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Agenda for a meeting of the Shipley Area Committee to be held on Wednesday, 28 July 2021 at 6.45 pm in Victoria Hall, Victoria Road, Saltaire, BD18 3JS

Members of the Committee – Councillors

LABOUR	CONSERVATIVE	GREEN
Greenwood Dearden	Heseltine Barker Davies Sullivan Townend Birch	Warnes

Alternates:

LABOUR	CONSERVATIVE	GREEN
Hinchcliffe Ross-Shaw	Riaz Pollard Smith Winnard Felstead	Love

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A. PROCEDURAL ITEMS

1. ALTERNATE MEMBERS (Standing Order 34)

The City Solicitor will report the names of alternate Members who are attending the meeting in place of appointed Members.

2. DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST

(Members Code of Conduct - Part 4A of the Constitution)

To receive disclosures of interests from members and co-opted members on matters to be considered at the meeting. The disclosure must include the nature of the interest.

An interest must also be disclosed in the meeting when it becomes apparent to the member during the meeting.

Notes:

- (1) Members may remain in the meeting and take part fully in discussion and voting unless the interest is a disclosable pecuniary interest or an interest which the Member feels would call into question their compliance with the wider principles set out in the Code of Conduct. Disclosable pecuniary interests relate to the Member concerned or their spouse/partner.*
- (2) Members in arrears of Council Tax by more than two months must not vote in decisions on, or which might affect, budget calculations, and must disclose at the meeting that this restriction applies to them. A failure to comply with these requirements is a criminal offence under section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992.*
- (3) Members are also welcome to disclose interests which are not disclosable pecuniary interests but which they consider should be made in the interest of clarity.*
- (4) Officers must disclose interests in accordance with Council Standing Order 44.*

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(Jill Bell/Su Booth 01274 434580/07814 073884)

4. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

(Access to Information Procedure Rules – Part 3B of the Constitution)

To hear questions from electors within the District on any matter this is the responsibility of the Committee.

Questions must be received in writing by the City Solicitor in Room 112, City Hall, Bradford, BD1 1HY, by mid-day on Monday 26 July 2021.

(Jill Bell/Su Booth 01274 434580/07814 073884)

B. BUSINESS ITEMS

5. *SHIPLEY AREA COMMITTEE AND SHIPLEY CONSTITUENCY AREA PARTNERS' ADVISORY GROUP (SCAPAG) ISSUES

Up to a maximum of 15 minutes will be allowed for SCAPAG members to raise new items of information, questions, requests or suggestions that may have arisen within their organisation/neighbourhood and which are relevant to raise at the meeting.

Issues raised in accordance with the above must be received in writing by the Shipley Area Co-ordinator's Office in Shipley Town Hall, Shipley, BD18 3EJ, by mid-day on Monday 26 July 2021.

(Damian Fisher – 01274 437146)

6. GRANT ALLOCATIONS AND GRANTS ADVISORY GROUP

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The report of the Shipley Area Co-ordinator (**Document "D"**) provides background information and recommendations with regard to grant allocations and the constitution of the Grants Advisory Group 2021/2022.

Recommended -

(1) That it be approved that the Shipley Area Co-ordinator,

under delegated powers, has the responsibility for making decisions on all grant applications administered by the Shipley Area Co-ordinators office, after seeking guidance from the Grants Advisory Group.

- (2) That in the current municipal year and in accordance with an established precedent, the Area Committee approves the nomination of three Councillors from the Conservative Group, one Councillor from the Green Group and one Councillor from the Labour Group
- (3) That the Shipley Area Co-ordinators Office be requested to continue to ensure the effective allocation of all the grant funding by providing appropriate support and advice to applicants.

(Damian Fisher – 01274 437146)

7. BUSINESS RATES

5 - 12

The report of the Director of Corporate Services (**Document “E”**) summarises the support that has been provided to businesses during the Covid 19 pandemic. Including ongoing support, and further support that is due to be introduced.

Recommended –

- (1) That Members note the support that has been provided to businesses during the Covid 19 pandemic. Including ongoing support, and further support that is due to be introduced.
- (2) That Members note that there is the need for businesses to pay their business rates and any business unable to do so, in line with the payment schedule on their bill, should contact the Business Rates team so that alternative payment plans can be discussed in line with their cash flow.

