

Report of the Strategic Director – Place to the meeting of Bradford East Area Committee to be held on 14 July 2021

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Subject:

Grant Allocations 2019/21

Summary statement:

This report informs the Area Committee of the grants awarded to projects within the Bradford East Area by the Area Co-ordinator's Office in the financial years 2019/20 and 2020/21.

EQUALITY & DIVERSITY:

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

Equality objectives – the work undertaken by organisations 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.

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1. SUMMARY

This report informs the Area Committee of the grants awarded to projects within the Bradford East Area by the Area Co-ordinator's Office in the financial years 2019/20 and 2020/21.

2. BACKGROUND

2.1 This report gives details of four grant schemes that were administered by Bradford East Area Co-ordinator's Office during the financial years 2019/20 and 2020/21. These schemes were designed to support a wide range of projects and activities within the Bradford East Area. Applications for grants were considered from groups and organisations working for the benefit of people living in the Bradford East Area.

2.2 Information on the grant schemes, and how to apply, was available on the Bradford Council website and sent out by the Area Co-ordinator's Office to its well-established network of community groups and organisations. To be eligible for consideration, applications had to meet the criteria set out for each grant scheme which are detailed in the Appendices to this report.

2.3 The Area Co-ordinator's Office, promoted the grant schemes, supported and advised potential applicants, assessed the received applications and prepared officer recommendations.

2.5 The Area Co-ordinator, under delegated powers, is responsible for making decisions on the received applications. These decisions are made following guidance received from the Grants Advisory Group (GAG), whose membership is the Chair, Deputy Chair and Opposition Spokesperson of the Area Committee.

3. OTHER CONSIDERATIONS

3.1 There are no other considerations arising directly from this report.

4. FINANCIAL AND RESOURCE APPRAISAL

4.1 Financial

These grant schemes were funded from Bradford Council's approved base budget. Therefore, there were no further financial or resource implications placed on the Council in the awarding of these grants.

5. RISK MANAGEMENT AND GOVERNANCE ISSUES

5.1 There are no significant risk management or governance issues arising out of the recommendations of this report

6. LEGAL APPRAISAL

6.1 There is no legal requirement for the Council to provide small grants for one off projects in local communities.

7. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

7.1 Sustainability Implications

Groups are encouraged to engage in additional fundraising activities and are assisted in raising their awareness of opportunities for future development and sustainability. Groups are also encouraged to work collectively, particularly on issues of shared interest.

7.2 Greenhouse Gas Emissions Impacts

There are no significant gas emission impacts arising from the recommendations in this report.

7.3 Community Safety Implications

Projects are assessed on their ability to operate within appropriate guidelines. Many of the projects supported are either directly or indirectly concerned with the enhancement of life in local communities, providing safe environments for activities to take place or helping to tackle crime and the fear of crime.

7.4 Human Rights Act

There are no direct Human Rights implications arising from the recommendations below.

7.5 Trade Union Implications

There are no Trade Union implications.

7.6 Ward Implications

Applications for grants are encouraged from, and allocated to, projects that impact on all Wards in the East Area.

7.7 Area Committee Action Plan Implications

The award of these grants enables voluntary and community organisations to contribute to a number of the priorities within the Area Committee's Ward Plans.

7.8 Implications for Corporate Parenting

No implications.

7.9 Issues arising from Privacy Impact Assessment

The contact details and information relating to grant applicants is held in compliance with the Neighbourhood & Customer Services' Privacy Statement.

8. NOT FOR PUBLICATION DOCUMENTS

None.

9. OPTIONS

9.1 That members note the report. The purpose of this report is to inform Members of the allocation of grant funding.

10. RECOMMENDATIONS

Recommended-

- (1) That, in view of the passage of time from its original decision, the Bradford East Area Committee confirms that the Bradford East Area Co-ordinator, has under delegated powers, responsibility for making decisions on all grant applications administered by the Bradford East Area Co-ordinator's Office, after seeking guidance from the Grants Advisory Group.**
- (2) That the Committee approves that the membership of the Bradford East Grants Advisory Group (GAG), be the Chair, Deputy Chair and Opposition Spokesperson of the Bradford East Area Committee, for the municipal year 2021-22.**
- (3) That the Bradford East Area Committee requests that the Bradford East Area Co-ordinator's Office continues to ensure the effective allocation of all grant funding by providing appropriate support and advice to applicants.**

11. APPENDICES

Appendix A: Community Chest Grants 2019/20

Appendix B: Community Chest Grants 2020/21

Appendix C: Cleaner Streets Fund Grants 2020/21

Appendix D: Social Cohesion Innovation Grants 2020/21

12. BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

None.

Appendix A

Community Chest Grants 2019/20

CRITERIA FOR APPLICATIONS

Applications will only be considered from groups/organisations that either operate in, or benefit people who live in the Bradford East Constituency area.

Applications will be considered to assist community based activities which will be of benefit to the community, and where the activity could not go ahead without financial assistance. Special consideration will be given to projects that target issues of deprivation and disadvantage.

Examples of what will be funded:	Examples of what won't be funded:
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Equipment (from pots and pans, to plants and publicity)● One off events● Building improvements● Start up costs for new groups	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Ongoing revenue costs (room hire, insurance, salaries, staffing costs eg speakers/tutors fees, rent etc)● Activities of a religious/political nature● Activities funded retrospectively● Secondary fundraising

The organisation should be a non-profit making voluntary organisation where membership is open (i.e. no discrimination of membership on grounds of sex, race religion, occupation or opinion).

