

GRANTS SUB-COMMITTEE – 26 JUNE 2019

Grants Sub-CommitteeWednesday 26 June 2019 at 3pm

Present: Provost Brennan, Councillors Ahlfeld, Brooks, Crowther (for MacLeod), J McEleny and Murphy.

Chair: Councillor Brooks presided.

In attendance: Service Manager, Community Learning & Development, Community Safety & Resilience and Sport, Ms J Fallon (Community Learning & Development), Mr I Cameron (for Chief Financial Officer), Mr P MacDonald (for Head of Legal & Property Services) and Ms D Sweeney (Legal & Property Services).

The following paragraphs are submitted for information only, having been dealt with under the powers delegated to the Sub-Committee.

443 Apologies, Substitutions and Declarations of Interest**443**

An apology for absence was intimated on behalf of Councillor MacLeod with Councillor Crowther substituting.

No declarations of interest were intimated.

It was agreed in terms of Section 50(A)(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 as amended, that the public and press be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following item on the grounds that the business involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 4 of Part I of Schedule 7(A) of the Act.

444 Under 19s Sports Grants 2019/20**444**

There was submitted a report by the Head of Inclusive Education, Culture & Communities providing details of the applications received for consideration for funding from the Under 19s Sports Grants in 2019/20.

Councillor Murphy moved in relation to the Ardgowan Football Development application that the Officers' recommendation of £6,000 be awarded. As an amendment, Councillor Ahlfeld moved that £7,500 be awarded.

On a vote, two Members, Councillors Murphy and Brooks, voted for the motion and four Members, Provost Brennan, Councillors Ahlfeld, Crowther and J McEleny, voted for the amendment which was declared carried.

Councillor J McEleny moved in relation to the East End United Boys' Club application that £12,000 be awarded. As an amendment, Councillor Murphy moved that the Officer's recommendation of £9,500 be awarded.

On a vote, three members, Councillors Ahlfeld, Crowther and J McEleny, voted for the motion and three Members, Provost Brennan, Councillors Murphy and Brooks, voted for the amendment. There being equality in voting, the Chair exercised his casting vote in favour of the amendment which was declared carried.

Councillor J McEleny moved in relation to the Greenock United Football Club application that £6,000 be awarded. As an amendment, Councillor Murphy moved that £5,300 be

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awarded.

On a vote, three Members, Councillors Ahlfeld, Crowther and J McEleny, voted for the motion and three Members, Provost Brennan, Councillors Murphy and Brooks, voted for the amendment. There being equality in voting, the Chair exercised his casting vote in favour of the amendment which was declared carried.

Decided:

(1) that Under 19s Sports Grants be made as follows:

Group	Award
Ardgowan Football Development	£7,500
Ardgowan Tennis Club	£1,500
Broomhill Boys' Club	£7,000 subject to the condition detailed in the appendix to the report
Clydeside Athletic	£1,900
East End United Boys' Club	£9,500
Greenock Cricket Club	£1,200
Greenock Glenpark Harriers	£4,700
Greenock Morton Community Trust	£12,660
Greenock United Football Club	£5,300
Greenock Wanderers RFC	£6,750
Inverclyde Amateur Swimming Club	£15,000
Inverclyde Archers	£1,500
Inverclyde Athletic Club	£12,000
Inverclyde Cricket Club	£1,320
Lady Alice Bowling Club Junior Section	£1,000
Port Glasgow Boys' Club	£12,500
Port Glasgow Juniors' Community Sports Club	£12,500
St Andrew's Boys' Club	£12,500
St Stephen's Boys' Club	£8,000

and

(2) that it be noted that it is the intention of Officers to (a) submit a report to the next scheduled meeting of the Education & Communities Committee seeking approval for a review of the administrative processes applied to grant applications and (b) submit a further report to the January 2020 meeting of that Committee on the outcome of the review process, it being noted that it is the intention of Officers to implement any new procedures agreed by the Committee from April 2020.