(Jagdeep Khan – 01274 437802)

8. CLIMATE ACTION FUND

13 - 16

The report of the Shipley Area Co-ordinator (**Document “F”**) summarises the grants awarded from the Climate Action Fund for the benefit of communities within the Shipley Constituency.

Recommended –

(1) That the wide range of groups, organisations and individuals across the Shipley area which have benefited from receiving a Climate Action Fund be noted and welcomed.

(2) That the Grants Advisory Group is thanked for their work in providing guidance to the Shipley Area Co-ordinator in the effective allocation of the Climate Action Fund.

(Damian Fisher - 01274 437062)

9. COMMUNITY CHEST

17 - 24

The report of the Shipley Area Co-ordinator (**Document “G”**) summarises the Community Chest Grants awarded in this financial year April 2021 to present and the Cohesion and Integration Innovation Fund awarded in the financial year April 2020 to March 2021, for the benefit of communities within the Shipley Constituency.

Recommended -

(1) That the wide range of groups, organisations and individuals across the Shipley area which have benefited from receiving a Community Chest grant and Cohesion and Integration Innovation Fund be noted and welcomed.

(2) That the Grants Advisory Group is thanked for their work in providing guidance to the Shipley Area Co-ordinator in the effective allocation of the Community Chest grant and the Cohesion and Integration Innovation fund.

(Damian Fisher – 01274 437062)

THIS AGENDA AND ACCOMPANYING DOCUMENTS HAVE BEEN PRODUCED, WHEREVER POSSIBLE, ON RECYCLED PAPER



Report of the Area Co-ordinator to the meeting of Shipley Area Committee to be held on 28th July 2021

D

Subject:

Grant allocations 2021/2022 and constitution of Grants Advisory Group

Summary statement:

This report provides background information and recommendations with regard to grant allocations and the constitution of the Grants Advisory Group 2021/2022.

EQUALITY & DIVERSITY:

Equality assessments – the grant schemes described in this report are open to, and actively promoted to, groups, organisations and individuals working in and with all the communities in the Shipley Area.

Equality objectives – the work undertaken by those in receipt of the grants described in this report contributes to Objective 3 of the Council's equality objectives by helping them to actively engage with their communities and enabling more people to take part in the life of the District.

Jason Longhurst
Strategic Director of Place

Portfolio:

Neighbourhoods and Customer Services

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Overview & Scrutiny Area:

Corporate

1. SUMMARY

- 1.1 This report provides background information and recommendations with regard to grant allocations and the constitution of the Grants Advisory Group 2021/2022.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 The Grants Advisory Group provides guidance to the Shipley Area Co-ordinator for the effective allocation of Community Chest and other grants.

The membership currently is:

- 3 representatives from the majority group on the Area Committee,
- 1 representative each from the Labour and the Green parties.

3. OTHER CONSIDERATIONS

- 3.1 There are no other considerations

4. FINANCIAL & RESOURCE APPRAISAL

- 4.1 The Grants Advisory Group and the allocation of various grants are co-ordinated by existing staff of the Shipley Area Co-ordinators Office.

5. RISK MANAGEMENT AND GOVERNANCE ISSUES

- 5.1 No significant risks.

6. LEGAL APPRAISAL

- 6.1 There are no legal implications for Bradford Council arising from this report.

7. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

7.1 SUSTAINABILITY IMPLICATIONS

- 7.1.1 Co-operation between agencies and the community is likely to lead to more strategic, long term and sustainable solutions to local issues.

7.2 GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS IMPACTS

- 7.2.1 There are no specific Greenhouse Gas Emission impact arising from this report.

7.3 COMMUNITY SAFETY IMPLICATIONS

- 7.3.1 There are no specific Community Safety implications arising from this report.

7.4 HUMAN RIGHTS ACT

- 7.4.1 There are no specific Human Rights Act implications arising from this report.

7.5 TRADE UNION

7.5.1 There are no Trade Union implications arising from this report.

7.6 WARD IMPLICATIONS

7.6.1 The decisions made at the Grant Advisory Group support the priorities in all the Ward plans.

7.7 IMPLICATIONS FOR CORPORATE PARENTING

7.7.1 There are no implications.

7.8 ISSUES ARISING FROM PRIVACY IMPACT ASSESMENT

7.8.1 None.

8. NOT FOR PUBLICATION DOCUMENTS

8.1 None.

9. OPTIONS

9.1 This report is presented to invite the Area Committee to determine membership of the Grants Advisory Group.

10. RECOMMENDATIONS

10.1 That it be approved that the Shipley Area Co-ordinator, under delegated powers, has the responsibility for making decisions on all grant applications administered by the Shipley Area Co-ordinators office, after seeking guidance from the Grants Advisory Group.

