

Report

Report to:	Hamilton Area Committee
Date of Meeting:	29 August 2007
Report by:	Executive Director (Corporate Resources)

Subject:	Community Grant Applications
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1. Purpose of Report

1.1. The purpose of the report is to:-

- ◆ request approval of the allocation of community grants to 21 community groups in the Hamilton area.

2. Recommendation(s)

2.1. The Committee is asked to approve the following recommendation(s):-

(1) that community grants be awarded as follows:-

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| (a) | Applicant: | St John's Friendly Hour, Hamilton (HA/69/07) |
| | Amount Requested: | £350 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Outing and entrance fees |
| | Amount Awarded: | £350 |
| (b) | Applicant: | OLSA Swimming Club, Hamilton (HA/77/07) |
| | Amount Requested: | £250 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Outing |
| | Amount Awarded: | £200 |
| (c) | Applicant: | Larkhall Joint Churches Summer Holiday Club (HA/77/07) |
| | Amount Requested: | £150 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Outing |
| | Amount Awarded: | £150 |
| (d) | Applicant: | Bothwell Grange Feurers Association (HA/81/07) |
| | Amount Requested: | £450 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Environmental Project |
| | Amount Awarded: | £250 |
| (e) | Applicant: | Woodhead Art Club, Hamilton (HA/82/07) |
| | Amount Requested: | £900 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Outing and equipment |
| | Amount Awarded: | £500 |

- (f) Applicant: Strathclyde Park Rowing Club, Hamilton
(HA/86/07)
Amount Requested: £600
Purpose of Grant: Equipment
Amount Awarded: £300
- (g) Applicant: Devonhill Drop-in Club, Hamilton (HA/87/07)
Amount Requested: £150
Purpose of Grant: Outing
Amount Awarded: £150
- (h) Applicant: Friends of Morgan Glen, Larkhall (HA/88/07)
Amount Requested: £1,000
Purpose of Grant: Equipment and publicity costs
Amount Awarded: £400
- (i) Applicant: Unison Retired Members Group, High Blantyre
(HA/89/07)
Amount Requested: £300
Purpose of Grant: Outing and entrance fees
Amount Awarded: £250
- (j) Applicant: Lyndale Club, Hamilton (HA/90/07)
Amount Requested: £300
Purpose of Grant: Outing
Amount Awarded: £200
- (k) Applicant: Afton Gardens Residents' Association, High
Blantyre (HA/92/07)
Amount Requested: £600
Purpose of Grant: Environmental Improvements
Amount Awarded: £500
- (l) Applicant: Argyle Mens Club, Burnbank (HA/93/07)
Amount Requested: £636
Purpose of Grant: Outing
Amount Awarded: £200
- (m) Applicant: Quarter Parish Church Guild (HA/9/07)
Amount Requested: £500
Purpose of Grant: Special event
Amount Awarded: £300
- (n) Applicant: Uddingston Bowling and Tennis Club (Senior
Section) (HA/96/07)
Amount Requested: £900
Purpose of Grant: Outing, entrance fees and equipment
Amount Awarded: £450
- (o) Applicant: Hamilton Bowling Club (Ladies Section)
(HA/97/07)
Amount Requested: £400
Purpose of Grant: Outing

	Amount Awarded:	£200
(p)	Applicant:	Dewar House Carers Group, Hamilton (HA/98/07)
	Amount Requested:	£960
	Purpose of Grant:	Special event
	Amount Awarded:	£960
(q)	Applicant:	Priory Bridge Association, Blantyre (HA/99/07)
	Amount Requested:	£1,000
	Purpose of Grant:	Outing, publicity costs and special event
	Amount Awarded:	£450
(r)	Applicant:	Udston Social Club Ladies Section (HA/100/07)
	Amount Requested:	£200
	Purpose of Grant:	Outing
	Amount Awarded:	£200
(s)	Applicant:	Stitch Club, Hamilton (HA/101/07)
	Amount Requested:	£300
	Purpose of Grant:	Outing
	Amount Awarded:	£200
(t)	Applicant:	Weavers Court Residents Association, Hamilton (HA/104/07)
	Amount Requested:	£200
	Purpose of Grant:	Outing
	Amount Awarded:	£200
(u)	Applicant:	Philips Electronics Pensioners Association (Scotland), Hamilton (HA/107/07)
	Amount Requested:	£400
	Purpose of Grant:	Outing
	Amount Awarded:	£200

3. Background

- 3.1. The Council operates a community grants scheme to support local constituted community groups and voluntary organisations. Applications are invited continually throughout the year.

All applications require to be supported by a constitution, audited accounts and a bank statement.

4. Employee Implications

- 4.1. None

5. Financial Implications

- 5.1. The current position of the community grant allocation for the Hamilton Area in 2007/2008 is as follows:-

Total allocation	£52,000
Grants allocated so far	£28,345
Community Grants recommended in this report	£6,610

Remaining balance

£17,045

6. Other Implications

6.1. None

7. Equality Impact Assessment and Consultation Arrangements

7.1. All the necessary consultation with the community groups has taken place.

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Executive Director (Corporate Resources)

9 August 2007

Link(s) to Council Objectives

♦ Supporting our communities

Previous References

None

List of Background Papers

♦ Individual application forms

Contact for Further Information

If you would like to inspect the background papers or want further information, please contact:-

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