The Board is asked to note the following project which received funding under CEM delegated Powers, due to urgency, in consultation with the Chairman and a unanimous vote in support by Board Members.

<u>Safer Salisbury – Application approved via delegated authority</u>

Anne Trevett

Project details:

Sarum Soroptimists and Safer and Supportive Salisbury are together mounting a day conference on Community Conference on Women's Safety in Salisbury that will a) look at existing services to promote people and women's sense of security when out and about in the City. b) Bring in examples of successful schemes from elsewhere that we might consider introducing c) provide breakout groups to discuss local ideas and priorities and d) start to develop an action plan for the City.

The project emerged directly from local discussions in the Managing the City group which brings together key players in Salisbury including, the City Council, Wiltshire Council, the Police, BID, Wiltshire Creative and others. The current national concern around women's safety was high on the agenda. Subsequent discussions between Safer Salisbury and Sarum Soroptimists members identified the need for consultation with key players and members of the public (including schools) to identify what action would most help to enhance the sense of security for women (and men) when out on the streets in both the day and night-time economies.

For details of this forthcoming event:

https://ocm.wiltshire.gov.uk/salisbury/womens-safety-conference-all-welcome-18th-november/

Cost of project £1800

Amount funded by Salisbury Area Board £640