



Henleaze, Stoke Bishop and Westbury on Trym NEIGHBOURHOOD PARTNERSHIP Monday 26th September 2016

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Title:Well Being Report

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RECOMMENDATIONS:

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

1. Well Being Funding 2016/17

The Well Being panel met on Monday 25th July 2016. Its recommendations are set out in table 1 below.

This was the first panel meeting of the 206/17 financial year.

Well Being funds available at the start of the year: £30,000

2. Well Being Panel recommendations

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Name	What they do	What is application for?	How much Requested £	Discussion and Recommendation	
North Bristol Parent Carers Support Group	Voluntary group to support parents and carers in north Bristol who have children who are disabled or have special educational needs	Continue with monthly drop- ins in new venue in Henbury. Also hold pop-up cafes/coffee mornings in communities across north Bristol (including Stoke Lodge)	£376.60	The panel wished to emphasise that the part of the application they were funding excludes salary costs. The money will be held by the central group on the applicant's behalf. The issue of insurance was discussed. NPC confirmed the group is covered by public liability Insurance <u>Vote:</u> Unanimous in favour of funding the group at £500 Recommendation: Fund £500	
St Peter's Henleaze parochial Church	Develop the local community via offering the hall to community organisations	Repair the Badminton Court in the hall	£516 Application withdrawn	The NP can only fund if the work isn't retrospective. The applicant has been requested to delay the work in order that this rule isn't contravened. <u>Vote:</u> Unanimous in favour of funding (provisional to it not being retrospective) Afternote 7th September 2016: A reply received from St Peter's indicates that the applicant is unable to change its timetable with regard to the floor re-sanding commencing. As a result, it has had to withdraw its application Recommendation: Fund fully	
U.W.E	Under- graduate and post-graduate education	The Intervention Initiative – tackling domestic violence	£1,209.40	There was considerable concern about the content of this application. Whilst the panel is supportive of the need to tackle domestic abuse, it isn't convinced the proposed methods will work. The panel agreed to the funding in full but only on the proviso that the conference convinced NP reps of	

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				the practicability of the approach being taken. Therefore, £500 funding is recommended in the first instance, to enable the conference to proceed. If reps are convinced, the remaining amount should be paid
				The request for funding for this project has been made to all north Bristol NPs, with each paying an agreed portion of the total. The applicant has informed the panel that the full amount across the north NPs needs to be secured for the project to proceed. The NP Chairman has invited the
				applicant to attend the NP to explain the approach being taken. Rachel Fenton from UWE will be attending the NP meeting
				<u>Vote:</u> Unanimous in favour of funding £500 initially followed by remaining £709.40 if the conference convinces attendees of the proposed method.
				Recommendation: Fund fully (as per instructions above)
St Ursula's PTFA playground project	Promoting the community of the school to bring parents, pupils, staff	Sturdy bench, moveable play equipment	£3,000 (£3,913.64)	The NP will recall that at the last NP, although this application was recommended for full funding, concerns were raised regarding funds for play equipment being raised by the PTFA, rather than being provided as part of the build programme of the developers building the new school.
	and residents together			As a consequence, the application was deferred pending further investigation of the developers' obligations.
				Information since received has confirmed that the developers have no funds, and are not obligated to provide funds, for play equipment.

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				The well being panel is clear that the PTFA has acted in good faith ir its application, and that the end result will be a gap in play provision for children at the school if this grant is not awarded.
				Recommendation: Fund fully

3. Legal Information

Public Sector Equality Duty

Before making a decision, section 149 Equality Act 2010 requires the Neighbourhood Partnership to consider the need to promote equality for persons with the following "relevant protected characteristics": **age, disability, gender reassignment, pregnancy and maternity, race, religion or belief, sex, sexual orientation**. The Neighbourhood Partnership must, therefore, have due regard to the need to:

- Eliminate unlawful discrimination, harassment and victimisation
- Advance equality of opportunity between different groups who share a relevant protected characteristic and those who do not share it.
- Foster good relations between different groups who share a relevant protected characteristic and those who do not share it.

The duty to have due regard to the need to eliminate discrimination in the area of employment, also covers marriage and civil partnership