The maximum allocation from the Community Chest will not exceed £500.00 for any individual project. Projects which cross boundaries can be considered by a number of Area Committees, but the total grant will not exceed £500.00.

Groups which have applied for and received funding in previous years will not be funded for the same or repeated project.

Groups/organisations should normally expect only one grant per financial year.

Bradford East Area Committee expects organisations to make every effort to be self-supporting, and will favour grants where other funding/fundraising has been secured.

Projects should demonstrate that appropriate child and adult protection policies are in place together with any necessary Health and Safety arrangements.

Projects should not contravene Council Policy Guidelines in areas of equality of opportunity (i.e. no discrimination of membership on grounds of sex, race, religion, occupation or opinion).

APPENDIX A

WARD	REF	PROJECT	AWARD
B & U, B & B, BFD MOOR	CC/01/19	<p align="center"><u>INDUS CHARI CRICKET CLUB</u></p> <p>Towards setting up cricket sessions. Pitch rent is £1000 and coaching/other costs are £500. The group are trying to keep youths off street corners and also help them to keep fit and eventually be league players.</p>	350.00
B & B	CC/03/19	<p align="center"><u>WEST BOWLING ACTIVITY GROUP</u></p> <p>Towards a cycling programme – 15 to 20 cyclists will undertake weekly cycling lessons culminating in up to a 100 mile ride in the Lake District. Expenditure is minibus hire – 2 days £200, box van hire for 2 days - £200, accommodation for 15 people £375 and £100 petrol/fuel.</p>	350.00
ECC	CC/04/19	<p align="center"><u>RAVENSCLIFFE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION</u></p> <p>The grant is for a lap top. This will benefit the ‘find a job club’ which runs twice a week.</p>	280.00
ECC	CC/05/19	<p align="center"><u>LETS SING COMMUNITY CHOIR</u></p> <p>The grant is for on-going running costs i.e. £100 per week for the musical director and £20 per week room hire.</p>	200.00
ECC	CC/07/19	<p align="center"><u>THE TUESDAY CLUB</u></p> <p>To enable people (over 80s in particular) to get out of the house, socialise and undertake activities such as bingo, quizzes, sing-alongs. Room hire is £40 a week which is what the grant request is for.</p>	400.00
ECC	CC/08/19	<p align="center"><u>AUTISM SEAL PARENT SUPPORT GROUP</u></p> <p>Helps parents and carers of children awaiting diagnosis of autism. The grant would be spent on room hire, refreshments, volunteers expenses, sessional costs and a 1 day fun event. There will be 4 sessions and 20 plus people will benefit.</p>	220.00
LH	CC/10/19	<p align="center"><u>MARSHFIELD ODSAL BANKFOOT ENTERPRISE</u></p> <p>Towards a 3 day event celebrating Windrush 71st anniversary. Outgoings are £288, Images £100, prints £130, framing and hanging £200, transport £50.</p>	350.00
LH	C/11/19	<p align="center"><u>ALL CANTERBURY TOGETHER</u></p> <p>Grant towards weekly fitness sessions – women only. 10 women are interested so far but this will increase as sessions get underway. The grant is for the sessions with an instructor.</p>	250.00
ECC	CC/12/19	<p align="center"><u>ECCLESHILL VILLAGE STEERING GROUP</u></p> <p>Towards Eccleshill Village Fair in July during which we raise money for our Xmas Lights Event & Switch On Event; these bring the community together and show what local people can achieve together.</p>	300.00

LH	CC/13/19	<u>WEST BOWLING TOGETHER WE CAN</u> For the group launch to try to make a difference re littering and drug dealing in W Bowling. The grant will be used for canvas bags, pledging cards and posters. The venue has been given free of charge.	263.00
LH	CC/14/19	<u>EMPOWERING WOMEN</u> Towards activity sessions for young girls over the summer holidays. The grant will be used towards venue hire, facilitator costs, arts, crafts and materials.	240.00
LH	CC/15/19	<u>MAPA BRADFORD</u> Planter workshops for BD5 Garden Competition. The grant will be spent on wood, soil, volunteer expenses.	150.00
B & U	CC/16/19	<u>HALLFIELD CRICKET CLUB (A)</u> Towards a recruitment evening to recruit junior players. The grant will go towards kit, training sessions, trophies/awards, room hire.	380.00
B & U	CC/17/19	<u>ST JAMES COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP</u> Grant towards the start up of a monthly soup and pud lunch club, afternoon teas and curry evenings open to all ages and nationalities to eat, meet and socialise. The grant will go towards pans, soup bowls, plates, cups/saucers and tea services.	250.00
B & U	CC/18/19	<u>ST JAMES CHURCH BOLTON</u> Towards a new monthly toddler group. The grant will be spent on 2 toaster, 10 training beakers and 2 packs of child friendly plates.	56.38
I & T	CC/23/19	<u>IDLE VILLAGE EVENTS</u> Towards a community event to celebrate the Christmas Switching on of the lights. The grant would be spent on hire of stalls, a tree, 1000 flyers and public liability insurance.	300.00
ECC	CC/25/19	<u>BELDON ODDIES & RESERVES</u> Towards pitch hire, insurance, county fees, cup fees, league fees and new kits.	231.00
District Wide	CC/26/19	<u>WEST YORKSHIRE SCOUTS</u> Towards taking part in an Explorer Belt Award to Norway in July 2020. The cost is £1100 per person and includes travel, flights, insurance, accommodation, food. Each participant is also undertaking fundraising for themselves towards this.	100.00
L H	CC/28/19	<u>BRADFORD ALL STARS FC</u> Towards equipment – goals and footballs. Award winning group with over 80 children involved.	250.00
ECC	CC/29/19	<u>YKS ACADEMY OF CREATIVE ARTS & DANCE</u> Towards room hire and dance artist.	300.00

