

EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL

NORTHERN LOCAL GRANTS COMMITTEE

MINUTE OF MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 18 AUGUST 2010 AT 1400 HOURS IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, COUNCIL HEADQUARTERS, LONDON ROAD, KILMARNOCK

PRESENT: Councillors Robert McDill, Rose-Ann Cuninghame, John MacKay, John McGhee, Alan Brown, Stuart Finlayson and Provost Stephanie Young.

ATTENDING: Eddie Bulik, Monitoring and Administration Officer, Neighbourhood Services; Margaret MacBain, Senior Practitioner, Community Learning and Development; and Christine Baillie, Senior Administrative Officer.

CHAIR: Councillor Robert McDill, Chair.

LOCAL COMMUNITY GRANTS SCHEME 2010/11

UPDATE FROM MEETING HELD ON 19 MAY 2010

1. There was submitted a report dated 29 July 2010 (circulated) by the Executive Director of Finance and Corporate Support which provided Members with an update on applications considered by the Northern Local Grants Committee at its meeting held on 19 May 2010.

It was agreed:-

- (i) to note that the previous meeting had been held on 19 May 2010 and not 5 May 2010 as detailed in the report;
- (ii) to note the update in respect of Item 3.4.1 Newmilns and Greenholm Seniors Cabin, that a satisfactory assessment had now been received and that the grant would be released shortly;
- (iii) to note the position with regard to all other applications as detailed in paragraph 3 of the report; and
- (iv) otherwise, to note the contents of the report.

COMMUNITY GRANTS TO LOCAL ORGANISATIONS 2010/11

2. There was submitted a report dated 10 August 2010 (circulated) by the Executive Director of Finance and Corporate Support on the financial position in respect of Community Grants to Local Organisations 2010/11 together with individual assessment reports (circulated) in respect of the undernoted applications.

The Committee agreed as follows:-

(a) Arts and Cultural

- (i) Stewarton Academy Productions (CG 4536) (Item 2(a), Page 1164, 07/12) - £1,600 and that the group be advised that if they applied to the Local Grants Committee for funding in the future then they should, if possible, have a separate bank account to that of the school to enable a proper financial assessment of the group to be carried out.

(b) Community Councils

- (i) Kilmaurs Community Council (CG 4645) - £750 and that the Senior Administrative Officer write to the group to seek clarification of the £300 cost for advertising.

(c) Community Safety

- (i) East Ayrshire North Crime Prevention Panel (CG 4637) - the Senior Administrative Officer advised that the organisation had applied for funding to assist with the cost of the annual Crime Prevention School Quiz. The total project costs were £600 with a Community Grant sought of £200. Core documentation was awaited. The Committee agreed to continue consideration of the application until such times as a full assessment was available.

(d) Disability

- (i) New Cumnock and Surrounding Area MS Support Group (CG 4502) (Item 2(c)(i), Page 1165, 07/12) - £895.72 and that the group be advised that this award should be expended in respect of transport costs in relation to the Members from the Northern area.

(e) Leisure

- (i) Kilmarnock and Loudoun Ramblers Association (CG 4651) - £50;

(f) Sport

- (i) Balmoral Boys Club Under 21's (CG 4581) (Item 2(h)(iii), Page 1167, 07/12) - £50; and

(g) Tenants and Residents

- (i) East Gauchalland Tenants and Residents Association (CG 4619) (Item 2(i)(i), Page 1167, 07/12) - £2,000.

The meeting terminated at 1435 hours.