10.2 That in the current municipal year and in accordance with an established precedent, the Area Committee approves the nomination of three Councillors from the Conservative Group, one Councillor from the Green Group and one Councillor from the Labour Group

10.3 That the Shipley Area Co-ordinators Office be requested to continue to ensure the effective allocation of all the grant funding by providing appropriate support and advice to applicants.

11. APPENDICES

11.1 None.

12. BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

12.1 None.

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Report of Business Rates to the meeting of Shipley Area Committee to be held on 28 July 2021

E

Subject:

Support provided to businesses due to the Covid 19 pandemic

Summary statement:

This report summarises the support that has been provided to businesses during the Covid 19 pandemic. Including ongoing support, and further support that is due to be introduced.

EQUALITY & DIVERSITY:

The equality impact assessments were done by the government in respect of the national business support grants. The local discretionary schemes followed a similar pattern.

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Portfolio:

Business Rates

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Overview & Scrutiny Area:

Revenues, Benefits and Payroll

1. SUMMARY

- 1.1 This report summarises the support that has been provided to businesses during the Covid 19 pandemic. Including ongoing support, and further support that is due to be introduced.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 Most of the government schemes have now come to an end. The Restart grant closes for applications on 30 June with final payments having to be made by end of July 2021.
- 2.2 The Additional Restrictions Grant (ARG) is currently continuing to be paid in respect of the various schemes where the application process is now closed i.e. Outdoor Trading Grant; Self Employed; Homebased Businesses etc.
- 2.3 There are on-going discussions taking place regarding further support for local businesses under the ARG. I would recommend at this stage that any updates will be communicated on the Council's Stay Connected newsletter which also includes information on wider support available to businesses.
- 2.4 Businesses in the retail, hospitality and leisure sectors plus nurseries received 100% rate relief in the financial year 2020/2021. Following announcements in the Budget in March 2021 those same businesses received 100% rate discount on their 2021/22 rates bill initially. However, on 14 June 2021 we issued revised bills because the 100% discount was only up to 30 June 2021 and thereafter it dropped to 66% from 1 July for the remainder of the year. This does not apply to those businesses that meet the criteria for Small Business Rate Relief.
- 2.5 Finally, it was announced on 25 March 2021 that the government was looking at supporting those businesses that had not previously received any discounts on their rates bill due to the pandemic. However, at this point in time the legislation is still going through parliament and we do not know the finer details of the actual scheme.

3. OTHER CONSIDERATIONS

- 3.1 None

4. FINANCIAL & RESOURCE APPRAISAL

- 4.1 Resources in dealing with this work activity have been utilised from within the services and council as well as engaging third parties in order to meet the urgent need to get support out to businesses. The Government has provided new burdens funding to meet the additional costs incurred as part of its Covid-19 response.

5. RISK MANAGEMENT AND GOVERNANCE ISSUES

- 5.1 There are no serious risk or governance issues associated with this report.

6. LEGAL APPRAISAL

6.1 There are no legal issues associated with this report

7. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

7.1 SUSTAINABILITY IMPLICATIONS

7.1.1 None

7.2 GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS IMPACTS

7.2.1 None

7.3 COMMUNITY SAFETY IMPLICATIONS

7.3.1 There are no community safety implications arising from this report.

7.4 HUMAN RIGHTS ACT

7.4.1 There are no Human Rights Act implications arising from this report.

7.5 TRADE UNION

7.5.1 There are no trade union implications arising from this report.

7.6 WARD IMPLICATIONS

7.6.1 Support is provided to all wards in the Shipley area.

7.7 IMPLICATIONS FOR CORPORATE PARENTING

7.7.1 There are no implications arising from this report.

7.8 ISSUES ARISING FROM PRIVACY IMPACT ASSESMENT

7.8.1 There are no privacy impact issues arising from this report.

8. NOT FOR PUBLICATION DOCUMENTS

8.1 None

9. OPTIONS

9.1 This report is for information only

10. RECOMMENDATIONS

10.1 Members note the support that has been provided to businesses during the Covid 19 pandemic. Including ongoing support, and further support that is due to be introduced.

