## DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

#### CABINET MEMBER FOR HEALTH AND COMMUNITIES

#### 5 November 2020

# Report of the Executive Director Commissioning, Communities and Policy

## **ACTION GRANTS PROGRAMME**

#### 1. Purpose of the Report

To provide an update on the projects supported under round eight of the community activity and community safety Action Grants Programme and to seek approval to formerly close the scheme.

#### 2. Information and Analysis

At its meeting on 5 April 2018, Cabinet approved the establishment of a twoyear Action Grants Programme totalling £1.5 million to provide support to champion local communities, encourage local groups to deliver community activity and to support the Council's priorities in relation to resilient and thriving communities. The Action Grant Programme ran from a period of two years from May 2018 until May 2020. Applicants were able apply for three levels of funding across four grant areas covering youth activity, community safety, community activity and physical/sports activity as follows:

- Small Grants (up to £500): Provided funding for 2,000 small scale, one off projects delivering positive activities in local communities
- Medium Grants (up to £5,000): Provided funding for new projects in local communities which can demonstrate local support and which have a more significant local impact.
- Large Grants (up to £10,000): Provided funding for new projects which have longer term viability, will continue to impact local people into the future and might cover more than one programme theme.

All projects had to meet the following criteria:

- Support activity benefiting a designated area or area of interest in Derbyshire (excluding Derby City).
- Be time limited and not require ongoing funding from the Council.
- Complement, not duplicate other funding sources such as the Public Health Locality Fund, the members Community Leadership Scheme etc.
- Show how activity could benefit the community beyond the life of the funding.

- Meet an identified need which could be evidenced.
- Be delivered promptly and within agreed timescales.
- Show how local people had helped in the identification of activity or have been consulted/engaged.
- Show what difference would be made.

Projects that meet the selection criteria highlighted above are considered, reviewed and agreed by an officer panel comprising of Policy, Adult Care, Children's Services, Community Safety, the Library Service and the Voluntary and Community Sector representatives, then submitted for Executive Director approval. Cabinet agreed at its meeting on 5 April 2018 that approvals would be reported to the Cabinet Member for Health and Communities on a quarterly basis.

This report provides an update on the applications received, and approved, for both the community activity and community safety grants under round eight of the programme. Youth and Physical Activity Action Grants are reported separately to Cabinet Members as appropriate.

#### 2.1 Round eight

The deadline for receipt of applications for round eight of both the community activity grants and community safety grants was 31 May 2020. The following is a summary of applications received and approved during the final application round of both schemes.

- Community Activity Grants In round eight of the programme for community activity grants, applicants were able to apply for funding for medium and large grants. Funding for small grants had been fully committed during round seven of the programme. Community Activity Grants provided funding to help local residents, groups and organisations support the development of local community activities and projects which help local people to come together to shape the future of their neighbourhood. Funding was available to support local projects which covered the following types of activity:
  - Setting up a community group, local fair or festival
  - Developing a community space
  - Protecting the local environment
  - Supporting vulnerable groups, for example setting up a club for carers
  - Promoting a community website etc.

**78 medium and large applications** were received during round eight requesting funding totalling £539,560. Applications for community activity grants that met the criteria, were subject to a tender style process, whereby officers scored the bid against a series of standards to determine their suitability and quality. Twenty applications achieved a score of 17 or above.

Details of these applications which were considered by an officer panel, comprising of representatives from Policy, Adult Care, Children's Services, Community Safety, the Library Service and the Voluntary and Community Sector, are set out in Appendix A. The Panel assessed the merits of each application against the required criteria, applied their knowledge and experience to applications and awarded grants accordingly. As a result of this process, applications which were originally awarded a high mark by officers, may not have subsequently been funded. Due to a large number of applications and a small amount of available funding, round eight was extremely competitive. Four applications, the details which are set out at Appendix A, were approved totalling £20,115.

