



MY NEIGHBOURHOOD



AGENDA ITEM NO 6

**Henleaze, Stoke Bishop and Westbury on Trym
NEIGHBOURHOOD PARTNERSHIP
Monday 15th June 2015**

Report of: Andrew McGrath – Communities & Neighbourhoods

Title: Well Being Report

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RECOMMENDATIONS:

- The NP note the current Well Being allocation
- The NP discuss and agree the Well Being Panel recommendations as set out in Table 1.

1. Well Being Funding 2015/16

Well Being funding at the start of the year is **£30,000** (dependent on the NP deciding to retain Well Being funding at £30k).

2. Well Being Panel recommendations

The Well Being Panel met on Tuesday 28th April 2015. Its recommendations are set out in table 1 below. If the recommended allocations are agreed by the NP, the total allocated this NP will be **£1,266**, which would leave **£28,734** to allocate during the remainder of this financial year.

Table 1

Name	What they do	What is application for?	How much Requested £	Discussion and Recommendation
Flamingo Chicks	Working with disabled children to enable them to do ballet along with their friends	Launch a new class, provide training to teachers, help provide H&S and child protection training for a teacher	£966	<p>Whilst the panel thought the proposed expansion of the service is ambitious, it believes the service being delivered deserving of support</p> <p>7 votes in favour, 0 against</p> <p>Recommendation:</p> <p><u>Fund Fully</u></p>
W-o-T Primary Care Centre	GP surgery in W-o-T	Provide maintenance of a community wildlife garden	£2,250	<p>Panel thought this is a well-funded organisation. There is also a planning requirement that the surgery maintain the garden.</p> <p>0 votes in favour, 7 against</p> <p>Recommendation:</p> <p><u>Do not fund</u></p>
North Bristol Choir	Community Choir	To pay for rental fees for the choir	£500	<p>This is the 3rd time this application has come before the panel. The panel feels that as 60% of the choir attendees come from the NP area, it will fund 60% of the request.</p> <p>7 votes in favour of this amendment, 0 against</p> <p>Recommendation:</p> <p><u>Fund £300 of request</u></p>

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.