- 10.2 Members note that there is the need for businesses to pay their business rates and any business unable to do so, in line with the payment schedule on their bill, should contact the Business Rates team so that alternative payment plans can be discussed in line with their cash flow.

11. APPENDICES

- 11.1 Appendix 1 – Grants paid up to 8 July 2021 in the Shipley Constituency
- 11.2 The latest information can be received by subscribing to the Coronavirus updates for local businesses
[Receive the latest information on Covid 19 business support by subscribing to our emails.](#)

12. BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

- 12.1 None

Grants Paid

Overview

Date: 08-Jul-21



Grants paid in Shipley Constituency

Row Labels	Grants Paid	Amount Paid
Shipley Co Const	6,711	£34,223,479.37
Constituency data not available	1,166	£7,092,421.62

Grants paid by Ward

Row Labels	Grants Paid	Amount Paid
Baildon Ward	973	£5,305,900.04
Bingley Rural Ward	1,358	£6,661,292.60
Bingley Ward	1,075	£5,233,282.11
Shipley Ward	2,225	£11,396,824.61
Wharfedale Ward	542	£2,684,834.99
Windhill and Wrose Ward	538	£2,941,345.02

Grants Paid

Summary by Ward



Date: 08-Jul-21

Grants paid by Grant Scheme, Constituency, and Ward

Row Labels	Constituency	Ward	Grants Paid	Amount Paid
Additional Restrictions Grant (Closed)	Shipley Co Const	Baildon Ward	11	£37,053.43
		Bingley Rural Ward	38	£114,506.00
		Bingley Ward	24	£66,876.58
		Shipley Ward	13	£39,343.86
		Wharfedale Ward	7	£20,481.86
	Shipley Co Const Total		93	£278,261.73
Additional Restrictions Grant (Homebased)	Shipley Co Const	Baildon Ward	9	£5,400.00
		Bingley Rural Ward	13	£7,800.00
		Bingley Ward	9	£5,400.00
		Shipley Ward	6	£3,600.00
		Wharfedale Ward	6	£3,600.00
	Windhill and Wrose Ward	6	£3,600.00	
Shipley Co Const Total		49	£29,400.00	
Additional Restrictions Grant (Outdoor Trading Grant)	Shipley Co Const	Baildon Ward	2	£3,000.00
		Bingley Rural Ward	3	£3,550.96
		Bingley Ward	2	£2,009.16
		Shipley Ward	5	£6,532.05
		Wharfedale Ward	1	£1,268.38
	Shipley Co Const Total		13	£16,360.55
Constituency data not available	Ward data not available	2	£2,186.76	
Additional Restrictions Grant (Self Employed)	Shipley Co Const	Baildon Ward	15	£18,800.00
		Bingley Rural Ward	29	£32,800.00
		Bingley Ward	14	£14,000.00
		Shipley Ward	40	£25,400.00
		Wharfedale Ward	7	£11,200.00
	Windhill and Wrose Ward	33	£25,400.00	
Shipley Co Const Total		138	£127,600.00	
Additional Restrictions Grant (Supply Chain)	Shipley Co Const	Baildon Ward	8	£43,666.00
		Bingley Rural Ward	5	£30,000.00
		Bingley Ward	5	£22,999.00
		Shipley Ward	13	£70,000.00
		Wharfedale Ward	2	£10,000.00
	Windhill and Wrose Ward	1	£5,000.00	
Shipley Co Const Total		34	£181,665.00	
Christmas Support Payment for Wet-Led Pubs	Shipley Co Const	Baildon Ward	9	£9,000.00
		Bingley Rural Ward	19	£19,000.00
		Bingley Ward	12	£12,000.00
		Shipley Ward	23	£23,000.00
		Wharfedale Ward	6	£6,000.00
	Windhill and Wrose Ward	4	£4,000.00	
Shipley Co Const Total		73	£73,000.00	

