

Cunninghame House,
Irvine.

21 January 2015

Irvine Area Committee

You are requested to attend a Meeting of the above mentioned Committee of North Ayrshire Council to be held in Irvine and Kilwinning Committee Room, Cunninghame House, Irvine on **THURSDAY 28 JANUARY 2016** at **2:00 p.m** to consider the undernoted business.

Yours faithfully

Elma Murray

Chief Executive

1. Declarations of Interest

Members are requested to give notice of any declarations of interest in respect of items of business on the Agenda.

2. Minutes (Page 5)

The accuracy of the Minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 3 December 2015 will be confirmed and the Minutes signed in accordance with Paragraph 7 (1) of Schedule 7 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 (copy enclosed).

3. Community Planning

3.1 North Ayrshire Community Planning Partnership (CPP) Board: Minutes of Meeting held on 3 December 2015 (Page 9)

Submit report by the Chief Executive on the Minutes of the Community Planning Partnership Board held on 3 December 2015 (copy enclosed).

3.2 Police Scotland (Page 19)

Police Scotland will report on activity within the Irvine area (copy enclosed).

3.3 Scottish Fire and Rescue Service (Page 23)

Submit report by the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service on activity within the Irvine area during the period 1 April - 30 November 2015 (copy enclosed).

4. Community Development Grant Scheme Award and Local Youth Action Fund: Applications for Financial Assistance 2015/16 (Page 27)

Submit report by the Executive Director (Economy and Communities) on applications received in respect of the Local Youth Action Fund (copy enclosed).

5. Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Irvine Area Committee will be held on 10 March 2016 in the Irvine and Kilwinning Committee Room, Cunninghame House, Irvine.

6. Urgent Items

Any other items which the Chair considers to be urgent.

Irvine Area Committee

Sederunt: Joan Sturgeon (Chair)
Matthew Brown
Marie Burns
Ian Clarkson
John Easdale
Ruth Maguire
David O'Neill
Irene Oldfather

Chair:

Attending:

Apologies:

Meeting Ended:

Irvine Area Committee
3 December 2015

Irvine, 3 December 2015 - At a Meeting of the Irvine Area Committee of North Ayrshire Council at 2.00 p.m.

Present

Joan Sturgeon, Matthew Brown, Marie Burns, Ian Clarkson and Ruth Maguire.

In Attendance

A. Sutton, Head of Service (Connected Communities), J. McHarg, Senior Manager (Participation and Empowerment), L. Forsyth, Cultural Development Manager and B. Anderson, Performance/Grants Information Officer (Economy and Communities); C. Dempster, Assistant Network Manager (Place); M. Sugden, Communications Officer, A. Little, Committee Services Officer and E. Gray, Committee Services Support Officer (Chief Executive's).

Also In Attendance

Inspector J. McMillan (Police Scotland); G. Durkin (Scottish Book Trust); and D. Dunlop (Chair, Irvine Youth Forum).

Chair

Provost Sturgeon in the Chair.

Apologies for Absence

John Easdale, Irene Oldfather and David O'Neill.

Chair's Remarks

In terms of Standing Order 9.1, the Chair agreed to vary the order of business to allow earlier consideration of Item 5 - Proposal for the naming of the new Cultural, Community and Leisure Centre in Irvine.

1. Declarations of Interest

In terms of Standing Order 10 and Section 5 of the Code of Conduct for Councillors, Councillor Burns, as a member of KA Leisure Board, declared an interest in Agenda Item 3 Proposal for the naming of the new Cultural, Community and Leisure Centre in Irvine.

2. Minutes

The Minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 22 October 2015 were confirmed and the Minutes signed in accordance with Paragraph 7 (1) of Schedule 7 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973.

3. Proposal for the naming of the new Cultural, Community and Leisure Centre in Irvine

Submitted report by Executive Director (Economy & Communities) on (a) the community engagement process relating to the naming of the new Cultural, Community and Leisure Centre in Irvine; (b) the information gathered from the focus groups and events in the local community; (c) information on the range of themes considered by the focus groups; and (d) the involvement of local creative media companies at an early stage to allow them to bid for the contracts to develop a branding proposal for the centre.

Gerry Durkin, visiting Reader-in-Residence with North Ayrshire Council and David Dunlop, Chair of Irvine Youth Forum provided information on their involvement in the focus groups that took place to engage the local community in the consultation process.

The Committee agreed to recommend to Cabinet that the new cultural, community and leisure centre be named "The Portal".

4. Community Planning

4.1 Police Scotland

Inspector McMillan circulated a report on activity within the Irvine area during October 2015 and provided information on crimes reported and detected in the Committee's area, which included:-

- an increase in hate crime in the Irvine West area;
- an increase in youth disorder at the construction site at Ayrshire Centre Hospital and support and advice that will be provided to the site security to prevent youths gaining entry to the site; and
- work with Streetscene and Scottish Fire and Rescue to address the increase in the theft of wheelie bins and the fire setting of these stolen bins.

Members asked questions and were provided with further information in relation to:-

- the increase in knives/offensive weapons incidents which includes individuals who have picked up objects from the street;
- the inclusion of verbal abuse of Police Officers and emergency services staff within the hate crimes category;
- crimes that are recorded and included in crime data, but following investigation/analysis proved to be unfounded; and
- information that will be provided to Members on traffic offences in the High Street, Irvine, including the number of vehicles driven through the one-way system in the wrong direction.

Noted.

4.2 Scottish Fire and Rescue Service

Submitted report by the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service on activity within the Irvine area during the period 1 April 2015 to 30 September 2015.

Noted.

5. Winter Service and Weather Emergencies Plan 2015

Submitted report by the Executive Director (Place) on the Roads Winter Service and Weather Emergencies Plan 2015, in support of the Council's statutory duties under the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984. The Winter Action Plan, which detailed service improvements, was attached at Appendix 1 to the report. The Roads Winter Services and Weather Emergencies Plan 2015, was attached at Appendix 2 and identified and highlighted the priorities for winter treatment.

Members asked questions and were provided with further information in relation to gritting of priority 1 footway routes that includes access to schools, but does not include the safe walking routes to schools.

The Committee agreed (a) to note (i) the Roads Winter Services and Weather Emergencies Plan 2015; and (ii) the continued development and improvement in the winter service; and (b) that the Executive Director (Place) examine the requirement for gritting of the safe walking route from Bank Street to St. Marks Primary School, Irvine and the route from Tarryholm to Glebe Primary, Irvine, which includes the area from the Fullartoun Arches to the footbridge.

6. Community Development Grant Scheme Award and Local Youth Action Fund: Applications for Financial Assistance 2015/16

Submitted report by Executive Director (Economy and Communities) on applications received in respect of the Community Development Grants Scheme Award and Local Youth Action Fund.

