

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Decision Report

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Communities and International Relations
Date:	4 November 2010
Title:	Funding request for Eastleigh Community Safety Partnership via the Hampshire Action Team (HAT) for Eastleigh and Fareham
Reference:	1982
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 £7,400 to Eastleigh Borough Council on behalf of Eastleigh Community Safety Partnership, from the Eastleigh and Fareham HAT Community Budget. The funding is for a making a DVD called Positive Choices.

2. Contextual information

2.1. A film will be produced by young people from Eastleigh under the guidance of professional filmmakers and artists. The young people will have their starting point of reference as the STAR (Start Tackling Alcohol Responsibly) project and work with a facilitator to workshop scenarios based on the risks and consequences as outlined by the project. The participants will be encouraged to think around the subject and come up with a set of positive choices, negative choices and consequences based on different scenarios. The writer will then form these into a screenplay for a short film in liaison with the borough's Youth Alcohol Project Coordinator. They will also reference national guidelines on alcohol and guidance by the World Health Organisation to ensure all messages are correct and backed up by factual information.

2.2 The young people will learn filmmaking, production and drama skills in order to produce a finished film which concentrates on the issues surrounding alcohol misuse and its consequences. The film will then be made into a menu based DVD for schools which will stop at certain points during the story to allow the young people watching to make a decision on how the characters in the film should act. It will then play and show the consequence of the choice they made. This is an innovative and interactive way to engage school pupils

as it is not a passive watching experience but one in which they have to make the decisions and analyze the results in a post film workshop.

3. Finance

- 3.1 The total funding allocation available to the Eastleigh and Fareham HAT is £110,000.
- 3.2 The amount remaining following previous successful applications is £71,500.
- 3.3 The amount of funding requested for this project is £7,400 and the details are set out in the application form accompanying this report.

4. Legal Implications

- 4.1. The County Council has the power under Section 56 of the Local Government Act 1958 to make contributions to the expenditure of a District or Borough Council in Hampshire.

5. Monitoring

- 5.1 The intended outcomes of the project are outlined in the application form accompanying this report. 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 total support of the whole HAT and supports partnership working in the locality.

8. Recommendation

- 8.1. That the Executive Member for Communities and International Relations approves a sum of £7,400 to be awarded to Eastleigh Borough Council on behalf of the Eastleigh Community Safety Partnership from the Eastleigh and Fareham Hampshire Action Team Community Budget for 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:	yes
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):	

Other Significant Links

This application links to the delivery of Eastleigh's Community Safety Partnership Strategy and Action Plan.

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

1.1. There are no adverse implications.

2. Impact on Crime and Disorder:

2.1. This project fully compliments the work and aims of Eastleigh Community Safety Partnership to help reduce levels of crime and disorder.

3. Climate Change:

a) How does what is being proposed impact on our carbon footprint / energy consumption?

This project has no detrimental impact on climate change.

b) How does what is being proposed consider the need to adapt to climate change, and be resilient to its longer term impacts?

Please see above.