LH	CC/30/19	<u>MADNI MOSQUE</u> Towards a celebration event bringing together different culture and faiths. Expenditure includes venue hire, face painter, henna artist, bouncy castle.	300.00
District Wide	CC/31/19	<u>BRADFORD REFUGEE FORUM</u> Towards a Christmas Party for asylum seekers and refugees in Bradford to meet, mix and show case their cultures. The money will go towards venue hire, food, refreshments, transport and contingency.	100.00
ECC	CC/34/19	<u>BLOOMIN BUDS THEATRE COMPANY</u> Towards a performance called 'Under the Sea' to build confidence and showcase their work. Money will be spent on costumes, materials, refreshments, printing and volunteer expenses.	200.00
ECC	CC/35/19	<u>PARENT GROUP</u> Parent/Baby Group will use the grant to make mindfulness diaries. The grant will go towards workshop costs, materials, volunteer expenses, refreshments, travel and admin.	200.00
ECC	CC/36/19	<u>SINGING FOR HEALTH</u> Towards taking a group of elderly people to the Alhambra to watch the pantomime. CDs/DVDs will be bought and the group will use these to sing a long to. The grant will go towards the theatre tickets, DVDs, CDs and costume/props.	200.00
I & T	CC/37/19	<u>IDLE BOWLING CLUB</u> Towards a de-fibrulator, fitting and training; for use at the Bowling Club and for others visiting the park.	425.00
I & T	CC/38/19	<u>FRIENDS OF GREENGATES</u> For the Xmas tree and Xmas tree lights within Greengates Memorial Gardens and a small gift for each child who attends the Carol's Event.	500.00
LH	CC/39/19	<u>PARK AVENUE WOMEN'S SOFTBALL LEAGUE</u> For setting up a woman's softball league – cricket.	250.00
I & T	CC/41/19	<u>THACKLEY CRICKET CLUB</u> Towards the Xmas light switch on event including a local choir, mince pies and mulled wine. The money will go towards a Xmas Tree, choir fees, a portable P A system and refreshments.	426.99
I & T	CC/42/19	<u>THE PLAY NETWORK (BRADFORD)</u> Towards 2 community fun days in conjunction with planting 270 donated trees. Money will be spent on a bouncy castle, food and refreshments, crafts and staff.	435.00
LH	CC/44/19	<u>IMPACT GAMERS CIC</u> Towards a 2 hour live family show. The grant would be spent on hall hire, refreshments, prizes, presenter costs, staff time to	490.00

		prep plus advertising and fliers.	
LH	CC/48/19	<u>TOGETHER WE CAN (under SHINE W Bowling)</u> Towards banners printing for street posts – designed by local children – to encourage the community not to drop litter and to report drug dealing.	500.00
ECC	CC/49/19	<u>FAGLEY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION</u> For fun and information sessions taking place over 2 days. The grant will be spent on craft materials, board games, science materials, room hire and publication.	400.00
I & T	CC/50/19	<u>BEEAUTIFUL GREENGATES</u> Creating a new community garden and running work shops in Feb and March to involve the community in gardening. The grant will be spent on apple trees (already purchased on 7/1/20 @ £82), wildflower seeds, compost, craft materials and garden vouchers as competition prizes.	300.00
B & B	CC/52/19	<u>PETE’S PLACE – ST JOHNS BOWLING HUB</u> Weekly drop in sessions. The grant will go towards resources; food and annual trip costs. Vulnerable and isolated people get a hot meal undertake activities and have company.	300.00
B & B	CC/53/19	<u>EMERGE</u> Towards re usable non disposable cups and for a router. The group are trying to reduce waste and will also complete registers on line instead of on paper. Working with young leaders to become more eco friendly.	252.00
B & B	CC/54/19	<u>FRIENDS OF BOWLING PARK</u> Towards 2 days of events - 8 th May which will be 1940’s themed and 9 th May – Community Day of Action. Items required are – decorations, 1949s games/craft items, PA hire, marquee/tent, plants/garden resources and a 1940s singer.	500.00
ECC	CC/55/19	<u>‘SNOOP’</u> For the Help I’m Lost Cards’ scheme. The grant would be spent on a mobile phone app that hosts the page and the app launch event.	500.00