Closed Business Lockdown Payment	ShIPLEY Co Const	Baildon Ward	107	£498,000.00
		Bingley Rural Ward	150	£651,000.00
		Bingley Ward	112	£498,000.00
		ShIPLEY Ward	257	£1,162,000.00
		Wharfedale Ward	57	£256,000.00
		Windhill and Wrose Ward	55	£243,000.00
		ShIPLEY Co Const Total	738	£3,308,000.00
Discretionary Scheme	Constituency data not available	Ward data not available	1,018	£6,986,984.00
	Constituency data not available Total		1,018	£6,986,984.00
Discretionary Scheme Total			1,018	£6,986,984.00
Local Restrictions Support Grant (Closed)	ShIPLEY Co Const	Baildon Ward	396	£740,186.47
		Bingley Rural Ward	565	£978,270.22
		Bingley Ward	452	£753,260.81
		ShIPLEY Ward	975	£1,737,583.00
		Wharfedale Ward	228	£398,676.47
		Windhill and Wrose Ward	190	£343,925.60
		ShIPLEY Co Const Total	2,806	£4,951,902.57
Local Restrictions Support Grant (Open)	ShIPLEY Co Const	Baildon Ward	46	£115,784.14
		Bingley Rural Ward	72	£180,019.42
		Bingley Ward	69	£165,394.56
		ShIPLEY Ward	114	£298,220.70
		Wharfedale Ward	49	£117,941.28
		Windhill and Wrose Ward	19	£44,748.42
		ShIPLEY Co Const Total	369	£922,108.52
Restart Grant	ShIPLEY Co Const	Baildon Ward	98	£680,010.00
		Bingley Rural Ward	139	£959,346.00
		Bingley Ward	107	£793,342.00
		ShIPLEY Ward	232	£1,574,025.00
		Wharfedale Ward	55	£460,667.00
		Windhill and Wrose Ward	46	£296,671.00
		ShIPLEY Co Const Total	677	£4,764,061.00
SBGRHL - Retail, Hospitality & Leisure Grant	ShIPLEY Co Const	Baildon Ward	38	£815,000.00
		Bingley Rural Ward	52	£955,000.00
		Bingley Ward	46	£670,000.00
		ShIPLEY Ward	103	£2,020,000.00
		Wharfedale Ward	19	£355,000.00
		Windhill and Wrose Ward	16	£295,000.00
		ShIPLEY Co Const Total	274	£5,110,000.00
SBGRHL - Small Business Grant	ShIPLEY Co Const	Baildon Ward	234	£2,340,000.00
		Bingley Rural Ward	273	£2,730,000.00
		Bingley Ward	223	£2,230,000.00
		ShIPLEY Ward	444	£4,437,120.00
		Wharfedale Ward	105	£1,044,000.00
		Windhill and Wrose Ward	168	£1,680,000.00
		ShIPLEY Co Const Total	1,447	£14,461,120.00

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Report of the Shipley Area Co-ordinator to the meeting of Shipley Area Committee to be held on 28th July 2021

F

Subject:

Climate Action Fund £60,000.

Summary statement:

This report summarises the grants awarded from the Climate Action Fund for the benefit of communities within the Shipley Constituency.

EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY

The Climate Action Fund is open to, and actively promoted to, groups, organisations and individuals working in and with all the communities in the Shipley Area.

Jason Longhurst
Strategic Director of Place

Portfolio:

Neighbourhoods and Community Safety

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Overview & Scrutiny Area:

Corporate

1. SUMMARY

1.1 This report summarises the grants awarded from the Climate Action Fund for the benefit of communities within the Shipley Constituency.

2. BACKGROUND

2.1 The Climate Action Fund was intended to help communities through initiatives that can reduce our collective carbon footprint, support sustainable development and raise awareness of climate change in the Shipley area. Applications which met with the criteria were considered from groups, organisations and individuals contributing across a broad spectrum of initiatives.

2.2 Details of the Climate Action Fund awarded are outlined in Appendix A.

3. OTHER CONSIDERATIONS

3.1 The Grants Advisory Group provided guidance to the Shipley Area Co-ordinator in the allocation of the Climate Action Fund.

4. FINANCIAL & RESOURCE APPRAISAL

4.1 The Climate Action Fund budget for the Shipley Constituency was £60,000.

5. RISK MANAGEMENT AND GOVERNANCE ISSUES

5.1 There are no issues.

6. LEGAL APPRAISAL

6.1 There are no issues.

7. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

7.1 SUSTAINABILITY IMPLICATIONS

7.1.1 The Climate Action Fund enables community groups to contribute towards the reduction of our collective carbon footprint and support sustainable development.

7.2 GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS IMPACTS

7.2.1 This funding aims to have an impact on reducing greenhouse gas emissions.

7.3 COMMUNITY SAFETY IMPLICATIONS

7.3.1 Recipients of the Climate Action Fund have been instructed to follow the national Covid guidance when carrying out any activities.