The Committee agreed to make the following awards:-

Community Development Grants

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| Dreghorn Community Association | £2,000.00 |
| Friends of the Harbour Arts Centre | £1,500.00 |
| Drybridge Hall Management Association | £2,000.00 |
| North Ayrshire Food Bank | £99.20 |

Local Youth Action Fund Grants

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| Fullartoun Community Association | £750 |
| Irvine Rugby Club | £500 |
| Springside Youth Group | £1,584 |
| Bourtreehill Youth Group | £1,200 |

7. Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Irvine Area Committee will be held on 28 January 2016, in Cunninghame House, Irvine.

The meeting ended at 2.40 p.m.

NORTH AYRSHIRE COUNCIL

Agenda Item 3.1

28 January 2016

Irvine Area Committee

Title: **North Ayrshire Council Community Planning Partnership (CPP) Board Minutes of Meeting held on 3 December 2015**

Purpose: To submit the minute of the meeting of the North Ayrshire Community Planning Partnership Board (CPP) held on 3 December 2015.

Recommendation: That the Committee notes the minutes contained in Appendix 1.

1. Executive Summary

- 1.1 It was previously agreed that the minutes of the Community Planning Partnership (CPP) Board be submitted to Irvine Area Committee for information. The key matters arising from the minutes have been highlighted for the attention of the Committee and are detailed in paragraph 2.1.

2. Background

- 2.1 Minutes of the meeting of the CPP Board held on 3 December are appended. Particular matters for the Committee's attention include the following:

Agenda Item 4

The Board noted the new North Ayrshire Antisocial Behaviour Strategy 2015- 2018 and commended its content.

Agenda Item 5

Craig Hatton presented the North Ayrshire Council Road Safety Plan 2015-2020 to the Board. The Board noted the Road Safety Plan and its commitment to a partnership approach.

Agenda Item 6

Audrey Sutton reported to the Board on the bid to the Scottish Government Legacy 2014 Physical Activity Fund. The links between the new mental health services in Irvine, and the review of the Mental Health Strategy and this programme were highlighted by Iona Colvin.

Agenda Item 7

Mark Gallagher gave an overview of the recovery oriented systems of care (ROSC) approach and the Board received a presentation on Café Solace.

Agenda Item 8

Patrick Wiggins presented an update on the Enterprise Area in Irvine since it was designated in 2012. It was agreed that Irvine Bay and NHS Ayrshire and Arran should discuss opportunities for linking into the Enterprise Area.

Agenda Item 10a

Morna Rae advised of a recent letter from Audit Scotland which is a follow up to our previous audit. The letter presents a positive view and is complimentary of North Ayrshire CPP.

Agenda Item 10c

The Development Day to look at reviewing the Single Outcome Agreement was well attended and a good debate and discussion was initiated.

3. Proposals

- 3.1 That the Committee notes the minutes contained in Appendix 1.

4. Implications

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| Financial: | There are no financial implications arising from this report. |
| Human Resources: | There are no human resource implications arising from this report. |
| Legal: | There are no legal implications arising from this report. |
| Equality: | There are no equality implications arising from this report. |
| Environmental & Sustainability: | There are no environmental implications arising from this report. |
| Key Priorities: | The CPP activities detailed within this report support the Single Outcome Agreement. |
| Community Benefits: | There are no community benefits arising from this report.. |

5. Consultation

5.1 No consultations were required.



ELMA MURRAY
Chief Executive

Reference :

For further information please contact Morna Rae on 01294 324177

Background Papers

None

North Ayrshire Community Planning Partnership

CPP Board

Minutes of Meeting held on 3 December 2015



Present

Ayrshire College

Donna Vallance, Vice Principal

Irvine Bay Urban Regeneration Company

Patrick Wiggins, Chief Executive

KA Leisure

Ashley Pringle, Director

NHS Ayrshire & Arran

John Burns (Chief Executive)

Martin Cheyne (Chair)

North Ayrshire Council

Anthea Dickson, Elected Member

Alex Gallagher, Elected Member

Robert Steel, Elected Member

Ruth Maguire, Elected Member

Elma Murray, Chief Executive

Scottish Enterprise

Jim Reid, Stakeholders and Networks Director

Skills Development Scotland

Andrea Glass, Depute Director

Scottish Fire & Rescue Service

Jim Scott, Area Manager

Police Scotland

Divisional Commander Gillian MacDonald

Chief Inspector Tim Ross

Third Sector Interface

Jim Nichols, CEO

In Attendance

Iona Colvin (Director of North Ayrshire Health and Social Care Partnership), Morna Rae (Community Planning Team Leader), Linda Brough (Policy & Community Planning Officer), Audrey Sutton (Head of Service-Economies and Communities, NAC) Pat Kelly, (ASB co-ordinator, NAC) Jaqueline Cameron (Principal Officer, ASB, NAC) Craig Hatton (Executive Director- Place), Angela Reid (Recovery at Work Group) Cheryl Gilmour (Alcohol and Drugs Partnership), Mark Gallagher (Alcohol and Drugs Partnership)

Apologies for absence

Alan Comrie (SPT), Catriona Morton (DWP), Heather Dunk (Ayrshire College), Katie Hutton (Skills Development Scotland), John Butcher (NAC), Cllr William Gibson (NAC)

Chair

Dr Martin Cheyne in the Chair

1. Welcome and Apologies

The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting and apologies were noted.

2. Minutes of Previous Meeting

The Minutes of the CPP Board meeting of 10 September 2015 were approved.

3. Matters Arising from Minutes

Elma Murray gave an update on the Boundary Commission Review. She advised that she had met the Commission along with the Leader of the Council, Leader of the Opposition, and Andrew Fraser. They were able to give a detailed explanation of the Locality Approach, what it is meant to achieve and why it is so important to partners. We await a final decision from the Boundary Commission.

4. Anti-Social Behaviour Strategy (ASB)

Jacqueline Cameron presented the new ASB Strategy to the Board.

The North Ayrshire Antisocial Behaviour Strategy 2015-18 is framed around the four pillars of prevention, integration, engagement and communication. Each pillar is considered in detail throughout the strategy, including the strategic aims and outcomes that will shape partners' work in relation to each one. The strategy will enable core services involved in the Safer North Ayrshire Partnership to tackle antisocial behaviour efficiently and effectively, and work to achieve the outcomes described within the strategy document and Single Outcome Agreement.

In reply to a question on anti-social behaviour conducted through social media the Board received re-assurance from NAC and Police Scotland that this incorporated within the strategy. Hate crime for example is referred to Police Scotland for investigation.

The Board noted the ASB Strategy and commended its content.

5. Road Safety Plan

Craig Hatton presented the North Ayrshire Council Road Safety Plan 2015-2020 to the Board. This plan will be used to guide road safety education and engineering priorities and commitments until 2020. It represents a partnership approach to road safety.