APPENDIX B

WARD	REF	PROJECT	AWARD
ECC	CC/01/20	<u>GATEWAY CENTRE</u> Towards street activities to engage the community whilst social distancing to raise awareness, confidence and wellness. The grant would go towards activities, prizes and staff salaries.	£200
ECC	CC/03/20	<u>ECCLESHILL COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION LTD</u> For a village tidy up every 4-6 weeks. The grant would be spent on an advertising banner and boards, book token prizes and litter pickers.	£160
BFD MOOR	CC/04/20	<u>FRIENDS OF BRADFORD MOOR PARK</u> For signs and banners promoting safe and responsible usage of the park in light of the Covid 19 issues.	£300
I & T	CC/05/20	<u>SPRINGFIELD CENTRE</u> Towards a facilitated event for young people. The grant is required towards the cost of the facilitator, report production and refreshments.	£375
B & B BFD MOOR	CC/06/20	<u>THE LAISTERDYKE HUB BRADFORD</u> The grant is for creative, health and educational activity packs to be given to low income families across the BD3 area.	£350
B & U B & B BFD MOOR LH	CC/07/20	<u>ATHLETICO JUNIORS FOOTBALL CLUB</u> Towards purchasing equipment so training can be done from home. This aids mental as well as physical well being. The grant will go towards footballs, hurdles and 5 short videos.	£363
B & B	CC/08/20	<u>BRADFORD PHAB</u> To deliver a new project introducing less able members to new activities they cannot access due to cost or availability via Zoom. Club contribution £700.	£350
I & T	CC/09/20	<u>IDLE BOWLING CLUB</u> To upgrade the toilets and kitchen to meet required coronavirus regulations. The grant will be spent on paper towel holders, signage, ppe and joinery work to enclose the working area.	£420
I & T	CC/11/20	<u>BELDON ODDIES & BELDON ODDIES RESERVES</u> For insurance and league fees plus new footballs.	£348
ECC	CC/12/20	<u>FRIENDS OF CHAPEL STREET CEMETERY</u> Local residents are clearing/tidying a cemetery that has suffered years of neglect. The grant is for insurance, equipment and a sign.	£458
ECC	CC/14/20	<u>ECCLESHILL VILLAGE STEERING GROUP</u> Towards Sparkle Christmas instead of the usual light switch on event due to covid. A Christmas tree will be purchased and there will be lights and other features.	£500

B & U	CC/15/20	<u>BRADFORD YOUNG SIGNERS GROUP</u> To provide deaf young people with essential life skills by undertaking 4 visits to emergency services. The grant will go towards mini buses, fuel, BSL communications and insurance.	£309
LH	CC/16/20	<u>THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD COMMUNITY CENTRE</u> Towards the feed the hungry project. The grant will go towards meat/poultry, volunteer expenses and care packs.	£500
B & B	CC/17/20	<u>HINDU CULTURAL SOCIETY OF BRADFORD</u> Towards a joint Christmas and Diwali Celebration, meal and games. If this cannot occur at the Temple due to covid, a £15 high street voucher will be posted to all members. The grant will be spent on food, gifts and decorations.	£250
I & T	CC/19/20	<u>FRIENDS OF GREENGATES CENOTAPH</u> For a Christmas tree, lights and a gift for each child.	£470
B & B	CC/23/20	<u>E BOWLING PENSIONERS CLUB</u> To pay the rent at Leicester Street Community Club.	£500
ECC	CC/24/20	<u>YORKSHIRE ACADEMY OF CREATIVE ARTS AND DANCE</u> For online delivery of their Healthy Hearts exercise project to the over 60s. Grant to be spent on yoga balls and bands.	£360
B & U	CC/25/20	<u>ST JAMES COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP</u> For a Christmas themed competition/Displays with all activities done at home. The winner will have their card distributed locally. Grant for flyers, posters, card printing, envelopes, printing and certificates.	£500
EAST WIDE	CC/26/20	<u>BRADFORD AND DISTRICT LIVE AT HOME SCHEME</u> To support older people to stay healthy, happy and independent in their own homes. Christmas celebrations are cancelled this year and many of their elderly users have no family or friends therefore hampers will be delivered to them.	£300
ECC	CC/27/20	<u>BLOOMIN BUDS THEATRE CO</u> Towards equipment to enable them to resume classes when possible and be covid safe. Until, creative packs are delivered to help stop loneliness and isolation. The grant would be spent on creative packs, covid signs, screens, visors, workshop costs and refreshments.	£200
I & T	CC/31/20	<u>THACKLEY CRICKET CLUB</u> Towards a virtual Xmas light switch on. The grant requested is for the cost and delivery of the Xmas tree.	£250
B & U	CC/29/20	<u>BRADFORD CIVIC SOCIETY</u> For installation costs of a blue plaque, part of a National scheme, on a public wall on Bolton Road to recognise the first female recipient of the George Cross in peacetime.	£250
I & T	CC/33/20	<u>BEEAUTIFUL GREENGATES</u> For an Easter egg trail, parade and craft bags for 50 families. Money will be spent on gift packs, materials, hire of personnel/costume and insurance.	£499

