



Report of the Bradford South Area Co-ordinator to the meeting of Bradford South Area Committee to be held on 17th March 2022

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Subject:

2021 / 2022 - BRADFORD SOUTH GRANTS

Summary statement:

This report summarises the grants that have been awarded in the Bradford South Constituency from 2021 to 2022.

Equality & Diversity:

All of the funding opportunities are open to, and actively promoted to, groups, organisations and individuals working in and with all the communities in the Bradford South Area.

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Overview & Scrutiny Area:

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1. SUMMARY

This report summarises the grants that have been awarded in the Bradford South Constituency from 2021 to 2022.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 The Youth and Community Chest Budget exists to support and enable a wide range of community based projects and activities to be developed to benefit communities across Bradford South.
- 2.2 The Sports Community Chest (Future Boost) grant is intended for young people aged 18-25 to enable groups and organisations which met with the criteria to have grant to purchase sports equipment or towards sports activities.
- 2.3 The Climate Action Fund is intended to help communities through initiatives that can reduce our collective carbon footprint, support sustainable development and raise awareness of climate change in the Bradford South area. Applications which met with the criteria were considered.
- 2.4 The Cleaner Streets, Parks and Open Spaces budget is intended to support volunteer and community led action/ideas that help make a difference to the environment, neighbourhoods and places of community interest in the Bradford South area.
- 2.5 The Additional Restrictions Grant - VCS Support Scheme is intended to support businesses from all sectors that may have been severely impacted by Covid-19 restrictions but are not eligible for the mandatory grant schemes. This scheme, with a total value of £1m for the district to award and direct grants to each area through the area officers.
- 2.6 For all the grants Bradford South Area Co-ordinator's Office, assesses the received applications and prepares Officer Recommendations.
- 2.7 The applications from each Ward are sent to the individual Ward Councillors with a request for comments, which inform the decision making process.
- 2.8 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, whose membership is the Chair, Deputy Chair and Opposition Spokesperson of the Area Committee.
- 2.9 It is also possible, when decisions need to be taken outside the formal process, that the Area Co-ordinator can decide on an application having consulted individually the Members of the Grants Advisory Group.

3. OTHER CONSIDERATIONS

- 3.1 55 applications for Youth and Community Chest Grants were awarded to community groups during the financial year of 2021/2022, a breakdown of which is shown in Appendix A.

- 3.2 19 applications for Future Boost (Sports Community Chest) Grants were awarded to community groups during the financial year of 2021/2022, a breakdown of which is shown in Appendix B.
- 3.3 13 applications for The Climate Action Fund were awarded to community groups during the financial year of 2021/2022, a breakdown of which is shown in Appendix C.
- 3.4 14 applications for Cleaner Streets, Parks and Open Spaces Grants were awarded to community groups during the financial year of 2021/2022, a breakdown of which is shown in Appendix D.
- 3.5 11 applications for Additional Restrictions Grants were awarded to community groups from Bradford South. Bradford South contributed towards 16 other applications that were shared with other areas during the financial year of 2021/2022. A breakdown of which is shown in Appendix E.

4. FINANCIAL & RESOURCE APPRAISAL

- 4.1 The Youth and Community Chest budget for the Bradford South Constituency was £20,000.
- 4.2 The Sports Community Chest (Future Boost) budget was £30,000.
- 4.3 Climate Action Fund budget was £60,000.
- 4.4 Cleaner Streets, Parks and Open Spaces budget was £50,000.
- 4.5 Additional Restrictions Grant budget was £183,700.

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 EQUALITY & DIVERSITY

- 7.1.1 In awarding Youth and Community Chest Grants, special consideration is given to particular disadvantaged groups including the elderly, people with disabilities, youth, ethnic minorities and people who are unemployed. In addition, special consideration is given to particular areas i.e. inner city areas and Social housing estates.

7.2 SUSTAINABILITY IMPLICATIONS

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

7.3 GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS IMPACTS

- 7.3.1 The Climate Action fund aims to have an impact on reducing greenhouse gas emissions. Greenhouse gas emissions and wider environmental impacts will be a consideration in assessing applications.