In North Ayrshire over the 5 year period 2009-2013, there were a total of 265 people killed or injured on our roads. This compares with 279 killed or injured during the previous 5 year period (2006-2010). While these results are ahead of the Scottish Road Safety Framework milestone casualty reduction targets set for 2010 to 2015, we need to continue to maintain this downward trend to meet the 2020 targets. The new plan sets out road safety commitments for the period 2015-2020, highlighting categories of the most vulnerable road users that are to be targeted and takes cognisance of the lessons learned in previous plans. The plan also draws upon recent initiatives that have been successful in assisting in the delivery of a reduction in road casualties.

Following questions from Board members it was confirmed that the main cause of accidents is inappropriate driver behaviour and the strategy targets this through prevention. It was also noted that local targets fit with the national target-setting.

The Board noted the Road Safety Plan and its commitment to a partnership approach.

6. Legacy 2014 Bid

Audrey Sutton reported to the Board on the bid to the Scottish Government Legacy 2014 Physical Activity Fund.

The North Physical Activity and Sport Partnership, comprising North Ayrshire Council, KA Leisure Ltd and NHS Ayrshire and Arran successfully submitted a bid to the Scottish Government Legacy 2014 Physical Activity Fund managed by Spirit 2012. £70,000 has been awarded for one year. From the funds received, £7,000 has been allocated for external evaluation of the project.

The funding will support the development of the Active North Ayrshire (ANA) community based Exercise on Referral Programme which is delivered by KA Leisure. The funds will enable a specific referral pathway for individuals with mental health issues and is titled 'Mind and Be Active'.

The links between the new mental health services in Irvine, and the review of the Mental Health Strategy and this programme were highlighted by Iona Colvin.

Cllr Dickson commended those involved with developing the programme.

7. Alcohol and Drug Partnership- Recovery at Work Group

Mark Gallagher gave an overview of the recovery oriented systems of care (ROSC) approach. ROSC is about client centred care, looking at the whole person's circumstances and not just treating an addiction.

Cheryl Gilmour spoke to the Board about Café Solace. This is a community resource providing low cost, good quality food and opportunity for the people of North Ayrshire. It is run by volunteers in recovery, all with appropriate training, experience and qualifications, who want to support their local community. As well as the opportunity to build social networks in a safe and welcoming place, Café Solace offers a chance to find out important information about services and supports, about what's going on in North Ayrshire and how people might get involved. It is open every Wednesday from 5-8pm at the Church of the Nazarene in Ardrossan. Initially it was expected that 10-20 customers per night would visit but there have been 1500 customers since June 2015. A second location for another Café Solace is being considered.

Angela Reid spoke about her personal experience of the Recovery at Work group and of working in Café Solace. She commented on the team work and the skills and confidence she has developed through participation.

The Chair thanked the presenters and congratulated them on the success of this area of work.

8. Enterprise Area

Patrick Wiggins presented an update on the Enterprise Area in Irvine since it was designated in 2012. He highlighted the strong links to Glaxo Smith Kline and briefed the Board on GSK's recent power production developments. The financial incentives and business supports in place have led to the following successes: over 100,000 sq ft of space let, 9 businesses invested in i3, over £100m capital investment, 411 permanent jobs attracted plus 534 contractors. The existing business premises are now fully occupied and they are moving to a new build programme. This is challenging due to market failure.

Following comment on the Ayrshire Growth Deal by Jim Reid it was agreed that it would be useful for a future CPP Board to receive a briefing on this.

John Burns commented that Irvine Bay and NHS Ayrshire and Arran should discuss opportunities for linking into the Enterprise Area and build on opportunities for research and development. Additionally, NHS Ayrshire and Arran may be able to provide business incubator space.

9. Locality Approach

Audrey Sutton gave an update on progress with the Locality Approach. Consultation workshops across North Ayrshire have been carried out with one still to take place in Cumbrae. There have been good levels of engagement and the comments received are currently being analysed. An update on the output of the consultation will be provided to the Board. She highlighted the award received from the Consultation Institute which recognises the effective partnership approach taken to the consultation.

10. Governance:

a. Audit Scotland Correspondence

Morna Rae advised of a recent letter from Audit Scotland which is follow up to our previous audit. The letter presents a positive view and is complimentary of North Ayrshire CPP.

b. Meetings with Chair of the CPP

Morna Rae updated the Board on one-to-one meetings that the Chair of the Board had with each Board member to seek their views on how well they feel the CPP and the Board operates. They were asked for their views on the timing, frequency and content of meetings, their ability to challenge/ comment and feedback and to input generally.

The feedback from Board members was generally very positive. There was a feeling that although the agendas are busy it was dealt with well, so keeping the frequency of meetings manageable. There was also a belief that the governance and scrutiny aspects were well covered within the agenda and Board members felt able to challenge when necessary. There was also comment that the Elected Members participate well and are very informed about most agenda topics.

Suggestions for improvement include Board away days to allow people to interact and increase awareness of the remit of other organisations and holding Board meetings at partner premises.

c. Single Outcome Agreement Development

The Development Day to look at reviewing the Single Outcome Agreement was well attended and good debate and discussion was initiated though the evidence arising from consultation and the recent feedback from the People's Panel. Four issues were agreed as being priorities or themes these included the three current SOA priorities plus children and young people.

Further work on the SOA will take place with a view to the new plan being developed by March 2015.

d. SOA Six Monthly Performance Report

Linda Brough provided an update on the performance status of the SOA action plan at 6 months. Two indicators were slightly adrift and relevant information was provided in relation to this. Generally the Board agreed that the partners are making good progress towards the annual targets.

11. Chairs' Reports

a. Safer North Ayrshire Partnership

Tim Ross provided the SNAP Chairs report to the board. He asked that the Board note a positive improvement regarding bonfire night and a decrease in violence towards services. An update was provided on the White Ribbon Campaign to end domestic violence. He also pointed out that the road safety campaign will begin tomorrow.

b. Children's Services Strategic Partnership

Iona Colvin provided an update and advised that following a period of development and consultation, the Children's Services Plan will be brought to the CPP Board in March.

c. Health and Social Care Partnership

Cllr Dickson presented a report updating on the work of the Health and Social Care Partnership. The Board discussed care at home services and the increasing demands for care work.

12. Urgent and Future Agenda Items

Board members were encouraged to sign the White Ribbon Campaign pledge never to commit, condone or remain silent about men's violence against women in all its forms. The pledge forms part of the 16 days of action against gender violence.

The next meeting of the CPP Board is 24 March 2015 at 10.30am within the Council Chambers, Cunninghame House, Irvine.



