

INNER NORTH WEST COMMUNITY COMMITTEE

WEDNESDAY, 18TH MAY, 2016

PRESENT: Councillor J Pryor in the Chair

Councillors J Akhtar, J Bentley, S Bentley,
A Garthwaite, G Harper, C Towler and
N Walshaw

36 Declaration of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests

There were no declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests.

Councillors J Bentley and S Bentley informed the meeting that they were known to the applicant with regards to the request for funding the Right Choices Project and would take no part in the discussion or decision on this application.

37 Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were submitted on behalf of Councillor J Chapman.

38 Minutes - 3 March 2016

RESOLVED – That the minutes of the meeting held on 3 March 2016 be confirmed as a correct record.

39 Open Forum

In accordance with the Community Committee Procedure Rules, the Chair allowed a period of up to 10 minutes for members of the public to make representations on matters within the terms of reference of the Community Committee. On this occasion there were no members of the public in attendance.

40 Election of the Community Committee Chair for the 2016/2017 Municipal Year

The report of the City Solicitor set out the arrangements for the election of Chairs to Community Committees and recommended that Members elected an eligible Member to the position of Chair for the Inner North West Community Committee for the 2016/17 Municipal Year.

The deadline for nominations had finished on 17th May 2016 and a nomination had been submitted on behalf of Councillor Javaid Akhtar.

RESOLVED – That Councillor J Akhtar be elected as Chair of the Inner North West Community Committee for the 2016/17 Municipal Year.

41 Wellbeing Fund and Youth Activities Fund Allocation Report

The report of the West North West Area Leader advised Members of the following:

- Projects for consideration and approval from Wellbeing Fund allocation for 2016/17
- The Youth Activities Fund budget available for 2016/17
- Those projects for consideration and approval from the Youth Activities Fund allocation for 2016/17.

Nicole Darbyshire, Area Officer presented the report.

Members' attention was brought to the following Wellbeing Revenue Projects for consideration:

- Right Choices project - £10,498 – this had been deferred from the previous Community Committee meeting and an amended application provided.
- Funding request for £1,000 towards the delivery of the proposed Little London Community Day to be held in July 2016.
- Additional funding of £2,880 to the Fit Kids projects to cover the cost of room hire at Woodsley Community Centre

Members' were reminded that, at the December 2015 Community Committee meeting, they had authorised £10,000 in Wellbeing Capital monies for environmental improvements at Lovell Park Flats, subject to match funding being sought. Members were informed that match funding had now been secured and they agreed that they were happy to release this funding.

Members were informed of the remaining Youth Activities Fund budget and the following applications for funding:

- School Activities – INW Hub Cluster - £2,100
- Lazer Centre Activity Programme – Lazer Centre - £5,970
- Up to You Trapeze Project – Urban Angels - £2,942
- Craft, Create, Animate – Leeds Libraries - £602
- Mini Breeze - £3,825

With regard to the Mini Breeze, it was reported that an event could be provided at Tinshill Rec or Woodhouse Moor. Members suggested that one be held at each, at a cost of £3,825 each. There was some concern regarding the publicity and marketing of Breeze Events and it was suggested that further funding of £300 be allocated to raise awareness of any proposed events. Members also discussed the possibility of a SK8 Safe event and it was

reported that this could be followed up and agreed via the use of a delegated decision notice.

Members were reminded of the allocation of funds for Commemoration of the Battle of the Somme and Members were made aware of events taking place. There would be a bugler at the Cenotaph at St Michael's Church, Headingley.

Further to funding allocated for events during the World Triathlon Series to be held in Leeds, the following projects had been proposed:

- Balbir Singh Dance Company - £1,000
- Cardigan Centre - £1,860
- Left Bank Leeds - £1,500
- One Day Creative Limited - £1,000
- RJC Dance - £1,000
- Skippco - £750

Members were asked to nominate any other projects that could be supported with remaining funds.

RESOLVED –

(1) That the following projects be approved from Wellbeing Fund allocations:

- Right Choices Project - £10, 498
- Little London Community Day - £1,000
- Fit Kids - £2,880
- Lovell Park Flats environmental improvements - £10,000

(2) That the following projects be approved from Youth Activities Fund allocations:

- School Activities – INW Hub Cluster - £2,100
- Up to You Trapeze Project – Urban Angels - £2,942
- Craft, Create, Animate – Leeds Libraries - £602
- Mini Breeze - £7,950

(3) That the following projects be supported from funds earmarked for the World Triathlon Series:

- Balbir Singh Dance Company - £1,000
- Cardigan Centre - £1,860
- Left Bank Leeds - £1,500
- One Day Creative Limited - £1,000
- RJC Dance - £1,000
- Skippko £750
- Activity at the Health Centre on Meanwood Road and animating the route along the Headingley / Weetwood border £1,890

42 Date and Time of Next Meeting

Thursday, 16 June at 7.00 p.m.

