

## HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

### Executive Decision Record

<b>Decision Maker:</b>	Executive Member for Culture, Recreation and Countryside
<b>Date:</b>	19 January 2015
<b>Title:</b>	Grant Funding for Culture and Community Organisations in Hampshire 2015/16
<b>Reference:</b>	6388
<b>Report From:</b>	Director of Culture, Communities and Business Services

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#### 1. The decision:

1.1 That the Executive Member for Culture, Recreation and Countryside:

- i) Approves the Culture and Community Activity Grants of £35,978 for 2015/16 subject to approval of the County Council budget in February 2015, which includes a subsequent £500 activity grant to Grayshott Concerts.
- ii) That The Chapel Sessions and Recreation Ground (North Baddesley) be deferred to a future meeting pending further information.
- iii) Approves the Business Sponsorship Grant of £300 to Grayshott Concerts for 2015/16 subject to approval of the County Council budget in February 2015.

#### 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. 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:**

<b>Approved by:</b>	<b>Date:</b>
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<b>Executive Member for Culture, Recreation and Countryside Councillor Keith Chapman</b>	