

## GRANTS SUB-COMMITTEE – 25 JUNE 2015

Grants Sub-CommitteeThursday 25 June 2015 at 3pm

**Present:** Councillors Campbell-Sturgess, Dorrian, McColgan, McIlwee, Shepherd and Wilson.

**Chair:** Councillor McColgan presided.

**In attendance:** Head of Safer & Inclusive Communities, Service Manager - Community Learning & Development, Ms J Fallon (Community Learning & Development) and Mr N Duffy (for Head of Legal & Property Services).

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

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No apologies for absence were intimated.

Councillor Wilson declared an interest in agenda item 2 (Round 1 Applications 2015-2016).

**461 Round 1 Applications 2015 - 2016 461**

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 in 2015 - 2016.

Councillor Wilson declared a non-financial interest in this item as the Chair of Kelburn Community Action Group. He also formed the view that the nature of his interest in the item of business did not preclude his continued presence in the Chamber or his participation in the decision making process..

**Decided:**

(1) that grants be made to voluntary organisations as follows:-

<b>Group</b>	<b>Award</b>
<b>One Off Grants</b>	
Greenock Light Opera Club	£1,000
Inverclyde Camera Club	£500
RIG Arts Ltd	Nil
Ardgowan Club	Nil

Following discussion, Councillor McColgan moved that Grosvenor Bowling Club's application be granted to the value of £2,000, as recommended by Officers at the meeting.

As an amendment, Councillor Wilson moved that the application be granted to the value of £1,500.

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On a vote, 3 Members voted for the amendment and 3 for the motion. There being equality in voting, the Convener exercised his casting vote in favour of the motion which was declared carried.

**Decided:**

Grosvenor Bowling Club	£2,000
Inverkip Bowling Club	£1,500
Rankin Park Bowling Club	£1,500
Wellington Park Bowling Club	£1,500
L Club - Scottish Episcopal Church, The Church of St Mary The Virgin, Port Glasgow	£399
Boglestone Community Association	£5,000
Broomhill Tenants and Residents Association	£2,000
Gateside Residential Association	£500
Gibshill Community Centre (SCIO)	£5,000
Gourock Rotary Club	£200
Inverkip Community Enterprise I.C.E.	£5,000
Port Glasgow Credit Union	Nil
Prospecthill Community Focus	£2,000
St Columba's High School Parent Council	Nil
The Ripe Bunch	Nil
St Columba Church Toddlers & Playgroup	£500
Ardgowan Tennis Club	Nil
Gourock Golf Club	Nil
Auchmountain Community Resource Centre	£5,000
1st Gourock (CDO) Scout Group	Nil
49F Greenock Squadron Air Training Corps	£1,500
The Girls' Brigade in Scotland	£2,000
Inverclyde Christian Initiative	Nil
Lyle Gateway	Nil
<b>Applications Resubmitted for Change of Use of Award</b>	
Kelburn Community Action Group	£4,000
Inverclyde Globetrotters	£3,000
<b>Applications Resubmitted for Approval Following Change of Name</b>	
Greenock Hockey Club	£1,000

and

(2) that a report be submitted to a future meeting of the Education & Communities Committee on proposals for the disbursement of any unallocated sums within the Grants to Voluntary Organisations Budget for 2015 – 2016.