**Irvine Area Committees
January 2016**

North Ayrshire Policing Priorities for 2014-2017 are -

1. Drug Dealing and Drug Misuse
2. Violence and Antisocial Behaviour
3. Dishonesty
4. Road Safety

This report includes information relating to the Multi Member Ward Area's for **Irvine West (Ward 1) and Irvine East (Ward 2)** for the period of December 2015.

The Local Community Policing Plan priorities for 2014/2015 form the main focus of our proactivity and support for public reassurance continues. The priorities as formulated from the public consultation exercise for 2014/15 are -

Irvine West – Ward 1

1. Violent Crime
2. Drug Dealing and Drug Misuse
3. Antisocial Behaviour
4. Youth Causing

Irvine East – Ward 2

1. Violent Crime
2. Drug Dealing and Drug Misuse
3. Youth Causing
4. Antisocial Behaviour
5. Housebreakings

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Ward 1 – Irvine West

A breakdown of the crime/offence statistics and incidents for the Multi Member Ward Area for **Irvine West** (Ward 1) are detailed below.

| Crimes – Ward 1 | Comparison between December 2015 and December 2014 | | | |
|------------------------|--|-----------|---------------|----------|
| | December 2015 | | December 2014 | |
| | Reports | Detected | Reports | Detected |
| All Crimes | 288 | 216 (75%) | 293 | 215 |
| Serious Assault | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Common Assault | 39 | 24 | 38 | 26 |
| Robbery | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Housebreaking | 6 | 4 | 5 | 0 |
| Damage to Property | 15 | 4 | 18 | 6 |
| Drugs Misuse | 10 | 10 | 21 | 19 |
| Motor Vehicle Offences | 81 | 79 | 61 | 61 |

Directed Patrol Plans

Community Policing officers continue to be actively involved in public reassurance through high visibility policing, engagement with community groups and social media.

Due to reported/identified incident patterns, officers have been tasked with addressing the following issues in the ward –

1. Irvine Town Centre – Disorder / Violence
2. Ayrshire Central Hospital – Youth Disorder

RESTRICTED

Ward 2 – Irvine East

A breakdown of the crime/offence statistics and incidents for the Multi Member Ward Area for **Irvine East** (Ward 2) are detailed below.

| Crimes – Ward 2 | Comparison between December 2015 and December 2014 | | | |
|------------------------|--|------------|---------------|------------|
| | December 2015 | | December 2014 | |
| | Reports | Detected | Reports | Detected |
| All Crimes | 125 | 81 (64.8%) | 116 | 89 (76.7%) |
| Serious Assault | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Common Assault | 16 | 11 | 20 | 16 |
| Robbery | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Housebreaking | 2 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| Damage to Property | 11 | 5 | 15 | 3 |
| Drugs misuse | 11 | 7 | 7 | 7 |
| Motor Vehicle Offences | 25 | 23 | 28 | 28 |

Directed Patrol Plans

Community Policing officers continue to be actively involved in public reassurance through high visibility policing, engagement with community groups and social media.

Due to reported/identified incident patterns, officers have been tasked with addressing the following issues in the ward –

1. Theft of Wheelie Bins

Inspector Jim McMillan U47
Community Policing
Irvine West/ Irvine East & Kilwinning

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Scottish Fire & Rescue Service

Ward Performance Report Irvine West & Irvine East Fiscal year.

1st April – 30th November 2015

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|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Deliberate fires | 2011/12 | 2012/13 | 2013/14 | 2014/15 | 2015/16 |
| Irvine West | 77 | 74 | 70 | 96 | 84 |
| Irvine East | 61 | 64 | 50 | 41 | 49 |
| Deliberate Primary Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 8 | 4 | 5 | 7 | 8 |
| Irvine East | 6 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 5 |
| Deliberate Dwelling Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Irvine East | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Deliberate Other Building Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 3 |
| Irvine East | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 |
| Deliberate Vehicle Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Irvine East | 2 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 2 |
| Deliberate Other Primary Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Irvine East | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Deliberate Secondary Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 69 | 70 | 65 | 89 | 76 |
| Irvine East | 55 | 58 | 45 | 34 | 44 |
| Deliberate Secondary Refuse Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 22 | 28 | 22 | 33 | 27 |
| Irvine East | 21 | 27 | 14 | 21 | 19 |
| Deliberate Secondary Other Fires | | | | | |

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| Irvine West | 47 | 42 | 43 | 56 | 49 |
| Irvine East | 34 | 31 | 31 | 13 | 25 |
| Accidental Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 27 | 32 | 39 | 33 | 31 |
| Irvine East | 16 | 13 | 20 | 15 | 20 |
| All Accidental Primary Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 21 | 29 | 27 | 22 | 29 |
| Irvine East | 15 | 11 | 15 | 13 | 19 |
| All Accidental Dwelling Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 10 | 21 | 17 | 15 | 20 |
| Irvine East | 9 | 7 | 14 | 11 | 13 |
| All Accidental Other Buildings Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 8 | 6 | 7 | 3 | 7 |
| Irvine East | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| All Accidental Vehicle Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Irvine East | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| All Accidental Other Primary Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Irvine East | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| All Accidental Secondary Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 6 | 3 | 12 | 9 | 1 |
| Irvine East | 1 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 1 |
| All Accidental Secondary Refuse Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Irvine East | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| All Accidental Secondary Other Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 6 | 3 | 8 | 7 | 1 |
| Irvine East | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| All Fire Casualties | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 4 | 3 | 4 | 9 | 6 |
| Irvine East | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 |

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| All Fatal Fire Casualties | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Irvine East | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Non- fatal Fire Casualties (excluding precautionary check up) | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 1 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 4 |
| Irvine East | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| Non-fatal Fire Casualties (including precautionary check up) | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 3 | 3 | 4 | 9 | 6 |
| Irvine East | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 |
| Fatal Dwelling Fire Casualties | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Irvine East | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Non-fatal Dwelling Fire Casualties (exc check up) | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 1 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 4 |
| Irvine East | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| Non-fatal Dwelling Fire Casualties (inc check up) | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 3 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 6 |
| Irvine East | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 |
| Non Domestic Fires | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 11 | 6 | 8 | 7 | 10 |
| Irvine East | 4 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 5 |
| All Special Services | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 21 | 21 | 17 | 26 | 24 |
| Irvine East | 14 | 13 | 8 | 21 | 29 |
| Special Service Road Traffic Collision (RTC) | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 5 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Irvine East | 7 | 3 | 1 | 7 | 4 |
| Special Service Flooding | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 2 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 2 |
| Irvine East | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Special Service Extrication | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |

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| Irvine East | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Special Service Other | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 12 | 16 | 12 | 19 | 22 |
| Irvine East | 6 | 6 | 6 | 10 | 20 |
| Non-fatal Casualty RTC | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Irvine East | 5 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 1 |
| Fatal Casualty RTC | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Irvine East | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| All False Alarms | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 157 | 165 | 173 | 158 | 171 |
| Irvine East | 78 | 86 | 102 | 83 | 76 |
| False Alarm Good Intent | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 46 | 44 | 42 | 55 | 40 |
| Irvine East | 25 | 20 | 33 | 23 | 24 |
| False Alarm Malicious | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 8 | 5 | 8 | 9 | 9 |
| Irvine East | 9 | 2 | 9 | 6 | 6 |
| False Alarm Equipment | | | | | |
| Irvine West | 103 | 116 | 123 | 94 | 122 |
| Irvine East | 44 | 64 | 60 | 54 | 46 |

As requested at a previous meeting I have included the figures for previous years to allow members to compare the statistics.