- **Community Safety Grants** In round eight of the programme for community safety grants, applicants were able to apply for funding for small, medium and large grants. Community Safety Grants provided funding to help local residents, groups and organisations support communities to be safe places to live and work. Funding was available to support local projects which covered the following types of activity:
  - o Address local needs to combat crime, disorder and Anti-Social Behaviour
  - o Tackle harm caused by alcohol, drugs and violence
  - Reduce the fear of crime in communities
  - Help build cohesive communities and encourage diversionary activities
  - Help raise awareness of scams and online fraud

**Five small grant applications**, set out in Appendix B to this report, were received requesting funding totalling £2,369. A small panel of officers from Community Safety met to assess the merits of the applications against the required criteria. One small grant was found not to meet the criteria. Four applications, which are set out in Appendix B were approved totalling £1,869.

**Ten medium and large grant applications**, set out in Appendix C to this report, were received requesting funding totalling £73,673. Applications were subject to an assessment process, whereby officers scored the bid against a series of standards to determine their suitability and quality. The panel reviewed the applications and five applications failed to achieve a minimum criteria score of ten points. Five applications totalling £23,804, which are set out in Appendix C, were subsequently approved.

A total of £62,500 was allocated over the life of the action grants programmes for community safety medium and large applications. Including awards for round eight, the total spend on the Community Safety medium and large applications over the life of the grants programme comes to £66,502 resulting in an overspend of £4,002. This overspend will be offset from the Community Safety small grants allocation which is underspent. This approach has enabled the scheme to support the total costs of all five medium and large grant applications which met the criteria. This reallocation of budget was approved by The Director of Finance and ICT on 28 July 2020.

#### 2.2 Programme Closure

Monitoring of the Programme, including take up of the different levels of grants as well as geographical coverage, has taken place on a regular basis to ensure equality of access across different communities in Derbyshire. Below are the total number of applications supported and total funding awarded over the whole programme.

Theme	Total number of applications supported small	Total number of applications supported medium and large	Total funding awarded
Community Activity	392	13	£250,000
Community Safety	29	10	£80,714.05
Total	421	23	£330,714.05

The programme has now been active for a total of two years and has awarded funding over its eight scheduled rounds. The programme is no longer taking applications and as such it is recommended that remaining funds of £231,786 not committed from the Community Safety Grants scheme be returned to the General Reserve and the Action Grant Programme for both Community Activity and Community Safety Grants be formally closed. Physical Activity Grants are also no longer taking applications but Youth Grants have extended applications until the end of the year.

#### 3. Financial Considerations

The total cost of applications for both the community activity and community safety grant programmes in round eight stands at £45,788 and can be met from the Action Grants Programme budget. To ensure that there is compliance with the Council's Financial Regulations, all approved projects will be issued with standard conditions of grant and will be subject to monitoring and evaluation.

#### 4. Other Considerations

In preparing this report the relevance of the following factors has been considered: prevention of crime and disorder, legal and human rights, equal opportunities, human resources, environmental, health and property and transport considerations.

# 5. Background Papers

Report to Cabinet on the Action Grant Programme 5 April 2018 Report to Cabinet Member for Health and Communities 4 October 2018 Report to Cabinet Member for Health and Communities 10 January 2019 Report to Cabinet Member for Health and Communities 11 April 2019 Report to Cabinet Member for Health and Communities 27 June 2019 Report to Cabinet Member for Health and Communities 10 October 2019 Report to Cabinet Member for Health and Communities 5 December 2019 Report to Cabinet Member for Health and Communities 5 December 2019 Report to Cabinet Member for Health and Communities 14 May 2020

## 6. Key Decision

No

# 7. Call-in

Is it required that call-in be waived for any decision on this report? No

# 8. Officer's Recommendations

It is recommended that the Cabinet Member for Health and Communities notes the applications approved as set out below:

- 1. Notes four medium and large grants for Community Activity approved to the value of £20,115.
- 2. Notes four small grants and five medium and large grants for Community Safety approved to the value of £25,673.
- 3. Notes the total programme spend to date of the Community Activity and Community Safety themes to the value of £330,714.
- 4. Approves the closure of the Community Activity and Community Safety themes
- 5. Approves the return of uncommitted funding of £231,786 to the General Reserve.