7.4 HUMAN RIGHTS ACT

7.4.1 There are no implications.

7.5 TRADE UNION

7.5.1 There are no implications.

7.6 WARD PLAN IMPLICATIONS

7.6.1 Projects are undertaken in all wards of the Shipley area.

7.7 IMPLICATIONS FOR CORPORATE PARENTING

7.7.1 There are no implications.

7.8 ISSUES ARISING FROM PRIVACY IMPACT ASSESMENT

7.8.1 There are no issues.

8. NOT FOR PUBLICATION DOCUMENTS

8.1 None.

9. OPTIONS

9.1 None.

10. RECOMMENDATIONS

10.1 That the wide range of groups, organisations and individuals across the Shipley area which have benefited from receiving a Climate Action Fund be noted and welcomed.

10.2 That the Grants Advisory Group is thanked for their work in providing guidance to the Shipley Area Co-ordinator in the effective allocation of the Climate Action Fund.

11. APPENDICES

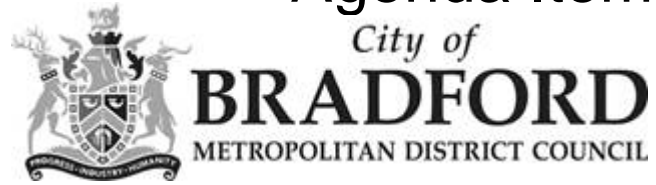
11.1 Appendix A: Summary of Climate Action Fund allocations.

12. BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

12.1 None.

CLIMATE ACTION FUND

ORGANISATION	PROJECT DETAILS	AMOUNT AWARDED
Cullingworth Village Hall	Cycle parking and repair station. How to look after your bike training.	£ 3,348.00
Baildon Walkers are Welcome	Print 2000 footnav books to be given out free at primary schools, nurseries and preschools. Training courses in map reading, navigation and walk leading.	£ 965.00
Baildon Horticultural Society	Solar panels for 'the hut' at Charlestown allotments to provide safe storage, lighting and heating for plant growing.	£ 2,701.00
SHROGGS (Baildon Soldiers & Sailors Assn)	Solar panels	£ 5,000.00
Bingley Little Theatre	LED lighting	£ 5,000.00
St Peter's Church	Solar panels	£ 5,000.00
Friends of Myrtle Park	Hedging between Lidl car park and the park to protect park from noise and carbon emissions. Climate action education.	£ 610.96
Nifty Sustainability	Create community space between Springfield Rd and Avondale Mount. Contribute to flood management and biodiversity.	£ 2,000.00
Northcliffe Allotment Society	Storage tank, pump, pipework and contractors to improve water system to allotment plots.	£ 4,215.80
North East Windhill Community Association	Signage to encourage residents to walk to shops, schools etc by pointing out easiest routes.	£ 2,040.00
JAMES	Fund a 16 week project to promote different aspects of climate change and encourage families to change their ways and habits.	£ 4,028.82
Burley in Wharfedale Community Trust (on behalf of Alexander Hughes age 13)	Renewal of neglected area to encourage wildlife with natural habitat. Awaiting written confirmation that land can be used.	£ 2,000.00
Baildon & Shipley Friends of the Earth	E-cargo bike (possibly will be funded from another pot of money)	£ 4,599.00
Aire Valley Scouts	Window replacement at Sconce	£ 5,000.00
Harden Village Council (Lead Partner)	Bingley Rural green travel project. To encourage and enable more sustainable travel behaviours.	£10,000.00
Baildon Green Community Association	Interpretation boards, seats, signs, litter bins and publicity for Fairbank Wood.	£ 2,933.89
Baildon Cricket Club	Rainfall harvesting for maintenance of pitch at Sandals school.	£ 557.53
	Amount Spent	£60,000.00



Report of the Shipley Area Co-ordinator to the meeting of Shipley Area Committee to be held on 28th July 2021

G

Subject:

Community Chest Grants 1 April 2021 to present. Cohesion and Integration Innovation Fund 2020/2021

Summary statement:

This report summarises the Community Chest Grants awarded in this financial year April 2021 to present and the Cohesion and Integration Innovation Fund awarded in the financial year April 2020 to March 2021, for the benefit of communities within the Shipley Constituency.

EQUALITY & DIVERSITY:

The Community Chest grants is open to, and actively promoted to, groups and organisations and individuals working in and with all the communities in the Shipley Constituency.

