the project?

Not known

Recommendation:

Grant in full

3. Application SWW 15/09

Applicant	Project proposal	Funding requested
Tollard Royal Parish Council	Community orchard	£239

- 3.1 The full application is attached
- 3.2 The application **does not** meet grant criteria 2009/10: the Parish Council is not match-funding by at least 50%
- 3.3 The application demonstrates a link to the Community Plan
- 3.4 The application **does not** meet Wiltshire Council priorities
- 3.5 Summary details about the applicant:
Tollard Royal Parish Council
- 3.6 Summary details about the project:
Plant a Community Orchard of mixed fruit using trees as indigenous to the area as possible
- 3.7 What will happen if the Area Board makes a decision not to fund the project?
They will fund it themselves

Recommendation:

Grant in full

4. Application SWW 16/09

Applicant	Project proposal	Funding requested
TAPCAP	Completion of research and survey on parking undertaken by Wiltshire Council and TAPCAP	£5,000

- 4.1 The full application is attached
- 4.2 The application meets grant criteria 2009/10
- 4.3 The application demonstrates links to the Community Plan
- 4.4 The application meets Wiltshire Council priorities
- 4.5 Summary details about the applicant:
Tisbury and Parishes Community Area Partnership
- 4.6 Summary details about the project:
Further work carrying on from Wiltshire Council parking survey of 2009, involving stakeholder meetings and further consultation
- 4.7 What will happen if the Area Board makes a decision not to fund the project?
Not known

Recommendation:

Grant in full

5. Application SWW 17/09

Applicant	Project proposal	Funding requested
Mere Parish Council	Christmas lights	£641

5.1 The full application is attached

5.2 The application meets grant criteria 2009/10

5.3 The application demonstrates a link to the Community Plan

5.4 The application meets Wiltshire Council priorities

5.5 Summary details about the applicant:

Mere Parish Council

5.6 Summary details about the project:

Provision and erection of Christmas lights in Mere, enhancing the offer that the village makes to the whole Community Area during the season. Parish council used to fund in whole, but they have been hit hard by the recession.

5.7 What will happen if the Area Board makes a decision not to fund the project?

They will go it alone at some expense

Recommendation:

Grant in full

6. Application SWW 18/09

Applicant	Project proposal	Funding requested
Wessex Community Action	Speaker fees, materials, outings for Sunshine Support Group	£1,310

6.1 The full application is attached

6.2 The application meets grant criteria 2009/10

6.3 The application demonstrates a link to the Community Plan

6.4 The application meets Wiltshire Council priorities

6.5 Summary details about the applicant:

Wessex Community Action is a charity offering support services to voluntary and community groups. Sunshine Support Group is a programme run by them in the Tisbury area.

6.6 Summary details about the project:

Speaker fees at events for mentally and physically disabled people in the Tisbury Community Area, provision of materials and costs of outings.

6.7 What will happen if the Area Board makes a decision not to fund the project?

Not known

Recommendation:

Grant in full

7. Financial Implications

7.1 If grants are awarded in line with recommendations, the Area Board will have a balance of:

- £14,027 (less CAP Core of £7,921) for the Mere Community Area
- £7,065 (less CAP Core of £4,796) for the Tisbury Community Area
- £30,640 (less CAP Core of £8,384) for the Wilton Community Area
- £51,732 (less CAP Core of £21,101) across all three Areas

Attachments:	Appendix 1 – Grant Application – East Knoyle Village Hall Appendix 2 – Grant Application – Fovant Parish Council Appendix 3 – Grant Application – Tollard Royal Parish Council Appendix 4 – Grant Application – TAPCAP Appendix 5 – Grant Application – Mere Parish Council Appendix 6 – Grant Application – Wessex Community Action
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