LH	CC/34/20	<u>BOWLING OLD LANE CRICKET CLUB</u> Towards replacing the fire exit doors. Cost is labour and doors.	£500
BFD MOOR	CC/35/20	<u>BRADFORD MAURITIAN ASSOCIATION</u> For a lap top to enable the group to communicate with members. The lap top features software containing anti-virus protection. Refer to CC/10/20 – this is a revised app.	£499
I & T	CC/36/20	<u>BRADFORD EAST GOOD NEIGHBOURS</u> A new group supporting the vulnerable by being good neighbours e.g. shopping, collecting prescriptions, befriending. The grant is for a lap top, mobile phone contract, insurance and DBS checks for volunteers. Working in partnership with BMDC and Holy Trinity Church in Idle.	£500
I & T	CC/37/20	<u>WELLBEING AND WHOLENESS COUNSELLING AGENCY</u> A new professional counselling service requiring a grant so they can help paying and non-paying customers. The grant is to enable them to do this – explanatory letter sent.	£289
ECC	CC/38/20	<u>ECCLESHILL COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION LTD</u> Towards redecorating to the main hall, lobby and staircase of the Mechanics Institute.	£500
I & T	CC/39/20	<u>THE SPRINGFIELD CENTRE</u> Towards restocking 1 ST aid equipment for the centre and towards training. Trustees will pay ½ of the cost of volunteer training.	£500
I & T	CC/40/20	<u>SPRINGFIELD CENTRE YOUTH</u> Towards street art workshops and media box painting for youth at Springfield Youth Centre. The grant will be spent on workshops and materials.	£500

Appendix C

Cleaner Streets Fund Grants 2020/21

About the funding

1. The Cleaner Streets Fund has been made possible by Bradford Council and Bradford Councillors commitment to help extend the 'People Can' campaign, supporting volunteer and community-led action / ideas that help make a difference to our district's environment, neighbourhoods and places of community interest.
2. Keeping Bradford district clean is a top priority for the Council, our partners and communities. Cleaner streets enhance community pride and make areas much more attractive places to live, visit and do business.
3. A total of £250,000 has been made available to apply for as grants for community-led activities with £50,000 allocated to each area constituency Bradford East, Bradford West, Bradford South, Shipley and Keighley for the period April 2020 / March 2021.
4. Between 2019 / 2020 the Council have supported more than 200 environmental initiatives including community-led litter picks across the district thanks to the efforts of 6,000+ volunteers.
5. The Cleaner Streets Fund supports to extend the People Can movement in Bradford through positive environmental social action empowering communities to help improve local areas and local priorities. It's a chance for communities to get together and put forward community-led ideas and projects that will help make our streets and areas cleaner. It's a chance to get even more people engaged with helping to make a positive difference in their local areas.

Aims of the fund

The funding has six key aims:

1. To help make our neighbourhoods, towns and village centres look their best.
2. To support community involvement and volunteering in environmental improvements by testing new community-led ideas and approaches.
3. To help build on existing positive social action and / or create new networks, projects and activities which encourage positive social action.
4. To help support self-sustaining groups and sustainable ways of bringing positive environmental improvements e.g. helping to encourage volunteers to adopt streets, become street champions etc.
5. To help develop local campaigns to encourage more reporting of people littering and fly-tipping to support increasing issuing litter fines and prosecutions.
6. To help raise awareness of the impact and consequences of environmental crime and anti-social behaviour.

How much is available?

- Grants of up to £2000 are available and we anticipate that many grants will be much less than this. This will be restricted to a maximum of £2,000 per organisation across the district.
- We particularly welcome applications for smaller project costs.
- Groups can apply for funding to support their own activity.
- We will be aiming to ensure that funding is spread around the district's wards and will ask that groups feedback on the difference it has made.
- Bradford Council's Ward Officers will encourage groups to apply from across all wards to this fund.
- Groups are encouraged to provide match funding where this is possible.

Who can apply?

- We welcome applications from, or supported by constituted voluntary groups and organisations, places of worship, Friends of Groups, charities, parish and town councils.
- We are keen to support the development of new groups and new ideas. You therefore do not need to be a registered charity or established group to apply.
- We are particularly keen to support areas where there has historically been less community involvement in keeping the local area clean and tidy and will be looking at other ways we can support this.
- We recognise that community activity is often on an informal basis and aim to be flexible to accommodate that while putting appropriate safeguards in place. We may request references.

Where can it be spent?

- The funding is available is open district wide to all Wards and will be administered through the Council's Area Co-ordinator's Offices.
- Funding must be spent within 12 months of the date of the grant award being made.

What can it be spent on?

- The grant funding can be used to cover a range of costs as long as they are in line with the aims of the fund set out above. For example:
- Buying tools such as litter pickers and high visibility vests for community tidy ups
- Cleaning up graffiti
- Buying plants, paint and brushes or other equipment to smarten up an area
- Signage or training
- Publicity material, venue or refreshment costs for community events
- Designing out environmental crime in littered areas and local 'grot' spots.
- Funding cannot be used to pay for staff costs or to pay people for their time.

Applications will be considered by the Bradford East Area Grants Advisory Group in partnership with the Area Co-ordinators Office. We will inform applicants about the outcome of their application as soon as possible.