Stephen Logan

Station Manager

Scottish Fire And Rescue Service

20 January 2016

NORTH AYRSHIRE COUNCIL

Agenda Item 4

28 January 2016

Irvine Area Committee

Title: **Community Development Grant Scheme Award and Local Youth Action Fund: Applications for Financial Assistance 2015/16**

Purpose: To advise the Committee of applications received in respect of the Local Youth Action Fund.

Recommendation: Agree that the Committee considers and determines the applications as outlined in Appendix 2 of this report.

1. Executive Summary

- 1.1 The Community Development Grant Scheme Award for the Irvine Area Committee is fully expended for this financial year of 2015/16.
- 1.2 The Local Youth Action Fund has a balance of £6,963.56 available for disbursement.

2. Background

- 2.1 Applications have been received within a number of categories of the Local Youth Action. Details of these applications are summarised in Appendix 2 of this report.

3. Proposals

- 3.1 It is proposed that the Committee considers the applications as outlined in Appendix 3 of this report.

4. Implications

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| Financial: | Awards will be met for the available balance. |
| Human Resources: | There are no human resource implications arising from this report. |
| Legal: | There are no legal issues arising from this report. |
| Equality: | There are no equality issues arising from this report. |
| Environmental & Sustainability: | There are no environmental and sustainability issues arising from this report. |
| Key Priorities: | <p>By supporting the applications listed in Appendix 3 to this report will assist in achieving outcomes:</p> <p>Children's health and wellbeing is improved through breaking the cycle of poverty, inequality and poor outcomes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Children and young people are nurtured and parents are supported.● Children and young people are safe, healthy, active, aspiring and achieving.● The life chances of vulnerable children and young people are improved. |
| Community Benefits: | None. |

5. Consultation

- 5.1 Consultation has taken place between the applicant bodies and the appropriate officers of the Council.



KAREN YEOMANS
Executive Director (Economy and Communities)

Reference : JMcH/BA

For further information please contact Jim McHarg, Senior Manager, Participation and Empowerment Team on 01294 324424.

Background Papers

None

Community Development Grant Scheme Award 2015/16

Irvine

Amount Allocated 2013/14: £28,895

Amount Allocated 2014/15: £28,483

Amount Allocated 2015/16: £28,895

| Group/Organisation | Ref No. CDGS | Client Group | Purpose of Grant | Amount £ | Balance 28,895.00 | 50% Split 14,447.50 |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|-------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| Townend Camera Club | | Community | Exhibition costs | 1,400.00 | 27,495.00 | 13,047.50 |
| Townend Squash Club | | Sports | Equipment | 1,080.00 | 26,415.00 | 11,967.50 |
| The Butterfly Club | | ASN | IT equipment / cameras | 292.00 | 26,123.00 | 11,675.50 |
| Irvine Town Twinning Assoc. | | Community | Town twinning event | 1,000.00 | 25,123.00 | 10,675.50 |
| Irvine Horticultural Society | | Community | Marymass Flower Show | 517.00 | 24,606.00 | 10,158.50 |
| Springside Gala Committee | | Community | Springside gala costs | 1,711.00 | 22,895.00 | 8,447.50 |
| Irvine Toxophilites Archery | | Sports | Storage container | 1,000.00 | 21,895.00 | 7,447.50 |
| Irvine & Dreghorn Brass Band | | Musical | Transport costs | 1,000.00 | 20,895.00 | 6,447.50 |
| Irvine & District Pipe Band | | Musical | Transport costs | 1,650.00 | 19,245.00 | 4,797.50 |
| Marymass Festival Committee | | Community | Festival costs | 2,000.00 | 17,245.00 | 2,797.50 |
| Giving Something Back | | Community | Breakfast clubs, laptop, trg. | 1,500.00 | 15,745.00 | 1,297.50 |
| Marymass Folk Festival | | Community/Music | PA and lighting hire | 1,300.00 | 14,445.00 | |
| Irvine Beat FM | | Community/Health | Licences | 1,732.80 | 12,712.20 | |
| Cunninghamhead Res. Assoc | | Community | Planters with lettering | 2,000.00 | 10,712.20 | |
| Kat O Lok Fu Chinese Eld. Grp. | | Community/OP | Kitchen equipment | 320.00 | 10,392.20 | |
| Ayrshire Chinese Info & Adv. | | Community/Ethnic | PC and software | 549.00 | 9,843.20 | |
| Irvine Carters Society | | Community | Display banners & publicity | 788.00 | 9,055.20 | |
| Foodbank | | Community | Professional fees & visit | 656.00 | 8,399.20 | |
| Age Concern - B/Lands & B/hill | | Older People | Kitchen utensils | 1,000.00 | 7,399.20 | |
| Winton Bowling Club | | Community/Disabled | Upgrade of toilets | 1,800.00 | 5,599.20 | |
| Dreghorn Community Assoc | 26 | Community | IT equipment/software | 2,000.00 | 3,599.20 | |
| Friends of the HAC | 27 | Community/Arts | Contemporary Burns Comm. | 1,500.00 | 2,099.20 | |
| Drybridge Hall Mgt. Assoc. | 28 | Community | Kitchen refurbishment | 2,000.00 | 99.20 | |
| North Ayrshire Foodbank | 29 | Community | Christmas event | 99.20 | 0.00 | |
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Local Youth Action Fund 2015/16

