

REPORT TO: COMMUNITIES COMMITTEE - 26 JUNE 2006

REPORT ON: NON-RECURRING REVENUE GRANTS FUND I 2006-2007

REPORT BY: DIRECTOR OF LEISURE AND COMMUNITIES

REPORT NO: 352-2006

1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 The report makes recommendations for grant awards from the Non-Recurring Revenue Grants Fund.

2.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1 It is recommended that the Committee approves the recommended grants.

3.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

3.1 The grant awards will be met from the Department's revenue budget 2006-2007.

4.0 LOCAL AGENDA 21 IMPLICATIONS

4.1 The awards will improve access to skills, knowledge and information and/or contribute to achieving the Council's vision of self-sustaining, secure and healthy communities.

5.0 EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES IMPLICATIONS

5.1 Grant assistance is awarded to groups which promote social inclusion and contribute to equalling opportunities within the City.

6.0 BACKGROUND

6.1 At its meeting on 10 February 1997, the Committee approved the criteria and procedures for the Department's grant aid portfolio (Report No 127/1997 refers).

Detailed below is the recommendation for specific grant awards.

Name of Applicant	Purpose of Application	Total Cost £	Grant Requested £	Grant Recommended £
The Attic Project (Hilltown)	To assist with programme and training costs	49,760	4,000	2,000
Balerno Activities Group	To assist with admin costs, insurance (public liability), lease of premises, maintenance/repairs of bowling green etc.	14,850	9,850	1,600
6th/8th Boys' Brigade	Assistance with admin costs; rental of premises; purchase of equipment etc	18,600	5,900	2,500

7.0 CONSULTATION

7.1 Consultation has taken place with the Chief Executive, Depute Chief Executives (Finance) and (Support Services).

8.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

8.1 None

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Date: 16 June 2006