APPENDIX C

WARD	REF	PROJECT	AWARD
ECC	CS/02/20	<u>FRIENDS OF CHAPEL STREET CEMETERY</u> For tidying up a neglected cemetery and making it a pleasant area for all to enjoy. The grant will be spent on a noticeboard, seating, tulip and daffodil bulb, bat boxes and publicity flyers.	£1933
B & B	CS/03/20	<u>FRIENDS OF BOWLING PARK</u> Towards restoring the park to its former glory making it pleasant for all to enjoy. The grant will go towards safety equipment, equipment, promotional banners and planting resources.	£1970
L H	CS/05/20	<u>NEIGHBOURHOOD RESOURCE CENTRE</u> For positive diversionary activities for disadvantaged young people. They'll be cleaning streets and this will raise awareness. The grant will be used for tools, equipment, room hire and refreshments.	£1700
I & T	CS/07/20	<u>BEEAUTIFUL GREENGATES</u> To help make Greengates a cleaner and more beautiful place to live. The grant is for litter bins, promotional stickers, paying Aruba Landscapes for prep work, benches and wild flowers.	£2,000
BFD MOOR	CS/08/20	<u>FRIENDS OF BRADFORD MOOR PARK</u> To maintain the cleanliness and natural beauty of this park. The grant will be spent on equipment, marketing materials, waterproof ponchos, a notice board and a community event.	£2,000
LH	CS/09/20	<u>WEST BOWLING COMMUNITY ADVICE AND TRAINING CENTRE</u> To create a community garden at the side of the centre. Grant to be spent on seeds, herbs, flowers, compost, equipment, wood fencing and associated costs plus hand sanitizer, face masks and wipes.	£1,600
B & B BFD MOOR	CS/13/20	<u>KARMAND COMMUNITY CENTRE</u> To encourage local residents to take more responsibility for the Gilpin Street/Feather Road areas and develop a community garden. The grant will be spent on equipment, storage box, publicity and room hire.	£1737
B & B	CS/15/20	<u>BRADFORD TRIDENT</u> To educate residents and keep the streets litter free – volunteers already are a mix of many different backgrounds and religions. The grant will be match funded with staff time and is for plants, bushes, trees, seeds, recycling bins, gloves, compost and refreshments.	£2,000
I & T	CS/16/20	<u>THE GROVE AND WOODBINE STREET COMMUNITY GROUP</u> For brightening up the back alley with blossom trees and plants in large tubs plus a clean up. The grant will be spent on a skip, containers, top soil, stakes, plants, sprayer and weed killer.	£1,183
BFD MOOR	CS/18/20	<u>Leeds Road Action Group</u> The group want to develop the capacity of volunteers and enable them engage residents in clean ups, encourage cleaner greener	£2000

		garden leading on to a gardening competition. The grant will be spent on 6 Clean Ups, tools, equipment and a celebration event.	
BFD MOOR	CS/19/20	<u>Bradford Moor Play and Support Services</u> To focus on behaviour change re littering/fly tipping. To improve the look/image of Folkestone Str, Sandford and Fitzroy Rd. The grant will be spent on ppe and equipment.	£2000
ECC	CS/20/20	<u>Fagley in Bloom/Ravenscliffe Youth Association</u> To plant bulbs/veg in green spaces to hopefully combat fly tipping and encourage families to grow their own and help themselves. Staff and volunteer times is match funding.	£900
B & U	CS/21/20	<u>Undercliffe Cemetery Charity</u> Towards pesticide treatment and the clean up of Japanese knotweed from the cemetery. Grant is for 2 pesticide spraying courses, equipment, PPE and warning signs.	£1317
B & B	CS/22/20	<u>E:merge</u> For young people to form social action projects working with community groups and help tidy up/garden with Friends of Bowling Park/Paley Road area. Grant for a mini bus, venues, equipment, cleaning/catering resources, ppe and a challenge day.	£1120
BFD MOOR	CS/23/20	<u>Bradford4Better</u> For a clean streets app – to develop and engage citizens to become more involved in keeping their street and neighbourhoods clean. The grant would be spent on developing the infrastructure, database, design and build, marketing, volunteers ppe/cleaning packs.	£2000
BFD MOOR	CS/24/20	<u>Thornbury Neighbourhood Watch Group</u> To encourage gardening and also to grow herbs; adopt and guide 60 households on Thornbury Dve and Rushton Rd and give them a gardening pack. Grant for a twice yearly leaflet, gardening equipment, weed sprayer/killer, herbs, seed and refreshments.	£2000
I & T	CS/25/20	<u>Ballantyne Road NHW</u> To reclaim the area under a disused railway bridge currently used by people to drink, smoke and create a nuisance. There will be weekly sessions to cut back and clean up. The grant will be spent on Woods Waller estimate, concrete, soil, sleepers, plaque and compost.	£1723
LH	CS/26/20	<u>West Bowling Activity Group</u> To educate parents/children to understand the causes of litter. To work together/take pride in the area by educating/recycling/ litter picks and have local champions encourage people not to throw litter. The grant will be spent on litter picks, ppe, marketing and refreshments.	£1450
ECC	CS/27/20	<u>Ravenscliffe Residents – supported by Gateway Centre</u> For bulb planting in public green spaces. There will be planting workshops and a garden competition – helps positivity and well being. The grant will be spent on bulbs, garden centre vouchers for the competition, containers, bedding plants, hand tools and	£1625