Irvine

Amount Allocated 2013/14: £16,856

Amount Allocated 2014/15: £16,856

Amount Allocated 2015/16: £15,450

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| Local Youth Action Fund 2015/16 | | | | |
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| Applications from Organisations seeking Financial Assistance - Irvine Area Committee - 28 January 2016 | | | | |
| Organisation | Purpose of Grant | Amount Requested | Amount Recommended | Comments |
| <p>Teen Charlie Group</p> <p>Meeting place: Milian Suite, Bank Street, Irvine</p> <p>Numbers attending: 4</p> <p>Balance in bank: £4,000 (restricted funds on projects associated with the group)</p> <p>Past awards: 0</p> | <p>To provide young people with information on alternatives to drugs by producing a film resource:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drama workshops - £240 • Script - £900 • Resources - £800 • Directors fee - £1,500 • Composer - £500 • Director of photography fee - £1,200 • Camera, sound & light equipment - £125 • Post production & editor fees - £2,700 • Actors fees - £500 <p>Total cost of project - £8,465</p> | £2,000 | £1,940 | <p>This applications shows an example of innovation and development by making a resource that can be used in a variety of different organisation to provide information and support to other young people .</p> <p>This resource will involve participation with the Young Person Support Team, Secondary Schools and Child Protection Committee.</p> <p>The recommended amount will go towards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drama workshops - £240 • Script - £900 • Resources - £800 <p>The group are receiving funding from other sources.</p> |
| <p>Capall Dorcha Theatre Company</p> <p>Meeting place: various locations throughout North Ayrshire (during school holidays)</p> <p>Numbers attending: 3 in Committee</p> <p>Balance in bank: £0</p> <p>Past awards: 0</p> | <p>Costs towards Introduction to Shakespeare Workshop:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drama facilitator - £2,835 • Hall hire - £630 • Admin and management - £300 • Facilitator travel - £123.90 • Workshop tools (print, photocopy and stationery) - £25 • Contingency - £117.42 <p>Total cost of project - £4,031.32</p> | £2,835 | £1,500 (£500 from this Area Committee) | <p>Following on from the success of free workshops in secondary schools, they now wish to develop this further by offering these workshops.</p> <p>The group are actively fundraising and applying for external funding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cal Mac Ferries • Ardrossan Community Development Trust • Lloyds TSB • Co-op Awards (finalists) <p>The recommended amount will go towards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hall hire - £630 • Workshop tools - £25 • £845 towards the drama facilitator <p>The criteria for funding does not include admin and contingency costs.</p> |

| Local Youth Action Fund 2015/16 | | | | |
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| Applications from Organisations seeking Financial Assistance - Irvine Area Committee - 28 January 2016 | | | | |
| Organisation | Purpose of Grant | Amount Requested | Amount Recommended | Comments |
| <p>Your Options Understood</p> <p>Meeting place: Various places throughout North Ayrshire</p> <p>Numbers attending: 20+</p> <p>Balance in bank: £383.78 (restricted funds for general running costs).</p> <p>Past awards: 0</p> | <p>Costs towards an event to encourage participation, engagement and involvement of disabled young people:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Venue hire - £34.40 • Advertisement and publicity - £70 • Projector and laptop - £729 • Travel costs (disabled) - £1,000 • Easel pad, easel and white board pens - £115 • Merchandise - £32 • Website start up cost - £255 • Insurance - £190 • Volunteer costs - £200 • Speaker - £50 <p>Total cost of project - £2,675.40</p> | £1,675 | £1,675 | <p>This is a new organisation (not for profit) providing information on choices for people. They aim to encourage participation, engagement and involvement of disabled young people in service delivery and civic life.</p> <p>They also aim to deliver training on equalities to other interested individuals and groups to contribute to the sustainability of the organisation.</p> <p>The Prince's Trust is also a partner, supporting the group with this event.</p> <p>The group have made partnerships with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Princes Trust • North Ayrshire Council's Social Services • AILN • WEA • TACT - for volunteers <p>The recommended amount will go towards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Venue hire - £34.40 • Advertising & promotion - £70 • Projector & laptop - £729 • Easet pad, easel and white board pens - £115 • Webside start up costs (one-off award) - £255 • Speaker - £50 • Insurance - £190 • £231.60 towards travel costs |

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| Noonday | Costs towards Positive Steps Social Programme: | £1,788.60 | £1,700 | The recommended amount will benefit youths who attend the cafe on a regular basis along with parents and mother and toddler groups. |
| Meeting place: Oasis Cafe, Irvine | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Programme costs - £1,788.60 | | | |
| Numbers attending: 85 | Total cost of project - £1,788.60 | | | |
| Balance in bank: £10,443.86 (restricted funds towards staff costs and general running costs). | | | | The proposed activity will raise awareness and understanding of health and wellbeing issues and participants will share practical ways of preventing or reducing harm, and aiding or experiencing recovery. |
| Past awards: LYAF | | | | The group provide a service to the community and seek to help people who are vulnerable, oppressed and in need of support. |
| 2008/09 awarded £2,000 towards equipment. | | | | |
| 2009/10 awarded £2,000 towards general running costs. | | | | They have attracted several external funding awards for their outstanding work with local people in the community. |
| 2010/11 awarded £2,000 towards general running costs. | | | | |
| 2011/12 awarded £1,300 towards equipment. | | | | The recommended amount will enable the group to provide the positive steps social programme. |
| 2012/13 awarded £1,856.01 towards equipment & social education. | | | | |
| 2013/14 awarded £1,500 towards young people's activities. | | | | |
| CDGS | | | | |
| 2009/10 awarded £3,000 towards general running costs. | | | | |
| 2010/11 awarded £1,500 towards general running costs. | | | | |
| 2011/12 awarded £1,000 towards general running costs. | | | | |
| 2012/13 awarded £1,500 towards arts programme. | | | | |
| 2013/14 awarded £1,199.82 towards kitchen equipment. | | | | |
| 2014/15 awarded £2,000 towards positive steps programme. | | | | |

| Local Youth Action Fund 2015/16 | | | | |
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| Applications from Organisations seeking Financial Assistance - Irvine Area Committee - 28 January 2016 | | | | |
| Organisation | Purpose of Grant | Amount Requested | Amount Recommended | Comments |
| <p>Ayrshire Healthy Living Enterprise</p> <p>Meeting place: 10 Sanderson Avenue, Irvine</p> <p>Numbers attending: 60+ weekly.</p> <p>Balance in bank: £24,909.15 (restricted funds towards operating and project costs).</p> <p>Past awards:</p> <p>CDGS</p> <p>2012/13 awarded £1,950 towards start up costs.</p> <p>2013/14 awarded £1,200 towards refurbishment of meeting room.</p> <p>2014/15 awarded £600 towards steering group start up costs.</p> <p>LYAF</p> <p>2014/15 awarded £1,500 towards music lessons for young people.</p> | <p>Costs towards advice and support to Young people:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dedicated support time for 100 young people - £1,560 • Admin and photocopying, email, postage and advertising - £300 • Evaluation - £75 <p>Total cost of project - £3,000 (not all items listed within application).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • £1,056 in kind from AHLE | £1,935 | Deferred | <p>It is recommended that this application be deferred.</p> <p>There is no clear spend indicated within the application and it includes items that are not normally funded through the Local Youth Action Fund e.g. general running costs of admin, photocopying, email, postage and advertising.</p> <p>Staff will contact the organisation and offer advice on submitting an application within the prescribed criteria.</p> |



Local Youth Action Fund Assessment Form

1. Reporting Officer: Laura MacAskill
2. Department: Youth Participation and Empowerment Team
Telephone No.: 01294 475937

SECTION 1 - Details of Group/Organisation

3. Name of Group/Organisation: Teem Charlie
4. Date of Officer's Visit: 21 December 2015
5. Are you satisfied that the details contained in the Grant Application are accurate? - Yes

If NO give reasons

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6. Is the proposal a realistic undertaking of the group? - Yes

If NO explain why

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7. Does the group carry appropriate insurance for the project? - Yes
8. Does group attendance concur with the application? - Yes
Is the award sought for a new youth activity, facility or service? - Yes
9. Does your organisation cater for children under the age of 16 years for more than 2 hours and more than 6 times per year? - No

If YES, is it registered with the Care Commission under the Regulation of Care (Scotland) Act 2001? -

If NO explain why

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10. Does the expenditure meet North Ayrshire Council's Single Outcome Agreement

Priorities? - Yes

If YES, which Single Outcome Agreement Priorities are being addressed?

