

Report

Report to:	Hamilton Area Committee
Date of Meeting:	20 December 2006
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 17 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: | Greenfield Social Club Darts and Dominos,
Hamilton (<i>HA/99/06</i>) |
| | Amount Requested: | £300 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Outing |
| | Amount Awarded: | £200 |
| (b) | Applicant: | Shockwave Youth Group, Hamilton (<i>HA/106/06</i>) |
| | Amount Requested: | £225 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Outing and equipment |
| | Amount Awarded: | £225 |
| (c) | Applicant: | St Vincent De Paul Society Our Lady and St
Anne's Conference, Hamilton (<i>HA/109/06</i>) |
| | Amount Requested: | £1,000 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Specialist transport |
| | Amount Awarded: | £400 |
| (d) | Applicant: | Stonehouse Women's Rural Institute (<i>HA/136/06</i>) |
| | Amount Requested: | £380 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Outings, entrance fees and equipment |
| | Amount Awarded: | £250 |
| (e) | Applicant: | Hamilton Disabled Sports Club (<i>HA/142/06</i>) |
| | Amount Requested: | £270 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Specialist transport and entrance fees |
| | Amount Awarded: | £270 |

- (f) Applicant: Greenhall Park Residents Association, High Blantyre (HA/144/06)
Amount Requested: £600
Purpose of Grant: Environmental project
Amount Awarded: £300
- (g) Applicant: Hamilton Netball Club (HA/145/06)
Amount Requested: £500
Purpose of Grant: Equipment and publicity costs
Amount Awarded: £250
- (h) Applicant: Phoenix Theatre Group, Hamilton (HA/146/06)
Amount Requested: £250
Purpose of Grant: Start-up costs
Amount Awarded: £250
- (i) Applicant: Eddlewood Amateurs Football Club (HA/147/06)
Amount Requested: £1,000
Purpose of Grant: Equipment
Amount Awarded: £1,000
- (j) Applicant: Eddlewood Bowling Club Ladies Section (HA/148/06)
Amount Requested: £400
Purpose of Grant: Equipment
Amount Awarded: £300
- (k) Applicant: Quarter Boolin Club (HA/150/06)
Amount Requested: £450
Purpose of Grant: Special event
Amount Awarded: £300
- (l) Applicant: Ferniegair Gala Committee (HA/153/06)
Amount Requested: £500
Purpose of Grant: Special event
Amount Awarded: £300
- (m) Applicant: Exodus, Hamilton (HA/154/06)
Amount Requested: £850
Purpose of Grant: Equipment
Amount Awarded: £300
- (n) Applicant: Lower Burns Wynd Residents Association, Stonehouse (HA/155/06)
Amount Requested: £250
Purpose of Grant: Equipment
Amount Awarded: £250
- (o) Applicant: 11th Hamilton Brownies (HA/156/06)
Amount Requested: £940
Purpose of Grant: Equipment, outing and entrance fees
Amount Awarded: £350

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| (p) | Applicant: | Bothwell and Uddingston Retired Teachers Association (<i>HA/160/06</i>) |
| | Amount Requested: | £200 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Transport costs |
| | Amount Awarded: | £200 |
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| (q) | Applicant: | S.B.A. District 26 Seniors League, Hamilton (<i>HA/161/06</i>) |
| | Amount Requested: | £750 |
| | Purpose of Grant: | Equipment, administration and transport costs |
| | Amount Awarded: | £300 |

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 2006/2007 is as follows:-

Total allocation	£52,000
Grants allocated so far	£44,489
Community Grants recommended in this report	£5,445
Remaining balance	£2,066

6. Other Implications

- 6.1. None

7. Consultation

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

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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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