

Report to	Westbury Area Board	
Date of Meeting	08/10/2020	
Title of Report	Community Area Grant funding	

## Purpose of the report:

To consider the applications for funding listed below

Applicant	Amount requested	
Applicant: Leigh Park Community Centre		
Project Title: The Lounge Outside Inclusive Area		
View full application	£4097.41	

### 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 2020/2021 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
<u>3878</u>	l =	The Lounge Outside Inclusive Area	£4097.41

## Project Description:

To develop the outside area of the coffee shop to be inclusive for all to use by providing an outdoor safe meeting place all seasons cover secure fencing picnic benches including tables for disabled use.

#### Input from Community Engagement Manager:

This application fulfils the necessary criteria for a community area grant

#### 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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