7.4 COMMUNITY SAFETY IMPLICATIONS

- 7.4.1 Recipients of the Community Chest grant were instructed to follow the national Covid guidance when carrying out any activities.
- 7.4.2 A number of the projects supported are either directly or indirectly concerned with improving community safety within local communities.

7.5 HUMAN RIGHTS ACT

- 7.5.1 There are no implications.

7.6 TRADE UNION

- 7.6.1 There are no implications.

7.7 WARD IMPLICATIONS

- 7.7.1 Projects are undertaken in all wards of the Bradford South area.

8. NOT FOR PUBLICATION DOCUMENTS

- 8.1 None.

9. OPTIONS

- 9.1 None.

10. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 10.1 That the wide range of applications from groups and organisations across Bradford South are noted and welcomed.
- 10.2 That the Grants Advisory Group is thanked for their work in allocating all of the grants from the past financial year – 2021/2022.

11. APPENDICES

APPENDIX A	Breakdown of Youth and Community Chest Grants from 2021/2022 and the Criteria.
APPENDIX B	Breakdown of The Sports Community Chest (Future Boost) Grants from 2021/2022 and the Criteria.
APPENDIX C	Breakdown of Climate Action Fund from 2021/2022.
APPENDIX D	Breakdown of Cleaner Streets, Parks and Open Spaces Grants from 2021/2022.
APPENDIX E	Breakdown of Additional Restrictions Grants from 2021/2022.

12. BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

None.

Breakdown of Youth and Community Chest Grants in 2021 / 2022

WARD	ROUND	GROUP / ORGNATISATON	AMOUNT
Wibsey	May	Wibsey Clean Team (Wibsey Events Group)	£500
Tong	May	Step 2 Young People's Health	£500
Royds	May	Step 2 Young People's Health	£400
Wibsey	May	Marshfield Odsal Bankfoot Enterprise	£350
Tong	May	Holme Wood Town FC	£498
Royds	August	Royds Community Association	£500
Wibsey	August	Wibsey Events Group	£500
Royds	August	Shoulder 2 Shoulder	£500
Royds	August	Friends of Harold Park	£500
Royds	August	Footprints Family Centre	£328
Great Horton	August	St. Wilfrid's Lidget Green	£500
Wyke	August	Ontrak	£500
Queensbury	October	Queensbury Community Programme	£500
Wyke	October	Norman Lodge Resource Centre	£300
Wibsey	October	Wibsey Community Friendship Group	£500
Great Horton	October	St Johns Great Horton	£500
Great Horton	October	Horton Bank Top Community Foodbank	£500
Wyke	October	Oakenshaw Community Choir	£350
Royds	October	69th Bradford South Scout Group	£500
Great Horton	October	113th Bradford Guides	£500
Wibsey	October	Bradford South Scouts Explore Low Moor	£500
Wibsey	October	St. Mathews Friendship Group Club	£500
Wyke	January	Friends of Wyke Recreation Ground	£350
Wyke	January	Friends of Worthing Head Allotment Association	£450
Great Horton	January	Field Ladies AFC	£500
Great Horton	February	Friends of Brackenhill Park	£300
Great Horton	February	Field Sports and Community Association	£300

Great Horton	February	34 th Bradford South Scout Group	£300
Queensbury	February	Wibsey Warriors and Juniors	£300
Tong	February	Holmewood Town Juniors F.C	£300
Wyke	February	Wyke Veterans Bowling Club	£300
Wyke	February	Norman Lodge Resources centre	£300
Royds	February	Step 2 Young People's Health	£300
Wibsey	February	Wibsey Park Bowling Club	£300
Queensbury	February	Friends of Queensbury High Street	£300
Queensbury	February	Queensbury Community Programme	£300
Tong	February	St. James Churchyard Team (Tong Holmewood parish)	£300
Royds	February	Friends of Harold	£300
Wibsey	February	Wibsey Events group	£300
Royds	February	Sandale Community Development Trust	£300
Wyke	February	Bradford and District Senior Power	£300
Royds	February	Shoulder 2 Shoulder	£300
Royds	February	69th Bradford South Scouts (Buttershaw)	£200
Tong	February	Sutton Stars	£200
Tong	February	BHT Early Education & Training	£200
Queensbury	February	Queensbury History Society	£200
Royds, Wibsey, Wyke	February	51st Bradford Guides	£200
Great Horton	February	Scholemoor Community	£200
Great Horton	February	St.Wilfrids Church Lidget Green	£200
Queensbury	February	Friends of Littlemoor park	£300
Wyke	February	Motive8 College	£300
Queensbury	February	Queensbury Juniors ARLFC	£300
Great Horton	February	MMTQ Iqra Children's Library	£300
Royds, Wibsey, Wyke	February	Diocese of Leeds Mary, Mother of god	£379
Wibsey	February	Wibsey Community Friendship Group	£300
		TOTAL	£19,905

