

PCC Decision Form

Title of Request	Name of Proposer (e.g. Chief Executive, Chief Constable, Director of Finance)	Date of Request
Commissioner Community Grant Scheme 2020/21 Panel recommendations July 2020	Partnerships and Commissioning Manager	04/08/2020

Private / Exemption - Yes / No If Yes Reason Why (eg Schedule 12A Local Government Act 1972, Freedom of Information Act 2000)	Urgent (if Yes, Why and by When?)
No	

Decision Requested		
<p>The Police and Crime Commissioner (“The Commissioner”) is recommended to approve the recommendations made by the Community Grant Scheme Panel of the 24th July 2020.</p>		
Executive Summary of Request	Supporting Report attached?	No
<p>The Commissioner Community Grant Scheme for 2020/21 enables non-profit organisations to apply for funding of up to £5,000. Proposed activities must address one or more of the Commissioner strategic priorities as set out in the Police & Crime Plan. Funded organisations have to show compliance with Terms & Conditions including the submission of monitoring Information at agreed milestones.</p> <p>Officers have considered and assessed 9 applications for funding with a total value of £44,244 and recommend that 3 applications be approved at this time. There will be opportunities in the remainder for the financial year for other applications/reapplications to be considered.</p> <p>A meeting was held on the 27th July 2020 (via telephone due to the Covid-19 situation) with the PCC to discuss the applications and panel recommendations. A decision made to fund the grants set out below.</p> <p>Three bids were agreed to be funded with a total value of £14,613</p>		


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Organisation	Project	Recommended Funding
MASKK	Back Out There (Art Sessions)	£5000
Future Pathways CIC	Diversionsary Activities for Young People in Bentley	£4722
Manor and Castle Development Trust	Community Health and Wellbeing Project	£4891
Total		£14,643

Approval by proposer (SLG lead / OPCC SMG lead) and confirmation request is ready for PCC consideration

Including POCA income the overall Community Grants Scheme budget for 2020/21 is £256,000. There is sufficient within this to cover the recommended grants.

Submitted for approval by the Partnerships and Commissioning Manager.

Signed:		Date:	05/08/20
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Considerations	Evidence of information or advice gathered or discussion / consultation conducted	How has all this evidence impacted on overall proposal?
Public and / or Partners	Input from relevant SYP officers/relevant partners is sought	
Impact on Service	Improve the service provider's capability to achieve activity as set out in the application	
Financial	Forms part of the Partnerships and Commissioning budget	
Legal	Grant terms and conditions are approved by the PCC's Chief Executive and Solicitor	
HR	n/a	
T/Unions / Staff Assoc.	n/a	
Equality & Diversity (Public Sector Equality Duty)	Applications are accepted from all community groups	
Risks /	Opportunity to empower community	

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Opportunities	groups to affect change in the local community	
Sustainability	Grants are offered for a twelve month period following notice of award	
Other (specify)	n/a	

Views of PCC's Interim Chief Finance Officer

There is a process in place that assesses applications for compliance with the Police and Crime Plan priorities. Due diligence checks are conducted on applicant organisations to further mitigate risk. On this basis, and because in addition to grants previously approved, the recommended allocations are within the budget I support the recommendation.

Signature:		Date:	16 August 2020
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Views of PCC's Chief Executive & Solicitor

Supported for reasons outlined by the Chief Finance Officer.

Signature:	 Head of Governance	Date:	17 August 2020
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PCC's Decision and Rationale

Approved.

Signature:		Date:	17 August 2020
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OPCC GATEKEEPER (Information Officer)

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