

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Communities
Date:	27 September 2010
Title:	Request for funding from Age Concern Hampshire to run the OPAL Village Agents Pilot via the Hampshire Action Team for Basingstoke and Deane
Reference:	2005
Report From:	Chief Executive

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1. The decision:

1.1. That £10,000 of funding be awarded to Age Concern Hampshire from the Basingstoke and Deane HAT Community Budget for 2010/11 only, with no expectation for future years.

2. Reason(s) for the decision:

2.1. The OPAL Village Agents Project will bridge the gap between services and local communities for older people in at least two rural areas of Basingstoke and Deane. These communities can often be isolated, with high levels of social deprivation and poor transport links and this project will help make the links and signpost to information and services they need

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:

27 September

**Executive Member for Communities
Councillor K. Mans**