

DUNDEE CITY COUNCIL

REPORT TO: Leisure, Arts and Communities Committee - 14 April 2008

REPORT ON: Dundee Community Safety Partnership Grant Awards
up to £500 (2007-2008)

REPORT BY: Co-Chairpersons Dundee Community Safety Partnership

REPORT NO: 208-2008

1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 The report details awards each up to the value of £500 that have been made during the financial year 2007-2008.

2.0 RECOMMENDATION

2.1 It is recommended that the Committee notes the detailed payments outlined in Appendix 1.

3.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

3.1 The 6 grant awards totalling £2,706 have been met from external grant award monies received within the Scottish Government Community Safety Partnership Funding 2007-2008. Twenty percent of the 2006-2007 Awards have received follow up audit checks as part of ongoing grant quality assurance arrangements.

4.0 BACKGROUND

4.1 At the Policy & Resources Committee on 28 June 2002 (Report No 71-2002) authority was given to the Dundee Community Safety Partnership to make small grant awards up to the value of £500 to voluntary/community organisations.

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

- Tackling Substance and Alcohol Misuse
- Improving Road Safety with Special Emphasis on Young People
- Reducing Crime and the Fear of Crime.
- Building and Sustaining the Community's Capacity to Participate in Community Safety Activities.
- Reducing Antisocial Behaviour & Vandalism
- Improving Vulnerable Individual/Group Personal Safety
- Promoting Fire Safety and Awareness
- Dundee Community Safety Action Plan 2007-2008

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 & Action Plan 2007-2008.

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.

6.0 CONSULTATION

- 6.1 The Chief Executive, Depute Chief Executive (Support Services), Depute Chief Executive (Finance), Assistant Chief Executive (Community Planning) and Head of Finance have been consulted on this report and are in agreement with its contents.

7.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

- 7.1 None.

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APPENDIX 1

DUNDEE COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP GRANTS UNDER £500 (2007-2008)

Ref No	Name of Application	Grant Purpose	Grant Request £	Grant Awarded £
CSG 54/07	Balunie Residents Association	Costs related to local child cycle security marking	500	400
CSG 55/07	Dundee International Women's Centre	Assistance with costs to promote a community safety day event for targeted ethnic communities.	500	500
CSG 56/07	Dundee Peer Education Project	Assistance with organisation costs for the development of internet safety resources for young people.	500	500
CSG 57/07	Dundee Domestic Abuse Forum	Assistance to sponsor a training seminar to raise awareness of domestic abuse and safety issues.	500	500
CSG 58/07	Dundee Trade Union (Pensioners) Group	Assistance to fund a targeted Community Safety Day for senior citizens.	306	306
CSG 59/07	Tayside Fire & Rescue	Assistance with costs related to the Safe Drive Stay Alive Youth Safety Event	500	500
			Total	£2706