Area Committee Well Being Fund Commissioning of Service

Appendix 3

Project Name: Designated Public Places Order (DPPO) Additional Signage Armley

Lead Organisation: West Yorkshire Police/Community Safety

Project Summary:

A Designated Public Place Order (DPPO) came into effect on Armley Towns Street and the surrounding area on 1st December 2007.

Following consultation with members of the public, requests were made to extend the boundary of the DPPO area to include Mistress Lane and the Nancroft area. A requirement of a DPPO is that there are signs which inform the general public that they are in a DPPO area and that it is an offence to consume alcohol after being requested by a Police Constable or Police Community Support Officer (PCSO) not to Do so. An Officer can also ask any person to surrender alcohol or open alcohol containers if the Officer reasonably believes the person is, has been or intends to Consume alcohol in that place.

With the extension of the DPPO area, and In order to effectively implement the DPPO the police have contacted me to see if it is possible to have additional DPPO signs place at strategic point within the DPPO boundary.

Also the notices in the Yorkshire Evening post where slightly over the allocated budget by £67.80 so a request is also being made to fund the shortfall.

Outcomes (please summarise the main outcome / output / benefit the project will achieve):

The 12 additional signs would make it easier for the Police to manage the DPPO and make it clearer to members of the public that they are now entering into a DPPO area.

This would hopefully help to reduce the number of incidents of Anti-Social Behaviour and alcohol related incidents in the Armley Area.

Project Cost (please indicate how much the project will cost, how much Well Being Funding is sought and breakdown between capital and revenue):

Notices in Local press shortfall £67.80 DPPO signs X12 £535.92

Total £603.72

Identify which geographic areas will benefit and which Area Committee (Inner or Outer) you are applying to: Inner West

State who will receive the funding for this project:

Area Management DPPO to arrange through City Signs