

## HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

### Executive Decision Record

<b>Decision Maker:</b>	Executive Member for Communities and International Relations
<b>Date:</b>	31 January 2011
<b>Title:</b>	Funding request from The Vine Centre in Aldershot for part funding of a key worker support project via the Hampshire Action Team for Hart and Rushmoor
<b>Reference:</b>	2453
<b>Report From:</b>	Chief Executive

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#### 1. The decision:

- 1.1 That the Executive Member for Communities and International Relations approves a sum of £3,000 to be awarded to The Vine Centre towards their key worker support project in Rushmoor via the Hart and Rushmoor Hampshire Action Team Community Budget 2010/11 only, with no expectation of funding for future years

#### 2. Reason(s) for the decision:

- 2.1 This funding will support homeless and vulnerable people in the Aldershot area to make positive choices and improve their life prospects.
- 2.2 The Vine is for homeless and vulnerable people aged 25 or over and is the only provision of its kind in the area. It also offers many opportunities for volunteers. As well as having housing problems, clients are often also struggling with mental health issues and/or an addiction to drugs or alcohol.
- 2.3 This bid is to support the existing key worker project in providing more one-to-one “key working” sessions with clients and to implement the “Outcomes Star” monitoring tool which is used nationally by homelessness organisations to help clients see the progress they are making.

#### 3. Other options considered and rejected:

- 3.1 None

**4. Conflicts of interest:**

4.1 Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker: None

4.2 Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted: None

**5. Dispensation granted by the Standards Committee:** None.

**6. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent:** Not applicable.

**7. Statement from the Decision Maker:**

**Approved by:**

**Date:**

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**31 January 2011**

**Executive Member for Communities and International  
Relations  
Councillor K. Mans**