



AGENDA ITEM NO. 6

STOCKWOOD, HENGROVE & WHITCHURCH NEIGHBOURHOOD PARTNERSHIP 16TH MARCH 2016

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RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Neighbourhood Committee approves the recommendations from the Wellbeing Panel for the allocation of Wellbeing Funding

1. Stockwood, Hengrove & Whitchurch Neighbourhood Partnership has £16,000 available unallocated funding in the Wellbeing budget.

Ward	2014-15 available funds	Funds Allocated	Balance
Stockwood	£10,000	June 2015: £975	£7,750
		Sept 2015: £175	
		Dec 2015: £1,100	
		Mar 2016:	
		tbc	£9.250
Hengrove	£10,000	June 2015: £975	£8,250

		Sept 2015: £175	
		Dec 2015: £600	
		Mar 2016:	
		tbc	
Total	£20,000		£16,000

2. The Wellbeing Panel met on 1st March 2016 to review the applications/requests received as laid out in the table below:

All Applications:

Ward	Applicant	Amount applied for	Purpose	Amount of grant recommended
	Counterslip – The Ark	£2,000	Activities for Young People	£tbc
	Counterslip – New Horizons	£2,000	Supporting Senior Citizens	£tbc
	TOTAL	£4,000		
			Funds Remaining	£ (tbc)

3. The tables below give a breakdown of the applications by ward:

Table 1: Stockwood applications

Applicant	Amount applied for	Purpose	Amount of grant recommended
Counterslip – The Ark	£2,000	Activities for Young People	£tbc
Counterslip – New Horizons	£2,000	Supporting Senior Citizens	£tbc
TOTAL	£2,000		£tbc
		Funds Remaining	£ (tbc)

Table 2: Hengrove applications

Applicant	Amount applied for	Purpose	Amount of grant recommended
Counterslip – The Ark	£2,000	Activities for Young People	£tbc
Counterslip – New Horizons	£2,000	Supporting Senior Citizens	£tbc
TOTAL	£2,000		£tbc
		Funds Remaining	£ (tbc)

4. The next Wellbeing deadline for application is 13th May 2016, with the panel meeting for recommendations on 24th May 2016.

Legal Information

When councillors decide how the wellbeing fund is spent they should have due regard to the public sector equality duty that applies to all public bodies. This duty is contained in the Equality Act 2010 and came in to force on 6 April 2011. It replaces previous equality duties under the Sex Discrimination, Race Relations and Disability Discrimination Acts.

The duty means that councillors are required to have due regard to the need to:

- Eliminate unlawful discrimination, harassment and victimisation and other conduct prohibited under the Act
- Promote equality of opportunity between different groups
- Foster good relations between people from different groups

The duty covers the following protected characteristics:

• Disability, Sexual orientation, Age, Gender reassignment, Religion and belief; Sex, Race, Pregnancy and maternity.

It also applies to marriage and civil partnership, but only in respect of the requirement to eliminate discrimination and harassment.