

REPORT TO: COMMUNITIES COMMITTEE – 10 MAY 2004

**REPORT ON: DUNDEE COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP
SMALL AND COMMISSIONED GRANTS I**

REPORT BY: HEAD OF COMMUNITIES

REPORT NO: 311-2004

1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 The report makes recommendations for allocation of grant awards and seeks consent to bid for further external funding 2004-2005.

2.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the Committee approve.

- 2.1 The allocations of grant outlined in Appendix 1.
- 2.2 Authorises the Convener Communities Committee and the Chief Executive to approve the provisional Dundee Community Safety Partnership bid submissions 2004-2005 for Youth Activities resources to the Scottish Executive as per Para 6.2.

3.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

- 3.1 The grant awards under Recommendation 2.1 will be met from external funding from the Scottish Executive under the Community Safety Award Programme 2004-2005.

4.0 LOCAL AGENDA 21 IMPLICATION

- 4.1 The awards seek to promote the creation of building strong, safe and attractive communities, a key community planning objective.

5.0 EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES IMPLICATION

- 5.1 The various dimensions of the Council's Equality Schemes will continue to receive specific attention by the 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 Award Programme for 2004-2005. This bid totaling £157,328.55 has been successful and Appendix 1 outlines initial grant award allocation (in excess of £500) as recommended by the Grants Sub Group of the Partnership.

- 6.2 Additional sources of grant have been provisionally allocated to the Community Safety Partnership as follows:

- Youth Diversion Activities Summer 2004 £41,260.
- Local Action Fund: Youth Activities 2004-2005 £206,000.

The above awards have come with tightly defined criteria and conditions and proposals require to be approved by the Scottish Executive prior to grant confirmation.

At present the bid process is being finalised for submission to the Scottish Executive and approval is sought from Committee to agree Chief Executive/Convener's authority to submit the bid content on the recommendations agreed by the Community Safety Partnership against the bid criteria.

On receipt of Scottish Executive decision on the bid, the bid allocations will be reported to Committee for information.

7.0 CONSULTATION

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

8.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

- 8.1 No background papers, as defined by Section 50D of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 (other than any containing confidential or exempt information) were relied on to any material extent in preparing the above report.

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**DUNDEE COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP COMMISSIONED GRANT ALLOCATIONS
COMMUNITY SAFETY AWARD PROGRAMME 2004-2005**

Ref	Name of Applicant	Purpose of Application	Total Cost £	Grant Requested £	Grant Recommended £	Notes
CSG31/04	Tayside Police – Road Safety Unit	Part costs to provide road safety information packs to new parents.	15,000	2,500	2,500	
CSG32/04	Balmoral Tenants and Residents Association	Assistance to provide locked gates to restrict illegal motor cycle trespass arrangements.	2,115	2,115	2,115	Residents have agreed to maintain the provision and received all necessary statutory consents.
CSG33/04	Tayside Fire Brigade (Dundee Division)	Contribution to media equipment to improve public fire safety education provision.	2,600	2,500	2,500	The equipment will be used within the Dundee area.
CSG(c)12/04	Target Hardening Initiative (Non Social Inclusion Partnership Areas)	To match fund Social Inclusion Area Partnership Funding 2004-2005 to continue a programme of preventative and post entry target hardening of domestic property. The programme also incorporates safety (view coms) and fire appliance (smoke detector) installation.	20,000	20,000	Up to 20,000	£20,000 has also been secured from SIP Allocations for 2004-2005.
CSG24/04	Community Safety Team	Provision of Supplies of Domestic Personal Alarms for vulnerable targeted groups.	5,000	5,000	5,000	This subsidised provision will be targeted at vulnerable residents.
Total					32,115	

Note: All above awards meet both Scottish Executive and Dundee Community Safety Partnership approved key priorities for 2004-2005.