The Cohesion and Integration Innovation Fund was actively promoted to, groups and organisations working in and with all the communities in the Shipley Constituency

The work undertaken by those in receipt of the grants described in this report contributes to Objective 3 of the Council's equality objectives by helping them to actively engage with their communities and enabling more people to take part in the life of the District.

Jason Longhurst
Strategic Director of Place

Portfolio:

Neighbourhoods and Community Safety

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Overview & Scrutiny Area:

Corporate

1. SUMMARY

- 1.1 This report summarises the Community Chest Grants awarded in this financial year April 2021 to present and the Cohesion and Integration Innovation Fund awarded in the financial year April 2020 to March 2021, for the benefit of communities within the Shipley Constituency.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 The Community Chest budget is intended to assist community based, leisure and cultural activities. Applications which meet with the criteria are considered from groups, organisations and individuals contributing across a broad spectrum of initiatives, to the well-being and development of communities within the Shipley area.
- 2.2 Details of the Community Chest grants awarded from April 2021 to present are outlined in Appendix A.
- 2.3 The Cohesion and Integration Innovation Fund was intended to give local communities an opportunity to provide initiatives for building cohesion and integration in their neighbourhoods. It is about stimulating new thinking, building new partnerships and testing innovative approaches.
- 2.4 Details of the Cohesion and Integration Innovation Fund projects and the amounts awarded in 2021/2022 are in Appendix B.

3. OTHER CONSIDERATIONS

- 3.1 None.

4. FINANCIAL & RESOURCE APPRAISAL

- 4.1 The Community Chest budget for the Shipley Constituency for the financial year April 2021 to March 2022 is £11,500.
- 4.2 The Cohesion and Integration Innovation Fund budget for the financial year April 2020 to March 2021 was £10,000.

5. RISK MANAGEMENT AND GOVERNANCE ISSUES

- 5.1 There are no issues.

6. LEGAL APPRAISAL

- 6.1 There are no issues.

7. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

7.1 SUSTAINABILITY IMPLICATIONS

- 7.1.1 Community Chest grants enable community groups to become more sustainable eg start up grants.

7.2 GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS IMPACTS

7.2.1 There are no issues.

7.3 COMMUNITY SAFETY IMPLICATIONS

7.3.1 Recipients of the Community Chest grant and the Cohesion and Integration Innovation fund have been instructed to follow the national Covid guidance when carrying out any activities.

7.4 HUMAN RIGHTS ACT

7.4.1 There are no implications.

7.5 TRADE UNION

7.5.1 There are no implications.

7.6 WARD PLAN IMPLICATIONS

7.6.1 Community Chest grants address priorities within all the Shipley area ward plans.

7.7 IMPLICATIONS FOR CORPORATE PARENTING

7.7.1 There are no implications.

7.8 ISSUES ARISING FROM PRIVACY IMPACT ASSESMENT

7.8.1 There are no issues.

8. NOT FOR PUBLICATION DOCUMENTS

8.1 None.

9. OPTIONS

9.1 None.

10. RECOMMENDATIONS

10.1 That the wide range of groups, organisations and individuals across the Shipley area which have benefited from receiving a Community Chest grant and Cohesion and Integration Innovation Fund be noted and welcomed.

10.2 That the Grants Advisory Group is thanked for their work in providing guidance to the Shipley Area Co-ordinator in the effective allocation of the Community Chest grant and the Cohesion and Integration Innovation fund.

11. APPENDICES

11.1 Appendix A: Summary of Community Chest grants awarded April 2021 to present.

11.2 Appendix B: Summary of Cohesion and Integration Innovation fund awarded 2020/2021

12. BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

12.1 None.

COMMUNITY CHEST GRANT UPDATE APRIL 2021 TO PRESENT

ORGANISATION	WHAT WAS GRANT USED FOR	AMOUNT AWARDED
The Parish Church of St Paul	Bird boxes, seating and top soil	£500.00
High Crag Primary Leadership Academy	Community garden to support food bank	£500.00
The Speak In Club CIC	Banners, flyers and posters, personal training to run a boot camp	£500.00
1 st Shipley Scout Group	Maps and compasses	£400.00
Wilsden Village Nursery	Mud kitchen and storage shed for outdoor play	£500.00
Baildon Green Community Association	Start-up grant for the new Community Association	£500.00
Menston in Bloom	Equipment for nursery/growing on area for plants which will then be used in planters and beds	£500.00
	Amount Spent	£3,400.00
	Balance Remaining	£8,100.00