#### Emma Alexander EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR FOR COMMISSIONING, COMMUNITIES AND POLICY

# Appendix A – Medium and Large Grants Community Activity

Ref	Organisation	Summary	Funding requested	Score out of 25	Grant Awarded	Recommendation
CA3ml	Linton Village Hall	The Hall requires a refurbishment as the facility has not had any major works completed since it was built. The funding application is to enable the refurbishment of key aspects of the hall to ensure the facility is usable, up to date, reduce the carbon footprint of the buildings usage and ensure the building can be used for years to come. To upgrade or replace the following lighting, kitchen, dining room, toilets, flat roof, sound system and induction loop and reconfiguration of entrance and storeroom. They have secured some funding but have a shortfall.	£9,000	17	£0	Not fund - this was standard work for a village hall to undertake. There is a central government fund to make up for loss of income during coronavirus and if they did not quality for this then district councils have been offering village halls grants of £10,000
CA13ml	Heath Safer Communities Group	The community clean-up initiative was launched in June 2019. Since this time 40 volunteers aged between 7 - 85 years have participated. They work in partnership with the Countryside Rangers team, Bolsover Woodland Enterprise, The Parish Council, Holmewood and Heath Healthy	£3,130	21	£2,130	Part fund - the dog bag dispensers at five for £1,000 was very expensive. Examples were given of other areas who had

		Futures and Heath Voluntary Community Association. The scheme works by encouraging people to register their route, they are then provided with a litter pick stick, gloves and bags and the support network via social media. Initially their team will go out and do a mass clean-up of the route with them and then they maintain it. The team will help as and when a mass clean-up is needed again. They want to expand the offer, recruit more volunteers and expand into surrounding villages. They would like to develop a bespoke website and social media presence recruiting people who clean up in various ways e.g. dog walking, exercise and walking children to school.				made them out of plastic bottles
CA19ml	Bakewell Town and Community Trust	To build on their successful cinema offer by providing live theatre streaming via satellite link from the UKs finest theatre companies. This involves the purchase of a specialist large projector that achieves the broadcast standard demanded by the National Theatre. To purchase new, lightweight linking chairs to allow them to cater for a larger audience safely, to	£10,000	19	£0	Not fund – felt to be expensive

		increase their sustainability and broaden the type of event they can offer to further reduce their grant dependency.				
CA31ml	Belper Cloth Nappy Library	The nappy library is a brand-new group run by local parent volunteers. They are applying for funding to pay for the reusable nappies, wetbags and wipes that will be loaned out to interested parents in Belper and the surrounding area. Before formally creating the cloth nappy library, interest in the project was gauged and support sought out from a variety of people with relevant experience. Initially, they will be focusing on making kits available for hire to parents and families in financial difficulty as a result of the Covid-19 situation. They will then expand their offering to include further kits of nappies for babies 6 weeks plus and then finally introduce newborn kits which can be borrowed for the whole of the newborn period.	£5,004	19	£0	Not fund - environmentally friendly, but does not fit with community activity
CA33ml	Asian Association of Chesterfield and North Derbyshire	The Association has seen a need in the community for a mid-day meal delivery service for elderly and vulnerable people and their carers. The	£9,610	17.5	£0	Not fund - not a viable funding/ business model

		advent of Covid-19, social distancing and lockdown measures have generated an urgency to implement the project. The Association initially plans to provide hot packed meals three days per week. This will mainly be targeting elderly and vulnerable members and those in the wider community of Chesterfield, Hasland, Grassmoor and other locals within a feasible radius. A charge of between £5 to £8 will be made, with nearly 50% of the prepared meals being free of charge to members of the community that are vulnerable and elderly. To purchase fridge, freezer, dishwasher, kitchen windows and exhaust, thermomix and various items of kitchen equipment.				
CA34ml	St Chad's Church Parochial Church Council	To create a versatile community space in St Chad's by making the 33 church pews mobile. This will be achieved by lifting the 33 fixed pews which fill a great deal of the available space and fitting them with strong, hidden, lockable castors. The three village communities served by St Chad have no village hall or indoor community facilities, with the nearest village hall	£5,000	17.5	£0	Not fund - narrow benefit

