

DUNDEE CITY COUNCIL

REPORT TO: Leisure, Arts and Communities Committee - 9 May 2011

REPORT ON: Dundee Community Safety Partnership Grant Awards up to £500, 2010-2011

REPORT BY: Director of Leisure and Communities

REPORT NO: 176- 2011

1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 The report entails awards, each up to the value of £500, that have been made during the financial year 2010-2011.

2.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1 It is recommended that the Committee notes the detailed payments contained within the report.

3.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

3.1 The eight grant awards totalling £3,815.61 (see Appendix 1) have been met from Community Safety Partnership funding 2010 -2011. Follow up audit checks will be undertaken on 20% of our grants awarded as part of the ongoing quality assurance arrangements.

4.0 MAIN TEXT

4.1 At the Policy and Resources Committee on 28th June 2002 (Report no: 71-2002) authority was given to the Dundee Community Safety Partnership to make small grants awards up to the value of £500 to voluntary/community groups.

4.2 The strategic priorities for the Partnership for the period involved were as follows:

- reduce crimes (groups 1 - 4)
- feeling safer
- reduce wilful fire-raising
- community tension and counter terrorism
- prostitution
- home safety/accident prevention
- substance misuse
- partnership working

5.0 POLICY IMPLICATIONS

5.1 The awards were made to improve capacity building on local voluntary community groups, to engage in Community Safety activities as outlined within the Strategic Priorities of the Dundee Community Safety Partnership Strategy and Action Plan.

5.2 The report has been screened for any policy implications in respect of Sustainability, Strategic Environmental Assessment, Anti-Poverty, Equality Impact Assessment and Risk Management. There are no major issues.

5.3 An Equality Impact Assessment has been carried out and will be made available on the Council website <http://www.dundee.gov.uk/equanddiv/equimpact/>.

6.0 CONSULTATION

6.1 The Chief Executive, Depute Chief Executive (Support Services), Assistant Chief Executive, Director of Finance and Chief Constable (Tayside Police) have been consulted on this report and are in agreement with its contents.

7.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

7.1 Appendix 1.

7.2 Equality Impact Assessment.

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25 APRIL 2011

Appendix 1

NO.	DATE	ORGANISATION/AGENCY	AMOUNT	BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT/APPLICATION
1	April 2010	Tayside Fire & Rescue	£500.00	Pilot Project. Exchange Chip Pans for thermostatically controlled deep fat fryers
2	April 2010	Brooksbank Centre & Services	£500.00	To purchase 500 heat resistant hair straightening bags
3	July 2010	Kirkton Tackle Crime	£500.00	Safety Events to be held over the Autumn
4	August 2010	Whitfield Community Safety Panel	£500.00	Safety Event to be held in November
5	September 2010	DVAWP	£500.00	Admin cost for Issues surrounding Sexual/Violence/Exploitation event
6	September 2010	Peer Education Project	£373.92	To produce a DVD which highlights the Safe Taysiders event
7	September 2010	WRASAC	£441.69	To distribute 'Spikeys' as part of 16 Days of Action to end violence against women
8	September 2010	DCSP - Bogus Caller Sub-group	£500.00	See off Scam Event to be held for professional agencies and members of the public.
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