

EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL

CENTRAL SOUTH LOCAL GRANTS COMMITTEE

**MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 23 FEBRUARY 2010 AT 1400 HRS
IN MEETING ROOM 1, COUNCIL HEADQUARTERS,
LONDON ROAD, KILMARNOCK**

PRESENT: Councillors Jim Todd, Tom Cook, Robert Keohone, Iain Linton, Douglas Reid, John Knapp and Hugh Ross.

ATTENDING: Julie McGarry, Administration Manager; Eddie Bulik, Monitoring and Administration Manager, Department of Neighbourhood Services; Kevin Wells, Team Leader, Department of Educational and Social Services; and Jennifer Morrison, Administrative Officer.

CHAIR: Councillor Jim Todd, Chair.

COMMUNITY GRANTS TO LOCAL ORGANISATIONS 2009/2010

1. There was submitted a report dated 16 February 2010 (circulated) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support on the financial position in respect of community grants to local organisations in 2009/2010 (circulated).

It was agreed that as part of the forthcoming review of the grant allocations to Local Committees in terms of the community grants scheme, to receive options for consideration of groups covering the East Ayrshire area being eligible to apply for community grants, under the scheme.

There was also submitted individual assessment reports in respect of the undernoted applications (circulated).

The Committee agreed as follows:-

(a) Arts and Cultural

- (i) South West Writers (CG 4416) - £430.00 subject to (a) receipt of an up-to-date bank statement; and (b) receipt of invoices/receipts in relation to a previous grant award made in October 2007 (CG 3753) to the satisfaction of the Head of Democratic Services.

It was also agreed that the grant be released in two increments of £215, in six monthly stages with arrangements remitted to the Head of Democratic Services.

(b) Leisure

- (i) A Choired Taste (CG 4374) (Item 2(d)(i), Page 920, 07/12) - £1,000.00 specifically towards running costs and that the Group be advised that the award was not to be used towards its charitable donations; and
- (ii) Onthank Men's Club (CG 4443) - £138.30.

(c) Older People

- (i) Bentinck Elderly Social Club (CG 4424) - £267.00; and
- (ii) 50s Club (CG 4425) - £128.00 towards the Pantomime and Christmas Party.

(d) Sport

- (i) Hurlford Badminton Coaching Club (CG 4427) - £132.30; and
- (ii) Hurlford Boys and Girls Club (CG 4446) - £739.64 towards the items specified in the assessment.

(e) Young People

- (i) 2nd Kilmarnock Boys Brigade (CG 4426) - £1,200.00.

LOCAL GRANTS SCHEME 2009/2010 - REQUEST TO RE-ALLOCATE FUNDS**2.1 Allies (Working with the Homeless) (CG 4356)**

It was agreed that the grant awarded in August 2009 (Central South element being £3,712.50) to assist with the costs of a food drop-in service be re-allocated as follows:-

	Grant Awarded 2009	Proposed Changes
Food Costs	£6,400	£3,000
Rent, Heating, running	£1,500	£4,900
Cleaning supplies, Misc	£350	£350
	£8,250	£8,250

The meeting terminated at 1440 hrs.