		being over a 10 mile round trip with no public transport. This will enable the premises to be used by the community, for community events, meetings, classes and more.				
CA35ml	The Grand Pavilion Ltd	The Grand Pavilion, Matlock Bath requires a much-improved online presence to better promote the activities of this community-led arts and entertainments venue. A new website is needed that can encompass information about volunteering opportunities, membership schemes, the Restoration Café, fundraising, community events and classes, building a greater understanding of the buildings history, news about the restoration project progress, alongside a full-featured onsite event information and booking system.	£5,000	19	£0	Not fund - most of the grant requested is for web developer time.
CA40ml	Glapwell Parish Council	To renovate the existing kitchen facilities in the village hall. The Glapwell Centre has been host to an outreach school for vulnerable teenagers for many years, but they are now moving into their own premises so there is an opportunity to open up the facilities for the community all day,	£10,000	19	£0	Not fund - thought the parish council should pay as they can set their own precept to raise the funding and it will generate income for them

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		every day. The existing kitchen is over 20 years and has been repaired and patched up many times. Despite these efforts at the last environmental health inspection it only achieved a three-star rating simply due to the condition of the existing fixtures, fittings and appliances. This is a barrier to being able to provide the clubs and events that the community has identified as being needed.				
CA41ml	Crich Patient Participation Group	To provide an infrastructure that will deliver skills for the elderly that are necessary for them to use smartphones and tablets and enable them to communicate with their relatives and friends and the wider community via video links such as Zoom and WhatsApp. The project, called "Connecting Crich", is being delivered by a Committee of 12 members representing the Crich Patient Participation Group, and six other community groups who form part of the Crich Area Covid-19 Mutual Aid Group. Members of the committee are already actively engaged in the pilot stage of the project and they have already identified and started	£4,880	17	£0	Not fund - limited in scope. Requesting £2,000 to use Zoom but there are volunteers who support people with IT

		contacting the target population and researching the hardware and software necessary to facilitate the delivery of skills. Funding towards hiring a professional IT expert to provide technical expertise to the volunteers who are helping the older residents, to purchase eight phones, administrative and publicity costs.				
CA42ml	Cauldwell's Mill Trust Ltd	The Trust would like to grow their education capabilities which have dwindled as they do not have a suitable area on site. They have appointed a new heritage manager, brought in new trustees and put together a wide-ranging programme of potential events to offer across all age groups and interests. Provisional help has been secured from specialist teachers in endangered crafts, baking, farming and a large number of activities related to the history of the Derbyshire Dales area and the mill. They are able to cover the cost of the tutors and consumables, but the existing "school room" in the mill is on the third floor of the heritage building, accessible only by several flights of stairs. They have identified an outdoor	£6,668.95	17	£0	Not fund – it was suggested that they could use the profits from sales and generate the money internally

		area on their lawns as the only suitable option and would like to purchase two large heavy duty tents, tables, chairs, potable stove and lpg cooker which can be erected on an as and when needed basis.				
CA43ml	Wellpaca Woods	The Wellpaca Project will be a long- term community group that offers local people a chance to improve their mental wellbeing through two main avenues animal therapy and forest school activities. The group will run two sessions a month, one for adults and one for children. There will also be regular opportunities for key workers to come and have some self-led destressing time with the alpacas. The three local schools will be able to use the site on a weekly basis. Alpacas are gentle, passive animals that are effectively used in assisted animal therapy as they are sensitive to the humans near them and they pick up on feelings of agitation, fear and anger. Activities include stroking and interacting with the alpacas, alpaca trekking and walking, animal husbandry, wellbeing picnics, visits to care and nursing homes and	£4,429	20	£4,429	Fund – start-up costs to set up the project