COHESION AND INTEGRATION INNOVATION FUND 2020/2021

ORGANISATION	PROJECT	AMOUNT AWARDED
North East Windhill Community Association	<p>First Steps</p> <p>NEWCA will recruit people from the minority groups within the Windhill community area to visit BAME people, young people, women and white working class groups and invite them to the sessions detailed below at the Centre.</p> <p>Encourage them to address meetings as a "guest speaker" [Guest speakers will be invited to address the key areas where possible]; This is needed to reflect the diversity within the community and to promote equality of opportunity.</p> <p>Workshops [overview]...</p> <p>Welcome;</p> <p>Meet your neighbours: promote getting to know people in your area;</p> <p>Joining in with activities [to be decided by group];</p> <p>Refreshments;</p> <p>Introduction to ESOL;</p> <p>Q&A with a Welfare Advisor.</p>	£995.00
Wilsden Village Hall	<p>Acts of Kindness</p> <p>The aim of the Acts of Kindness project is to build a greater cohesion and understanding between younger and older members of the community. As in most communities, perceptions of young people can often be negative, particularly where young people are seen to be 'hanging about' on the streets, the perception from older members of the community is often that they are 'up to no good'. This is no different in Wilsden where periodically issues will arise in terms of anti-social behaviour which is either real or perceived and cause tensions in the community.</p> <p>The project will involve young people leaving small individual 'presents' or random acts of kindness on the doorsteps of older members of the community. Young people will also write letters to older people sharing aspects of their lives and aspirations and older people will be encouraged to write back to the young people in the same manner. It is envisaged that young people and older people can learn something about each other and break down barriers to engagement prior to actually meeting. When the groups finally do meet each other, they will feel that they have some knowledge of each other and with young people taking the initiative and leading the project, this will promote more positive images of young people in the community.</p> <p>When it is safe to do so, the young people and older people will be encouraged to meet face to face at local community buildings. This meeting will be planned and organised by the young people and will include an element of fun and also discussion about how young and older can work together to build a stronger and healthier community.</p>	£4,500.00

	<p>The aim will be to engage members of the community to engage in such activities as litter picks, flower planting and community events to improve the local environment, but also to share skills and knowledge through a series of projects following the initial kick start of the programme.</p> <p>The project will be delivered through a partnership between Wilsden Village Hall and the Youth Service and rolled out through the whole district. Wilsden Village Hall already has a small group of young volunteers and it is hoped that this will be extended through the Acts of Kindness project and the partnership between Wilsden Village Hall will continue to develop and blossom.</p>	
Bradford Disability Sport and Leisure	<p>Dance Artyfacts</p> <p>The disability participants (who are a variety of ages ranging from 8 – 70 years) have experienced isolation from friends including missing the social aspect of things throughout Co-vid 19. They had previously supported an art project online during covid where they had some interest from members. They want to encourage participants to have some FUN online with each other, encourage some physical activity and develop a new skill, something some of our participants have been doing through lockdown. These sessions provide a platform for Fun sessions with elements of Dance and Art, which will be related each week. They hope to increase participants self-confidence, social skills, learn a new skill, be inspired to try new things, encourage family and friends, developing some details of art awareness, ability to work and support one another (mentoring). They are also increasing health awareness, providing opportunities to work in a mixed ability (disability and able bodied) environment.</p>	£2,250.00
Friends of Roberts Park	<p>Promoting ownership by directly involving the wider Bradford community to plant trees and highlight the importance of bio diversity through direct hands on education. Participation from all our Bradford district communities of all ages and backgrounds.</p> <p>Highlight the importance of a clean safe spaces for general wellbeing and health for all.</p> <p>This project aims to improve bio diversity in Roberts Park while promoting the importance of green space in our urban district built environment.</p> <p>Create a natural visual splendour promoting Roberts Park as a tourist go place within Visit Bradford initiative.</p> <p>Green space heritage initiative promoting environmental improvement and historical planting. Completing an unfinished 1870 landscape design creating an avenue of Cherry Blossom trees for future generations.</p> <p>Encourage a greater range of pollinator /insects and wildlife improving our visitor green space experience.</p>	£2.255.00
	Amount Spent	£10,000.00