Children's health and wellbeing is improved through breaking the cycle of poverty, inequality and poor outcomes.

- Children and young people are safe, healthy, active, aspiring and achieving.

SECTION 2 - Criteria for Assessment

11. In which way does this application address Local Youth Action Fund Objectives?

- Increase the number of services and facilities available that provide constructive and relevant activities.
- Increase in numbers of young people accessing facilities.
- Young people to have a sustained interest and involvement in the activities provided.
- A reduction in youth related call outs to police in areas where new facilities are located.
- A reduction in community perception/concerns about youth crime.
- An increase in satisfaction of young people.

12. What youth engagement/consultation has been undertaken regarding the proposed activity, service or facility?

Youth Theatre Renfrewshire

13. What community engagement/consultation has been undertaken regarding the proposed activity, service or facility?

Child Protection Team (North Ayrshire Council)
Alcohol and Drug Partnership (North Ayrshire Council)

14. Are Partnership links in place? Yes

Child Protection Team (North Ayrshire Council)
Alcohol and Drug Partnership (North Ayrshire Council)
Youth Theatre Renfrewshire

15. Overall Assessment

The expenditure will be part of a larger grant which will have many difference funding applications feeding into it. The expenditure in this grant will enable the full activity to take place.

It will strengthen the community group through enabling them to complete the DVD that will include them working in partnership with North Ayrshire Child Protection Committee to provide a resource for their training pack.

Taking part in the activity will also work to support the young people involved to build in their confidence and film making skills. The process will require the group to work well as a team and to manage their time and resources effectively.

The resource will assess community needs through looking at substance abuse and will provide support and information to other young people who find themselves in a similar situation. The resource is part of planning for change as the hope is that it will direct young people to come along and receive support from the group.

SECTION 3 - Details of Proposed Expenditure

16. Amount Requested: £2,000

17. Group Contribution: £4,000

SECTION 4 - Recommendation

18. Support Application: Yes

19. Defer Application? No

20. Amount recommended: **£1,940**

Give reasons

This is an excellent application that will produce a support and guidance resource for young people in North Ayrshire.

The recommended amount will go towards: workshops, script and resources to enable the applications activity to take place.

Signature: Laura MacAskil

Date: 11 January 2016

Local Youth Action Fund Assessment Form

1. Reporting Officer: Marie Blackwood
2. Department: Information and Culture
Telephone No.: 01294 274059

SECTION 1 - Details of Group/Organisation

3. Name of Group/Organisation: Capall Dorcha Theatre Company
4. Date of Officer's Visit: 7 January 2016
5. Are you satisfied that the details contained in the Grant Application are accurate? - Yes

If NO give reasons

6. Is the proposal a realistic undertaking of the group? - Yes

If NO explain why

7. Does the group carry appropriate insurance for the project? - Yes
8. Does group attendance concur with the application? - Yes
Is the award sought for a new youth activity, facility or service? - No
9. Does your organisation cater for children under the age of 16 years for more than 2 hours and more than 6 times per year? - No

If YES, is it registered with the Care Commission under the Regulation of Care (Scotland) Act 2001? -

If NO explain why

10. Does the expenditure meet North Ayrshire Council's Single Outcome Agreement

Priorities? - Yes

If YES, which Single Outcome Agreement Priorities are being addressed?

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SECTION 2 - Criteria for Assessment

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- An increase in satisfaction of young people.

12. What youth engagement/consultation has been undertaken regarding the proposed activity, service or facility?

Ayrshire Youth Arts Network has been consulted, along with all the young people in the schools who participated in the free workshops.

13. What community engagement/consultation has been undertaken regarding the proposed activity, service or facility?

The group have engaged with teachers, pupils, Rangers Service and the Library Service regarding this proposed activity.

14. Are Partnership links in place? Yes

Rangers Service (Eglinton Country Park)
Library Service

15. Overall Assessment

Capall Dorcha Theatre Company have previously undertaken a great range of drama activity to the community, bringing professionals to North Ayrshire and providing opportunities for young people to work with respected actors.

Following on from the success of free workshops in secondary schools, they now wish to develop this further.

In addition to this funding, they are actively seeking additional funding and have been successful in securing funding from Cal Mac Ferries to cover the cost for 5 participants travel for the week to attend the workshops. Support from Ardrossan Community Development Trust for £250 and TSB for £500, and they have reached the final of the local co-op awards for funding and will hear the outcome of this late January.

SECTION 3 - Details of Proposed Expenditure

16. Amount Requested: £2,835

17. Group Contribution: £750

SECTION 4 - Recommendation

18. Support Application: Yes

19. Defer Application? No

20. Amount recommended: **£1,500 (£500 from this Area Committee)**

Give reasons

Supporting this week of workshops, many more young people from North Ayrshire will have the opportunity of experiencing a high quality week of drama, which ordinarily may not be available to them.

Signature: Marie Blackwood

Date: 11 January 2016

Local Youth Action Fund Assessment Form

1. Reporting Officer: Cally Hughes
2. Department: Participation and Empowerment Team
Telephone No.: 01294 475935

SECTION 1 - Details of Group/Organisation

3. Name of Group/Organisation: Your Options Understood
4. Date of Officer's Visit: 6 January 2016
5. Are you satisfied that the details contained in the Grant Application are accurate? - Yes

If NO give reasons

6. Is the proposal a realistic undertaking of the group? - Yes

If NO explain why

7. Does the group carry appropriate insurance for the project? - Yes
8. Does group attendance concur with the application? - Yes
Is the award sought for a new youth activity, facility or service? - Yes
9. Does your organisation cater for children under the age of 16 years for more than 2 hours and more than 6 times per year? - No

If YES, is it registered with the Care Commission under the Regulation of Care (Scotland) Act 2001? -

If NO explain why

10. Does the expenditure meet North Ayrshire Council's Single Outcome Agreement

Priorities? - Yes

If YES, which Single Outcome Agreement Priorities are being addressed?