CRITERIA FOR APPLICATIONS

1. Applications will only be considered from groups/organisations that either operate in, or benefit people who live in, the Bradford South Constituency area.
2. Applications will be considered to assist community-based activities that will be of benefit to the community, and where the activity could not go ahead without financial assistance.
3. Special consideration will be given to particular target groups including the elderly, disabled, youth, ethnic minorities, unemployed and to particular communities (e.g. inner city areas, estates, etc.) and to new starts and innovatory schemes.
4. Bids from new groups or previously unfunded groups will be positively encouraged.
5. Grants may be used to complement other sources of funding. Bradford South Area Co-ordinator's Office expects organisations to make every effort to be self-supporting and will favour grants where other money has been secured.
6. The maximum allocation from the Youth and Community Chest would not exceed £500 for any individual project. Projects that cross boundaries can be considered by a number of Area Co-ordinator's Offices, but the total grant will not exceed £500.
7. Projects should not contravene Equality Legislation (i.e., no discrimination of membership on grounds of gender, race, religion, sexual orientation, pregnancy, disability, age or gender reassignment).
8. The organisation should be a non-profit making voluntary organisation where membership is open.
9. Grants cannot be awarded for events/purchases that have taken place before the application deadline dates. i.e. retrospective payments.
10. No group that has applied for and received funding in consecutive years should automatically assume that funding will continue. Each application will be treated on its merits.
11. Groups/organisations should normally expect only one grant per financial year.
12. Youth and Community Chest cannot be used in support of religious or political activities, or capital expenditure exclusively connected with such activities.
13. Youth and Community Chest is not normally used to enable fundraising for a secondary body, unless within the terms of a loss guarantee.
14. Groups/organisations must ensure that all statutory (and/or legal) Health and Safety requirements are complied with and, where appropriate, advice must be obtained and followed.

Breakdown of Sports Community Chest (Future Boost) Grants in 2021 / 2022

WARD	ROUND	GROUP / ORGNATISATON	AMOUNT
Queensbury	August	Queensbury Community Programme	£931.53
Wyke	October	Sedbergh Community Centre	£815
Great Horton	October	Horton Bank Top Community Foodbank	£1,000
Great Horton	October	Red Letter Project	£1,000
Great Horton	October	Lidget Green Healthy Living Centre	£840
Wyke	January	Sandale Community Development Trust	£1,858
Queensbury, Tong, Royds, Wyke, Wibsey	January	Bradford (Park Avenue) AFC CIC	£2,500
Great Horton	January	Field Ladies AFC	£2,500
Wibsey	February	Wibsey Rugby Club	£1,600
Great Horton	February	Scholemoor Beacon	£2,000
Wyke	February	Low Moor Cricket Club	£2,000
Royds	February	Shoulder to Shoulder	£1,407
Wyke	February	Sedbergh Youth & Community Centre:	£1,279
Wyke	February	Wyke Wanderers AF	£2,162
Great Horton, Queensbury	February	Masjid At Taqwa (Horton bank education centre)	£2,000
Great Horton	February	Field Sports & Community Association	£2,000
Wibsey	February	Bradford South Explorer Scouts	£500
Wibsey	February	Buttershaw St Pauls Cricket Club	£2,000
Wyke	February	Wyke Rugby League Football club	£1,600
		Total	£29,992.53

