GRANTS SUB-COMMITTEE - 21 FEBRUARY 2013

Grants Sub-Committee

Thursday 21 February 2013 at 3pm

Present: Councillors Clocherty, Dorrian, McEleny, McIlwee, Shepherd and Ahlfeld (for Wilson).

Chair: Councillor Clocherty presided.

In attendance: Lead Officer, Community Learning & Development and Mr N Duffy (for Head of Legal & Democratic Services).

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

103 Apologies, Substitutions and Declarations of Interest

An apology for absence was intimated on behalf of Councillor Wilson, with Councillor Ahlfeld substituting.

Councillors Clocherty, McEleny and Shepherd declared an interest in agenda item 2 (Round 3 Applications 2012/13).

104 Round 3 Application 2012/13

There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Education, Communities & Organisational Development giving details of applications received for consideration for funding from the grants to voluntary organisations budget 2012/13.

Councillor Clocherty declared a non-financial interest in the application relating to the Inverclyde Navy Club, as a member of this Club. During consideration of this application, which was heard as the last item of business, he vacated the Chair, though formed the view that the nature of his interest and of the item of business did not preclude his continued presence in the Chamber. Councillor McIlwee assumed the Chair for consideration of this application.

Councillor McEleny declared a non-financial interest in the application relating to Overton Tenants and Residents' Association as a relative of a member of this Association. He formed the view that the nature of his interest and of the item of business did not preclude his continued presence in the Chamber or his participation in the decision making process relative to this application.

Councillor Shepherd declared a non-financial interest in the application relating to Inverclyde Women's Aid as the spouse of an employee of this organisation. He also formed the view that the nature of his interest and of the item of business did not preclude his continued presence in the Chamber or his participation in the decision making process relative to this application.

Decided: that grants be made to voluntary organisations as follows:-

Group	Award
The Riverview Players	£500
Fort Matilda Bowling Club	£100

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Gourock Bowling Club	0
Grosvenor Bowling Club	0
Lady Alice Bowling Club	0
Victoria Bowling Club	£2000
Bagatelle Court Tenants Organisation	0
Boglestone Community Association	£5000
Clune Park Tenants & Residents Association	£1500
East Greenock New Build Group	£500
Inverclyde Across To Lourdes Group	£1500
Inverclyde Gaelic Learner's Group	£500
Kings Oak Parent Circle	£800
Larkfield Braeside Branchton Community Council	£2600
Park Farm Community Centre	£2000
Park Farm Over 55's Group	£500
Port Glasgow Town Centre Tenants and Residents Association	£1000
Silverline Dancers	£500
St Andrew's Ambulance Association (St Andrew's First Aid)	0
Strone & Maukinhill Tenants Association	£2000
The Port Glasgow Creative, Health, Arts, Recreation, Management Group (CHARM)	£500
The WOOPI Singers	£500
Upper Larkfield Community Hall	£1500
John Galt Residents Group	£500
Fort Matilda TC	0
Gourock Golf Club Junior Section	0
Inverclyde Athletic Club	0
Lady Alice Primary School - Junior Sports Club	0
Larkfield Amateur Boxing Club	£3000
Port Glasgow United	£500
Royal Gourock Yacht Club	0
2nd Port Glasgow Boys Brigade	0
Cats Protection Inverclyde	0
Inverclyde Naval Club	£3000
The Tuesday Club	£1000
32nd Greenock & District Scout Group	0
Inverclyde Youth Theatre	£2000
Rankin Park Bowling Club	£5000
Overton Tenants & Residents Association	£2000

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Park Farm Tenants & Residents	£950
St Margaret's Court Tenants	£500
Wellington Pre 5 Nursery Playgroup & Out of School Care	0
Inverclyde Masters Swimming Club	£4358
Fort Matilda Bridge Club	0
Inverclyde Heartstart	0
Inverclyde Women's Aid	0
TOTAL	£46,308

(2) that any underspend be used towards the cost of summer playschemes at Branchton Community Centre and Craigend Resource Centre.

105 Commissioned Application 2012

There was submitted a report by the Head of Regeneration & Planning seeking to regularise payments made to two organisations within the portfolio of commissioned services within the Grants to Voluntary Organisations budget. **Decided:**

(1) that the payments made in June 2012 to the Port Glasgow Voluntary Transport Group and the Inverceyde Voluntary Council of Social Services be regularised;

(2) that a further payment of £25,000 to Inverclyde Voluntary Council of Social Services be approved as a second tranche of normal allocation; and

(3) that it be noted that an application for funding will be requested from the Port Glasgow Voluntary Transport Group and the Inverclyde Voluntary Council of Social Services in the next financial year.