

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Culture, Recreation and Countryside
Date:	25 September 2013
Title:	Grant Funding for Culture and Community Organisations 2013/14
Reference:	5120
Report From:	Director of Culture, Communities and Business Services

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1. The decision:

- a) That grants totalling for £85,490 from the Community Buildings Capital Fund in 2013/14 be approved for the following organisations:

Hall/ Centre	District	£
Burley Parish Hall	New Forest	300
Colden Common Community Association	Winchester	11,055
Organisation	District	£
East Boldre School Fields Trust	New Forest	1,875
Kingsclere Village Club	Basingstoke	1,000
Lyndhurst and District Community Association	New Forest	24,900
The Milford Millennium Hall and Community Centre	New Forest	5,225
Pamber Heath Memorial Hall Management Committee	Basingstoke	6,000
Privett Village Hall	East Hampshire	25,000
St James, Bramley	Basingstoke	Nil

The Colonel Jenkins Memorial Hall	Test Valley	10,135
TOTAL		£85,490

- b) That in relation to the applications for partnership funding from the Community Buildings Capital Fund for grant requests from Lee on the Solent Community Association and St Stephens Village Hall, the decision was taken to defer these applications to allow further information to be sought. Once satisfactory details have been received, then authority be delegated to the Director of Culture, Communities and Business Services to make a decision on these requests.
- c) That in relation to the application for partnership funding from the Community Buildings Capital Fund for Crofton Community Association, the decision was taken to defer this application in order to gather more information on Crofton Community Associations financial commitments.
- d) That the Performing Arts Company grant application to the Organisational Change Fund in 2013- 2014 be deferred in order to get a better understanding of the project.
- e) That the Culture and Community Activity grant application from Even Keel is not supported as the County Council does not normally award grants retrospectively.

2. Reason(s) for the decision:

- 2.1 To support organisations that seek to enable local people to meet the recreational, educational, social, cultural and environmental needs of their local communities and to achieve the aim of the Corporate Priority enhancing our quality of place by improving community buildings to provide excellent local facilities.
- 2.2 To provide general support to groups and organisations which encourage opportunities for individuals and communities to participate in community focused, cultural and recreational activities.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

- 3.1 Allocating partnership funding at higher and lower levels.
- 3.2. Allocating no partnership funding at all.

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 Conduct Advisory Panel: none.

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

7. Statement from the Decision Maker:

Approved by:

Date:

25 September 2013

Executive Member for Culture, Recreation and
Countryside
Councillor Keith Chapman