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Report of the West Leeds Area Manager

Outer West Area Committee

Date: 3 November 2006

Subject: Chatsworth Recreation Ground – Well-being Approval (Ref: OW 04 64 L)

Electoral Wards Affected:

Specific Implications For:

Ethnic minorities

Women

Disabled people

Narrowing the Gap

Council Function

Delegated Executive Function available for Call In

Delegated Executive Function not available for Call In Details set out in the report

Executive Summary

1. This report seeks the ratification of the in principal approval of £27,000 from the Outer West Area Committees Well-being Budget for the refurbishment of the play area on Chatsworth Recreation Ground, Farsley.

1.0 Purpose Of This Report

- 1.1 This report seeks the ratification of the in principal approval of £27,000 from the Outer West Area Committees Well-being Budget for the refurbishment of the play area on Chatsworth Recreation Ground, Farsley.

2.0 Background Information

- 2.1 A report was brought to the Outer West Area Committee on 16 December 2005, requesting £27,000 towards the cost of refurbishing the play area on Chatsworth recreation ground. The play area is particularly run down, with missing pieces of play equipment.
- 2.2 This amount was approved from the Well-being budget in principal, pending the identification and approval of match funding from other sources.
- 2.3 This has now been done, with £24,000 agreed from Section 106 and £27,000 approved by Learning and Leisure and formal approval of the Well-being monies is now sought.

3.0 Implications For Council Policy And Governance

- 3.1 Renewal of the play area links to the Area Committees priorities of Streetscene / Environment; Young People and Regeneration, as outlined in the Outer West Area Delivery Plan. This also addresses the Council's corporate objective of "creating better neighbourhoods and confident communities".

4.0 Legal And Resource Implications

- 4.1 This will require approval of £27,000 from the Outer West Leeds Well-being (Revenue) budget.

5.0 Conclusions

- 5.1 In principal approval was given in December 2005 for part funding of this project, subject to the identification and approval of match funding from other sources. This match funding is now in place and formal approval of the Well-being portion of funding is now sought.

6.0 Recommendations

- 6.1 The Outer West Area Committee is requested to formally approve the £27,000 from their 2006/07 Wellbeing Budget for the refurbishment of the play area on Chatsworth Recreation Ground.