

REPORT TO: COMMUNITIES COMMITTEE – 16 AUGUST 2004

REPORT ON: DUNDEE COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP – DUNDEE COMMUNITY SAFETY AWARD GRANT III (COMMISSIONED SERVICES)

REPORT BY: HEAD OF COMMUNITIES

REPORT NO: 528-2004

1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 The report makes a recommendation of a commissioned grant award from the Community Safety Award 2004-2005.

2.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1 It is recommended that the Committee approve the commissioned grant award of £10,000.

3.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

3.1 The grant award will be met from external funding from the Scottish Executive under the Community Safety Award Programme 2004-2005.

4.0 LOCAL AGENDA 21 IMPLICATIONS

4.1 The award seeks to promote the building of strong, safe and attractive communities, a key community planning objective.

5.0 EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES IMPLICATIONS

5.1 The various dimensions of the Council's Equality Schemes will continue to receive specific attention by the Dundee Community Safety Partnership.

6.0 BACKGROUND

6.1 At its meeting on 8 December 2003 the Committee approved the criteria and procedures for the Dundee Community Safety Partnership bid for external funding from the Scottish Executive under the Community Safety Award Programme 2004-2005. The bid was successful and this award has been recommended by the Partnership Executive as commissioned activity.

6.2 The application is detailed below:

Ref No	Applicant	Purpose of Application	Total Cost £	Grant Requested £	Grant Recommended £
CSG (c) 13/4	Tayside Police (Road Safety Unit)	Support costs for training and provision of Assistant Road Safety Worker to develop volunteer programmes promoting safe walking routes to school and child road safety programmes	10,000	10,000	10,000

6.3 The application meets one of the Partnerships strategic objectives under the current approved action plan for 2004-2005.

7.0 CONSULTATION

7.1 Consultation has taken place with the Chief Executive, Depute Chief Executives (Finance) and (Support Services), Assistant Chief Executive (Community Planning) and the Dundee Community Safety Partnership (Executive) under delegated authority.

8.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

8.1 None.

Signed: **Stewart Murdoch**
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Date: 9 August 2004