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- Children and young people are nurtured and parents are supported.
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- The life chances of vulnerable children and young people are improved.

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North Ayrshire Social Services
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13. What community engagement/consultation has been undertaken regarding the proposed activity, service or facility?

North Ayrshire Social Services
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14. Are Partnership links in place? Yes

North Ayrshire Social Services
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15. Overall Assessment

This organisation aims to encourage participation, engagement and involvement of disabled people, especially young people, both in service delivery and civic life. It will achieve this through networking, exchanging information and communication. The group hopes to contribute to people's health and well-being through supporting the development of skills and confidence. It will assist individuals and communities to provide or manage services. The director will also deliver information and training on equalities to interested groups to contribute to the sustainability of the group.

SECTION 3 - Details of Proposed Expenditure

16. Amount Requested: £1,675

17. Group Contribution: £1,000

SECTION 4 - Recommendation

18. Support Application: Yes

19. Defer Application? No

20. Amount recommended: **£1,675**

Give reasons

This is a new not for profit organisation providing choices for people, especially young people. The Prince's Trust is also supporting the group. North Ayrshire Council's Social Services also supports the aims of the group and are promoting the service it provides. The group is working in partnership with these organisations as well as AILN and WEA. It is also receiving support in recruiting volunteers from TACT.

The group will provide information, advice and advocacy for disabled people, particularly in the area of self directed support. As the Managing Director is disabled, she has first-hand experience and knowledge of the potential difficulties that people may face. She aims to provide a service that boosts peoples confidence, health and well-being through making positive choices about their own care and lives.

The funding would be to promote the service to potential service users, service providers and volunteers.

This group has been set up to provide a much needed service. The amount requested would provide a good start-up for the group.

Signature: Cally Hughes

Date: 11 January 2016

Local Youth Action Fund Assessment Form

1. Reporting Officer: Elaine Baxter
2. Department: Youth Participation and Empowerment Team
Telephone No.: 01294 475914

SECTION 1 - Details of Group/Organisation

3. Name of Group/Organisation: Noonday
4. Date of Officer's Visit: 12 January 2016
5. Are you satisfied that the details contained in the Grant Application are accurate? - Yes

If NO give reasons

6. Is the proposal a realistic undertaking of the group? - Yes

If NO explain why

7. Does the group carry appropriate insurance for the project? - Yes
8. Does group attendance concur with the application? - Yes
Is the award sought for a new youth activity, facility or service? - Yes
9. Does your organisation cater for children under the age of 16 years for more than 2 hours and more than 6 times per year? - No

If YES, is it registered with the Care Commission under the Regulation of Care (Scotland) Act 2001? -

If NO explain why

10. Does the expenditure meet North Ayrshire Council's Single Outcome Agreement

Priorities? - Yes

If YES, which Single Outcome Agreement Priorities are being addressed?

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12. What youth engagement/consultation has been undertaken regarding the proposed activity, service or facility?

Youth Participation and Empowerment Team

13. What community engagement/consultation has been undertaken regarding the proposed activity, service or facility?

All the groups who attend the cafe.
Youth Participation and Empowerment Team

14. Are Partnership links in place? Yes

Youth Participation and Empowerment Team

15. Overall Assessment

The proposed activity will raise awareness and understanding of health and wellbeing issues and sharing practical ways of preventing or reducing harm, and aiding or experiencing recovery.

Noonday's aims are:

- To initiate projects where the hurting, the depressed, the frustrated and the confused can find love, acceptance, help, hope, forgiveness, guidance and encouragement.
- To provide a service to the community and seek to help people who are vulnerable, oppressed and in need of support.
- To provide support for the people to come together and share common interests in a safe, secure, unthreatening environment.

Noonday has attracted several external funding awards for their understanding work with local people in the community of which they serve.

Connected Communities - Youth Participation and Empowerment Team work in close partnership with this project.

SECTION 3 - Details of Proposed Expenditure

16. Amount Requested: £1,788.60

17. Group Contribution: £0

SECTION 4 - Recommendation

18. Support Application: Yes

19. Defer Application? No

20. Amount recommended: **£1,700**

Give reasons

This project will not only benefit the young people in the local community, but everyone who attends the community Oasis Community Cafe. From parents attending the toddler group, children who attend the after school provision and youths who all attend the cafe on a regular basis will benefit from this proposed project.

It is noted however that the group have not put funds towards this particular project, therefore it is recommended that the group put £88.60 towards it.

Signature: Elaine Baxter

Date: 14 January 2016

Local Youth Action Fund Assessment Form

1. Reporting Officer: Laura MacAskill
2. Department: Youth Participation and Empowerment Team
Telephone No.: 01294 475937

SECTION 1 - Details of Group/Organisation

3. Name of Group/Organisation: Ayrshire Healthy Living Enterprise
4. Date of Officer's Visit: 14 January 2016
5. Are you satisfied that the details contained in the Grant Application are accurate? - No

If NO give reasons

The details contained within the grant application are not clear to what the final outcome of the grant award would be.

6. Is the proposal a realistic undertaking of the group? - Yes

If NO explain why

7. Does the group carry appropriate insurance for the project? - Yes
8. Does group attendance concur with the application? - Yes
Is the award sought for a new youth activity, facility or service? - Yes
9. Does your organisation cater for children under the age of 16 years for more than 2 hours and more than 6 times per year? - No

If YES, is it registered with the Care Commission under the Regulation of Care (Scotland) Act 2001? -

If NO explain why

10. Does the expenditure meet North Ayrshire Council's Single Outcome Agreement Priorities? - Yes

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- An increase in satisfaction of young people.

12. What youth engagement/consultation has been undertaken regarding the proposed activity, service or facility?

Fullarton Youth Group and Fullarton Church

13. What community engagement/consultation has been undertaken regarding the proposed activity, service or facility?

None

14. Are Partnership links in place? Yes

Partnership links are in place with Eglinton Family Practice.

15. Overall Assessment

This application is very vague. It does not provide specific information on what they would be spending the money on and what the aim of the application is.

The application covers all points but not in detail enough to give clear and concise understanding of what exactly the final aim of the application is.

SECTION 3 - Details of Proposed Expenditure

16. Amount Requested: £1,935

17. Group Contribution: £0

SECTION 4 - Recommendation

18. Support Application: Yes

19. Defer Application? Yes

20. Amount recommended:

Give reasons

It is recommended to defer this application until the group make contact with the officer to discuss the point raised. Once I know how the money would be spent, the outcomes of the project and details of what they hope to achieve then we would be in a better situation to be able to recommend an award.

The application includes costs for areas that the criteria for award does not normally fund e.g. admin, email and postage costs.

Signature: Laura MacAskill

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