

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Decision Report

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Communities and International Relations
Date:	14 February 2011
Title:	Funding request from the Community Safety Service via the Hampshire Action team for East Central
Reference:	2598
Report From:	Chief Executive

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1. Executive Summary

1.1. The purpose of this paper is to seek approval for funding of £5,870 to the Community Safety Service (Hampshire County Council) for an Alcohol Early Intervention Programme in Petersfield via the East Central Hampshire Action Team Community Budget 2010/11.

2. Contextual information

2.1. This project will provide additional, targeted support programme's to give more information around the offences and penalties involved to those supplying alcohol to underage. This would be done by way of an early intervention programme made available to the parents / guardians of those individuals issued a Yellow Card for underage drinking. This will provide the parent / guardian with the knowledge they require to make an informed decision in the future. The project will also work at the point of sale to deter proxy sales. The proposal is fully outlined in the bid form attached as Appendix C.

3. Finance

3.1. The total funding allocation for the East Central HAT is £200,000. The amount currently remaining is £114,980.

3.2. The amount of funding requested is £5,870 which is the total project cost. The detail of the bid is set out in the application form accompanying this report (Appendix C).

4. Legal Implications

- 4.1. The County Council has the power under S111 of the Local Government Act to anything incidental to its functions.

5. Monitoring

- 5.1. The intended outcomes of the project are outlined in the application form accompanying this report.
- 5.2. A detailed monitoring report setting out the final outcomes of the project will be sent out for completion at the end of the project.

6. Other key issues

- 6.1. There are no other key issues associated with this request.

7. Statements of Support

- 7.1. This application has majority support of the East Central HAT.
- 7.2. The Executive Lead Member for Children's Services, Councillor Roy Perry is supportive of the bid.
- 7.3. Senior officers from the County Council's Property, Business and Regulatory Services department have been consulted and are supportive as this project is intended to make a direct impact on underage drinking and associated Anti Social Behaviour in the Petersfield area by working more closely with the parents and guardians of the young people involved. The outcomes will be measured by the reduction in repeat drinking by the identified young people, and if the work is successful, it will be mainstreamed within the ACSO Service and provided countywide.

8. Recommendation

- 8.1. That the Executive Member for Communities and International Relations approves a sum of £5,870 to the Community Safety Service for an Alcohol Early Intervention Programme in Petersfield via the East Central Hampshire Action Team Community Budget 2010/11 only, with no expectation of funding for future years.

CORPORATE OR LEGAL INFORMATION:**Links to the Corporate Strategy**

Hampshire safer and more secure for all:	No
Corporate Improvement plan link number (if appropriate):	
Maximising well-being:	Yes
Corporate Improvement plan link number (if appropriate):	
Enhancing our quality of place:	Yes
Corporate Improvement plan link number (if appropriate):	

Section 100 D - Local Government Act 1972 - background documents

The following documents discuss facts or matters on which this report, or an important part of it, is based and have been relied upon to a material extent in the preparation of this report. (NB: the list excludes published works and any documents which disclose exempt or confidential information as defined in the Act.)

DocumentLocation

None

IMPACT ASSESSMENTS:**1. Equalities Impact Assessment:**

1.1. The project will be open to all young people and parents .

2. Impact on Crime and Disorder:

2.1. This work will directly contribute to the reduction of underage drinking and associated criminal activity.

3. Climate Change:

3.1. There are no adverse impacts arising from this report.