



**Application for Funding from Hampshire Action Teams**

**Organisation Details**

<b>Name of Organisation</b>	Test Valley Partnership
<b>Type of Organisation</b> (Please tick or double click to check the appropriate box)	Community/Voluntary Group <input type="checkbox"/> Company limited by guarantee <input type="checkbox"/> District/Borough Council <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Parish/Town Council <input type="checkbox"/> Registered Charity <input type="checkbox"/> School/College <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please describe below): <input type="checkbox"/>
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**Funding Details**

<b>Which HAT are you requesting funding from</b>	Test Valley HAT
<b>Amount of Funding Requested</b> (Please state if all or part of the funding will be spent on staffing costs)	£10,000 £8,000 – Contribution towards Partnership Manager £2,000 – Contribution towards JAF stakeholder event
<b>Joint Funding</b> (Please list any other funding secured for the project from other organisations)	Over the last five years a wide range of public sector partners have made financial contributions towards the cost of the TVP Manager. This has included NHS Hampshire, Police, Hants County Council, Testway Housing, and Test Valley Borough Council. Negotiations for this year are ongoing.

**Details of the Bid / Project**

<b>Title of Bid/ Project</b>	Test Valley Partnership
<b>Summary of Bid/ Project</b>	<p>The Test Valley Partnership brings together partners from across the voluntary, public and private sectors to work together to improve the quality of life for residents in Test Valley.</p> <p>The work of the Partnership centres upon taking forward the “Joint Areas of Focus” (JAFs), which sets out the fourteen key areas that partners are working on. The aim of the Joint areas of focus are to secure a co-ordinated approach across the borough to tackling key issues, to maximise partners resources and to be able to demonstrate where partners are making a positive impact. During the last twelve months the Partnership has been recognised as adopting a best practice approach in regards to the JAFs by Improvement &amp; Efficiency South East. Funding has also been secured through the Improvement and Development Agency to kick start the two innovative “Community Conversations” pilots and overall the Partnership has seen a range of successful projects been taken forward, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The Alcohol Project</li> <li>- Turnaround</li> <li>- Team Fitness – tackling obesity</li> <li>- Responding to the Recession and the launch of the Job Clubs</li> <li>- Launch of My Test Valley – the new Citizens Panel</li> </ul> <p>This bid is to further support the work of the Test Valley Partnership in taking forward the Joint Areas of Focus and a contribution from the HAT will support the ongoing costs of the Partnership Manager and the delivery of a JAF stakeholder event.</p> <p>The work of the Partnership Manager has been critical to the progress made by the Test Valley Partnership in developing its understanding of the priorities for action and its approach to their delivery. Over the last year the implementation of the Joint Areas of Focus, led by the Partnership Manager, has provided unprecedented levels of clarity to the work of the partnership and its action groups. The Partnership Manager will continue to build on this approach and will play a key role in supporting partners to develop local solutions for delivery as well as continuing to develop the co-ordinated approach to community engagement through the My Test Valley Citizens Panel and the Community Conversations pilots.</p> <p>It has been agreed that for April 2011 a review of the JAFs will be undertaken. This will ensure that the JAFs reflect the current climate partners are working within and also the key issues that need addressing in the Borough over the next three years which will also inform the LAA. As part of the process it is proposed that a stakeholder event is held in the Autumn whereby partners can come together to explore what local data is telling us, the views of local people and putting these within the context of our own priorities. The event will have many benefits, not only will it provide the opportunity to ensure the JAFs are still the right ones for the Borough, it will also provide the opportunity to address other areas of work such as the Local Children’s Partnerships as well as an opportunity to celebrate success and recognise the range of work that is currently been delivered in</p>

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<p><b>How does the Bid meet the HATs Term of Reference?</b></p> <p>1) To tackle economic, social and health inequalities in the local area</p> <p>2) To support the delivery of Hampshire's improvement priorities within the Hampshire Local Area Agreement*</p> <p>3) To support local highways and transport priorities**</p>	<p>The Test Valley Partnership and the Joint Areas of Focus directly compliment the work of the HATs. Each of the JAFs reflect the Local Area Agreement improvement areas and as a result, provide a Test Valley context to wider Hampshire improvement priorities. The current performance framework for the JAFs also reflects the framework used by the LAA so that partners working within a wider remit can see the links between the work locally and its impact on a wider scale.</p> <p>The Test Valley Partnership through the Joint Areas of Focus has tackling inequality at its heart. By tackling inequalities, issues such as educational attainment, teenage conceptions, community safety can all be addressed most effectively. By addressing the issues identified within the JAFs, partners are able to address issues of inequality and begin to put in place services or projects that can tackle them. There is a real opportunity for the Partnership and the HAT to work hand in hand in addressing inequality within the Borough.</p> <p>During the next twelve months the partnership will be focusing on projects which address alcohol misuse and teenage conceptions, working with vulnerable and isolated adults, taking forward the family learning agenda and exploring how we can develop more "active communities" when looking at health inequalities.</p>
<p><b>Timescale</b> (What is the anticipated period over which the money will be spent?)</p>	<p><b>Commencement Date: August 2010</b></p> <p><b>Completion Date: April 2011</b></p>
<p><b>Intended Outcomes</b> (How will the success of the bid/project be measured?)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Delivery of Test Valley Partnership Stakeholder Event – Autumn 2010 including an Annual Report of JAF projects delivered during 2010</li> <li>• A reviewed set of JAFs and clear list of projects identified to be taken forward by partners over the next three years – April 2011</li> <li>• Ongoing management and delivery of the Test Valley Partnership</li> <li>• Continued implementation of the My Test Valley Citizens Panel</li> <li>• Delivery of the 2 Community Conversations Pilots <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Teenage conceptions</li> <li>- Vulnerable &amp; Isolated Adults</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

<b>Future Funding Arrangements</b>	Contributions towards the delivery of a JAF stakeholder day are going to be one off and therefore no further funding will be required.  Financial support towards the cost of the Partnership Manager will be ongoing but Partners will be asked to consider this issue over the coming months.
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\* Further information on the LAA can be found at the following website - <http://www3.hants.gov.uk/localareaagreement.htm>

\*\* Any approved bids for highways/transport projects will require liaison with the Executive Member for Environment.

**Declaration**

**I declare that the information supplied in this application is true and that any funding received from Hampshire County Council will be used for the purposes described in this form. The Council reserves the right to reclaim any funding not used for the purposes stated on this form.**

**I agree to provide a report detailing the outcomes of this bid/project (a form will be sent out for completion at the relevant time).**

**Signed:** ANDREW FERRIER

**Date:**

**Position in organisation:** Corporate Director

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