

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record:

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Culture and Recreation
Date of Decision:	14 January 2010
Decision Title:	Support to Independent Arts Organisations 2010/11
Decision Reference:	1150
Report from:	Director of Culture, Communities and Rural Affairs

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1. The Decision

- 1.1 That the funding amounts set out below be allocated for 2010/11, together with the indicative funding for subsequent years, subject to the relevant budgets and performance being approved.

Anvil	92,137	92,137	92,137
ArtSway	36,233	36,233	36,233
Bournemouth symphony Orchestra	124,230	124,230	124,230
Fairfields Arts Centre	48,177		
Forest forge Theatre Company	53,833	53,833	53,833
Hampshire Dance Trust	27,951	27,951	27,951
Havant Arts Active – The Spring	108,701	108,701	108,701
The Lights	41,410	41,410	41,410
Making Space	39,339	39,339	39,339
Nuffield Theatre	56,731	56,731	56,731
Proteus Theatre Company	50,222	50,222	50,222
Winchester Theatre Royal	110,261		
Total	789,229	789,229	789,229

2. Reason for the decision

- 2.1 To support the continuing activity of important arts organisations which provide valued arts opportunities for Hampshire people, in support of the Corporate Strategy Aims of Hampshire safer and more Secure, Maximising Wellbeing and Enhancing our Quality of Place through the varied programmes that these organisations, collectively, provide.

3. Other options considered and rejected

- 3.1 - making no awards – would undermine funding relationships with other funders i.e .Arts Council, Districts and Boroughs and adversely impact on

these organisations ability to provide a quality service to the public and to support the Council's core objectives.

- 3.2 - making decreased awards – would have adverse impact on quality and quantity of provision.

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

None

7. Statement from the Decision Maker

Approved by:

Date:

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Executive Member for Culture and Recreation
Councillor Mrs. M. Snaith Tempia

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