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3. Special consideration will be given to particular target groups including the elderly, disabled, youth, ethnic minorities, unemployed and to particular communities (e.g. inner city areas, estates, etc.) and to new starts and innovatory schemes.
4. Bids from new groups or previously unfunded groups will be positively encouraged.
5. Grants may be used to complement other sources of funding. Bradford South Area Co-ordinator's Office expects organisations to make every effort to be self-supporting and will favour grants where other money has been secured.
6. The maximum allocation from the Sports Community Chest would not exceed £2,500 for any individual project. Projects that cross boundaries can be considered by a number of Area Co-ordinator's Offices, but the total grant will not exceed £2,500.
7. Projects should not contravene Equality Legislation (i.e., no discrimination of membership on grounds of gender, race, religion, sexual orientation, pregnancy, disability, age or gender reassignment).
8. The organisation should be a non-profit making voluntary organisation where membership is open.
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Breakdown of The Climate Action Fund in 2021 / 2022

WARD	ROUND	GROUP / ORGNATISATON	AMOUNT
Great Horton	First	Great Horton Park Chapel Cricket Club	£3,052.56
Tong	First	Kyffin Place Community Centre	£4,500.00
Great Horton	First	Scholemoor Beacon CIO	£4,919.00
Wibsey	First	Bradford Organic Communities Service Ltd	£4,972.00
Royds	First	Royds Community Association	£2,350.00
Royds	First	Sandale Community Development Trust	£3,227.60
Wibsey	First	20th Bradford South Scout Group	£3,713.50
Great Horton	First	Yorkshire Wildlife Trust	£4,953.00
All Wards	First	Margaret Carey Foundation	£4,900.00
Tong	First	Bierley Community Association Ltd	£5,000.00
Royds	First	Reevy Hill Primary School	£2,975.68
Queensbury	Second	Friends of Westwood Park	£5,000
Wyke	Second	Sedbergh Youth & Community Centre	£2,119.69
		Total	£51,683.05

Breakdown of The Cleaner Streets, Parks and Open Spaces grants in 2021 / 2022

WARD	GROUP / ORGNATISATON	AMOUNT
Wibsey	Wibsey Events Group (Wibsey Clean Team)	£675.00
Great Horton	Red Letter Project	£662.02
Wibsey	Friends of Scaley Hills	£1,580.00
Tong	Bierley Community Association Ltd	£300.00
Great Horton	Lidget Green Healthy Living Centre	£265.00
Wibsey	BOCS Ltd	£514.55
Great Horton	St Wilfrids Church - Lidget	£1,802.00
Royds	Royds Community Association	£1,496.00
Wyke	Friends of Wyke Recreation Ground	£1,600.00
Queensbury	Friends of Westwood Park	£1,210.00
Wyke	LOWER	£1,500.00
Royds	Shoulder to Shoulder	£3,600.00
Tong	E:merge UK Company Limited	£1,200.00
Great Horton	Legrams Lane Allotment Association	£1,300.00
	Total	£17,704.57

Breakdown of Additional Restrictions Grant grants in 2021 / 2022

AREA	GROUP / ORGNATISATON		AMOUNT
Bradford South	St Christopher's Good Neighbour Project		£14,121
Bradford South	Scholemoor Beacon CIO		£4,715
Bradford South	Bradford and District Senior Power (BDSP)		£6,142
Bradford South	The Valley Project		£14,022
Bradford South	Kyffin Place Community Centre (The Sutton Centre)		£13,500
Bradford South	Bradford (Park Avenue) AFC CIC		£22,180
Bradford South	Sedbergh Youth & Community Centre		£10,143
Bradford South	STEP2 Young People's Health		£3,919
Bradford South	Ontrak Community Initiative		£16,365
TOTAL			£105,107
Bradford South and East	E:merge	TOTAL	£17,370
TOTAL PAID BY BRADFORD SOUTH			£17,370
Bradford South and West	Bradford Organic Communities Service (BOCS)	TOTAL	£5,000
TOTAL PAID BY BRADFORD SOUTH			£5,000
Bradford South/West and East	Bradford South contributed £21,000 to be divided proportionately among these projects	FULL AMOUNT	£63,810
TOTAL PAID BY BRADFORD SOUTH			£21,000
District Wide	Bradford South contributed £35,000 to be divided proportionately among these projects	FULL AMOUNT	£90,300
TOTAL PAID BY BRADFORD SOUTH			£35,000
FINAL TOTAL			£183,477