		gloves.	
B & U	CS/28/20	<u>St James Community Partnership</u> Brightening up BD2, clearing overgrown areas, planting shrubs and bulbs on grass verges. The grant will be spent on bulbs, shrubs, raised beds, maintaining the church garden, encouraging community involvement and environmental awareness.	£2000
L H	CS/29/20	<u>Madrasah Nurul Quran Charity No 1139549</u> For events over a couple of weeks for the local community to work together cleaning, tidying and removing fly tipping from Parkside. The grant will be spent on 8 skips, litter pickers, bin bags, brushes, shovels, ppe, notice board, laminator, printer and ink, hand wash/sanitizers and food, drink and refreshments.	£1200
ECC	CS/30/20	<u>Residents of Chapel Street</u> To improve the appearance/safety at the end of the street – at the dead end. Boulders will be used to break up the grass are and bulbs will be planted. Grant to be spent on the provision and installation of the boulders and bulbs that resident will plant themselves.	£1872
ECC	CS/31/20	<u>Friends of Eccleshill Rec</u> To improve the bio-diversity of Ecc Rec Ground by planting bulbs, wildflowers, grasses etc to attract bees/butterflies etc. The grant will be spent on bulbs, planters, bark chippings, bird/bat boxes, wildflower seeds/plants, face masks and First Aid Kits.	£1311
BFD MOOR	CS/32/20	<u>Charles Ave Residents Group</u> To keep the local area clean and safe by addressing littering and anti social behaviour. Clean ups and a garden competition would be undertaken. The grant will be spent on gardening equipment, compost, soil, seeds, books and weed killer/sprayers.	£1542
ECC	CS/33/20	<u>Ravenscliffe Youth Association</u> Working with the young ambassadors and local residents to improve a local space /take pride in it. It will be cleaned and bulbs planted. The grant will be spent on a bench, bulbs, soil, seeds and shrubs	£670
LH	CS/34/20	<u>UPPER CASTLE STREET/SPRINGMILL STREET RESIDENTS GROUP</u> Aim to get others including the EE community to take pride in their local parks/streets to try to reduce social decay in the area. The grant is for leaflets (in different languages), signage, tools, equipment, planters, rubbish and recycle bins, skip hire, ppe and a public event.	£2000
B & U	CC/20/20	<u>ST ANDREWS METHODIST CHURCH</u> Towards a bi monthly litter pick. Grant is for equipment and PPE.	£567.00
ECC	CS/35/20	<u>RAVENSCLIFFE YOUNG AMBASSADORS</u> For improvements to the community memorial; improve fencing and make it presentable. Grant for materials and the labour costs.	£630
B & U	CS/38/20	<u>BOLTON & UNDERCLIFFE YOUNG AMBASSADORS</u> To adopt, renovate and install a bench and notice board at Boars Well Nature Reserve/link in with the Tree Project; establish an	£1300.00

		orchard area with a bench at the land next to the Greenwood Centre for communal space. Grant for bench, notice board, ppe and plants.	
I & T	CS/39/20	<p align="center"><u>THE SPRINGFIELD YOUTH CENTRE TEAM</u></p> <p>For a junior 'friends of' group to work on Haigh Beck in conjunction with the Aire Rivers Trust. Grant for resources and the technical expertise of the Aire Rivers Trust plus water testing equipment and the creation of materials.</p>	£1300.00
LH	CS/40/20	<p align="center"><u>PARKSIDE YOUTH GROUP</u></p> <p>Woodroyd Garden of Hope – to create a safe outside area for young people in the evenings. The grant will be spent on planters, tools, fencing, bamboo, plants and paint.</p>	£1300.00
BFD MOOR	CS/42/20	<p align="center"><u>BRADFORD MOOR PLAY AND SUPPORT SERVICES (PASS)</u></p> <p>To clean up Attock Park/plant flowers/plants at the community garden. The grant will be spent on lighting, flowers, seeds, equipment, refreshments, insurance and children's wellies.</p>	£1025.00
B & B	CS/43/20	<p align="center"><u>BOWLING AND BARKEREND YOUNG AMBASSADORS</u></p> <p>To identify local cleaner, greener champions - design posters to display across the ward and encourage long term community involvement. Work with young people to raise awareness of fly tipping and educate. The grant will be spent on 12 fence mounted acrylics, plants, garden tools, stationary plus arts and craft materials.</p>	£1025.00

Appendix D

Social Cohesion Innovation Grants 2020/21

Bradford for Everyone is the new delivery name for the Stronger Communities Together Strategy.

The Cohesion and Integration Innovation Fund is about stimulating new thinking, building new partnerships and testing innovative approaches.

About the funding

The Innovation Fund would like to hear your ideas on how to improve Integration and Cohesion in your neighbourhood. We will fund bids that meet one of our four priorities in the Stronger Communities Together Strategy.

Keighley Constituency has been allocated £10,000 and we are seeking to fund a small number of bold and ambitious community led projects.

Our programme focusses on four key areas and your application should address one of these:

Getting On - Address factors affecting economic participation and language skills.

- Trialling new ways of learning English and the up-skilling of ESOL teachers. Identify ways to promote the progression of BAME people, young people, women and white working class communities in to work.

Getting Along - Promote greater interaction, dialogue and understanding between people from different backgrounds; ensuring that people understand fully their rights and freedoms and their responsibilities.

- Activities that develop meaningful and difficult conversations with all communities, develop critical thinking and build long term connections between groups.

Getting Involved - Generating and connecting people to opportunities to participate in community and civic life and strengthening leadership.

- Projects that address intergroup discrimination, raise aspirations and support the integration of new communities. Ideas to support communities who are not ready to engage will be of interest including campaigning where communities can be brought together.

Feeling Safe - Tackling hate crime and the fear of hate crime so that everyone feels safe.

- We are also keen to find innovative solutions to environmental issues that may be negatively impacting upon integration outcomes – e.g. litter, dangerous driving - as well as how shared environmental goals and spaces might help build stronger, healthier and more resilient communities at street, local or district level.

