

# Report

Report to: Clydesdale Area Committee

Date of Meeting: 4 December 2018

Report by: Executive Director (Finance and Corporate Resources)

Subject: Community Grant Applications

## 1. Purpose of Report

- 1.1. The purpose of the report is to:-
  - request approval for the allocation of community grants to 14 community groups in the Clydesdale area from the 2018/2019 community grant budget

#### 2. Recommendation(s)

- 2.1. The Committee is asked to approve the following recommendation(s):-
  - (1) that community grants be awarded as follows:-

(a) Applicant: Law Luncheon Club (CL/46/18)

Amount Requested: £250

Purpose of Grant: Outing and entrance fees

Amount Awarded: £250

(b) Applicant: Lanark Lanimer Committee (CL/48/18)

Amount Requested: £1,000
Purpose of Grant: Equipment
Amount Awarded: £750

(c) Applicant: Scottish Old People's Welfare Committee (Douglas

Branch) (CL/49/18)

Amount Requested: £250

Purpose of Grant: Outing and entrance fees

Amount Awarded: £250

(d) Applicant: Bank Farm Sheltered Housing Tenants'

Association, Forth (CL/51/18)

Amount Requested: £370

Purpose of Grant: Equipment

Amount Awarded: £370

(e) Applicant: 127<sup>th</sup> Lanarkshire (1<sup>st</sup> Blackwood) Scout Group

(CL/52/18)

Amount Requested: £350

Purpose of Grant: Equipment

Amount Awarded: £350

(f) Applicant: KFM Tenants Group, Carluke (CL/53/18)

Amount Requested: £350

Purpose of Grant: Specialist transport and entrance fees

Amount Awarded: £350

(g) Applicant: Carnwath 2000 (CL/54/18)

Amount Requested: £600

Purpose of Grant: Materials, administration and publicity costst

Amount Awarded: £400

(h) Applicant: Carluke Additional Support Team (CAST)

(CL/55/18)

Amount Requested: £215

Purpose of Grant: Specialist transport and entrance fees

Amount Awarded: £215

(i) Applicant: Coalburn Homing Club (CL/56/18)

Amount Requested: £500

Purpose of Grant: Equipment

Amount Awarded: £500

(j) Applicant: Scottish Retired Teachers' Association –

Clydesdale Group (CL/57/18)

Amount Requested: £292

Purpose of Grant: Entrance fees

Amount Awarded: £292

(k) Applicant: Clydesdale Horse Society, Lanark (CL/58/18)

Amount Requested: £690

Purpose of Grant: Administration and publicity costs

Amount Awarded: £500

(I) Applicant: Coulter WRI (CL/59/18)

Amount Requested: £250

Purpose of Grant: Outing and entrance fees

Amount Awarded: £250

(m) Applicant: Carmichael Playschool (CL/60/18)

Amount Requested: £258

Purpose of Grant: Entrance fees

Amount Awarded: £258

(n) Applicant: Boghead Community Group, Lesmangow

(CL/61/18)

Amount Requested: £250

Purpose of Grant: Outing and entrance fees

Amount Awarded: £250

### 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.

3.2. All applications require to be supported by a constitution, audited accounts or annual income and expenditure accounts, a bank statement, and confirmation that the group/organisation will adhere to the conditions of the grant award.

## 4. Employee Implications

4.1. None.

#### 5. Financial Implications

5.1. The current position of the community grant allocation for the Clydesdale Area in 2018/2019 is as follows:-

Total allocation for Community Grants	£25,750
Grants previously allocated	£13,235
Community Grants recommended in this report	£ 4,985
Remaining balance	£ 7,530

#### 6. Other Implications

- 6.1. The risk to the Council is that grant funding is not utilised for the purpose of which it was intended. This risk is mitigated by internal controls including audit procedures and conditions of grant agreement.
- 6.2. There are no apparent implications in terms of sustainable development.

## 7. Equality Impact Assessment and Consultation Arrangements

- 7.1. This report does not introduce a new policy, function or strategy or recommend a change to an existing policy, function or strategy and therefore no impact assessment is required.
- 7.2. All the necessary consultation with the community groups has taken place.

#### **Paul Manning**

**Executive Director (Finance and Corporate Resources)** 

20 November 2018

#### Link(s) to Council Values/Ambitions/Objectives

♦ Accountable, effective, efficient and transparent. Work with communities and partners to promote high quality, thriving and sustainable communities

#### **Previous References**

♦ Clydesdale Area Committee, 25 September 2018

# **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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