If you have identified other gaps and have an idea please get in touch with us to discuss.

We will be looking to support projects or activities that:

- Contribute to one of the programme priorities

- Do not duplicate local projects
- Can measure impact
- Are innovative and experimental
- Add value to existing initiatives
- Demonstrate how projects have been co-designed with partners and communities
- Have collaborated with other partners

All activities must look to engage **all communities** which primarily focus on those in deprived communities. We are looking for social mixing to be embedded across all of our activities.

We will not provide funding for:

- Costs outside what has been agreed in the project.
- Salaries, PR, marketing and related events organised by the applicant that do not directly support the proposed project.
- Extending a pre-existing project's length
- Spending on contingency costs, loans, endowments of interest payments and recoverable VAT.
- Alcohol or gambling
- Political campaigning.
- The promotion of religious beliefs.

Amounts we will fund

- **Grants of up to £1,000**

Eligibility Criteria

The *Innovation Fund* is open to applications from a wide range of organisations. We are willing to support proposals that meet the following eligibility criteria:

- Organisations must be legally constituted, although groups that are not formally constituted should request for a lead organisation to be the accountable body. Bradford Council, individuals, sole traders and limited liability partnerships are not eligible
- Organisations must have a registered bank account in the name of the organisation, and they must be able to demonstrate fair and transparent governance arrangements including an Equal Opportunities policy
- Organisations working with children or vulnerable adults will need to demonstrate appropriate safeguarding policies
- An organisation can only be the lead partner on one bid per funding round
- A group or organisation can only apply once per round.

Evaluation and Monitoring

We are committed to ensuring that projects supported through the grant measure the positive outcomes they achieve.

Applicants will be expected to help us think about how the success of the project might be measured from the start. Applicants must be willing to share additional unidentifiable information as required by the programme and collect data before and at the end of the project and share this data with Bradford Council. Applicants must ensure they comply with data protection regulations.

What we learn from the grant will be disseminated widely.

Process

Step 1: Application Form

Our Ward Officers can offer advice around how to strengthen your bid. If you require assistance with your application then please feel free to contact one of our Ward Officers on 01274 431066. Please ensure if you'd like to take up this opportunity you do so with plenty of time before the deadline date!

Step 2: Evaluation

Application forms will be reviewed and approved by a panel made up of Councillors on the Grants Advisory Group.

Grants Awarded: Appendix D

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WARD	REF	PROJECT	AWARD
ECC	IF/01/20	<p align="center"><u>Woodland Clear up & Preservation Project</u></p> <p>Working with adults with learning difficulties transitioning from school to adulthood they'll encourage and teach outdoor activities and help clean up the woods. The grant would be spent on staff and volunteer training, learning module, marking and certificates and a camera.</p>	750.00
B & B	IF/02/20	<p align="center"><u>East Bowling Pensioners Club</u></p> <p>For afternoon tea, playing bingo, mixing and relaxing. The grant would be spent on cups, plates, spoons, serviettes and bingo books.</p>	500.00
ECC	IF/03/20	<p align="center"><u>Friends of Greengates Cenotaph</u></p> <p>Stronger Community through art – to promote community involvement and pride through street art – the initial focus being on media boxes and utility cabinets. The grant would be spent on media and materials.</p>	1000.00
B & U	IF/05/20	<p align="center"><u>St James Community Hall</u></p> <p>Items for mums/baby group – toys, gym mats, a taster session, running costs and publicity.</p>	1000.00
BFD MOOR	IF/06/20	<p align="center"><u>Friends of Bradford Moor Park</u></p> <p>For a Happy Bench where residents can sit and chat socially distanced and aid health and cohesion.</p>	1000.00
B & B	IF/07/20	<p align="center"><u>Karmand Community Centre</u></p> <p>For 2 coach trips to Blackpool and Filey to bridge gaps in communities and promote interaction between them.</p>	1000.00
ECC	IF/08/20	<p align="center"><u>Castaways</u></p> <p>Towards a relaunch of the community choir and theatre group. The grant will go towards hall hire, pianist, a social event and catering to relaunch.</p>	1000.00
B & U	IF/09/20	<p align="center"><u>ST ANDREWS COVID MEMORIAL</u></p> <p>To develop the land in front of the church into a memorial garden as a focal point and a place for people to reflect on the effects of the pandemic. The grant will be spent on a bench, planter and path repairs.</p>	1000.00
BFD MOOR	IF/10/20	<p align="center"><u>LAISTERDYKE HUB</u></p> <p>To bring youth groups together to support Eid Mela during the summer In Bradford Moor. The grant is for resources for activities, bouncy castle, marquee, DJ and leaflets.</p>	750.00
B & B	IF/11/20	<p align="center"><u>NEIGHBOURHOOD RESOURCE CENTRE</u></p> <p>Using outdoor activities mainly football to encourage youths from different communities to come together through sport; to develop friendships and improve health. The grant will be spent on coaching and resources.</p>	1000.00
LH	IF/12/20	<p align="center"><u>WEST BOWLING YOUTH INITIATIVE</u></p> <p>To enable our new women and girls group to run and manage a series of workshops and sessions that promote community and social cohesion. Funds to be used for arts resources, Vol expenses, Room Hire and Workshops</p>	1000.00