		communication experiences for children who are non-verbal or those with Autistic Spectrum Disorder. The funding will be used to purchase the three alpacas, associated equipment and forest school equipment such as tools, ropes, tarps, cooking equipment and a portable hygiene station.				
CA46ml	Friends of Bennerley Viaduct	The Friends of Bennerley Viaduct are working in partnership with the viaduct's owners to bring the viaduct back into use as a walking and cycling path. Over one million pounds has currently been raised by the project to restore the structure and create access. The viaduct should be open to the public in 2021 after 50 years of closure. Critical to the success of the project has been the overwhelming support of local people and their active involvement in the project through the Friends of Bennerley Viaduct. As well as opening up the viaduct, they aim to create an inspirational green space underneath and around the structure created and maintained by local people. The funding will be spent on management and supervision of volunteer community work days,	£10,000	17	£0	Not fund – is a UNESCO site and has already had £1million of funding allocated to it

		installation of fencing and gates, planting new hedgerows, native meadow plants, footpath creation, volunteer training for the use of mechanised tools and installation of locally forged cast iron county boundary marker				
CA47ml	Energy Local CIC	The aim is to establish two Energy Local Clubs in Derbyshire to demonstrate the benefits to the local communities and lead to wider adoption of the model and increase small scale renewable energy installations throughout the county.There are no Energy Local Clubs operating in Derbyshire. An Energy Local Club enables energy consumers to benefit financially from locally generated renewable energy whilst increasing the income for small scale generators (wind, hydro, solar photovoltaics, anaerobic digestion).The size of the Club (number of consumers who can join) depends on the amount and type of generation, typically a Club can have 40-80 members. Consumers can be households, small businesses, electric	£10,000	20	£0	Not fund - energy clubs are also open to small businesses so the Panel advised this does not fit with community activity

		vehicle charging points or community buildings				
CA50ml	Whitfield Parish- St James' Church Glossop	To purchase ten laptops and a laptop charging unit. These will enable them to run a weekly job club post lockdown in The Vineyard and also provide IT support for those who have no computer of their own. People will be able to meet in an informal space over food and a hot drink to enjoy supportive friendships with each other and job club staff. Support with professional expertise will be provided in the areas of job searching, CV writing and preparing for interviews. They also aim to support access to universal job match, benefits and universal credit on-line applications. In addition, they would like to purchase a large upright fridge and a large upright freezer to store supermarket food waste safely in and then distribute it from to people of need such as single mums, unemployed, elderly and vulnerable. At present they are delivering free food to those struggling but would like to extend this to provide a free daytime meal.	£7,839.75	20	£0	Not fund – The Panel felt there is a Jobcentre in Glossop and there was no evidence of a gap in provision. The National Careers Service are working with adults and there is also support from the Bureau.

CA53ml	Derbyshire Dales CVS	To support physical and mental health	£10,000	21	£10,000	Fund - the need
		by giving people the confidence to find				for this support
		health information and access local				was identified
		activities online. This will reduce				through the Social
		isolation, enabling them to get to know				Prescribing
		the local organisation and join in				Project
		activities face-to-face at a later date.				
		Mental well-being is an issue in				
		Derbyshire Dales due to the population				
		being rurally dispersed. It will reduce				
		the effects of the isolation caused by				
		having less public transport and the				
		difficulties in sustaining community				
		organisations. Support to access local				
		and national organisations (both				
		digitally and face-to-face) will decrease				
		isolation and improve social				
		connectedness. The project has three				
		strands to encourage use of the				
		internet by providing devices to				
		individuals and community groups, to				
		provide the skills to individuals to use				
		the devices with confidence, by				
		working in partnership with other				
		organisations and by recruiting Digital				
		Buddy Volunteers and the third strand				
		is to support community organisations				
		to run community events online, or use				
		social media, to encourage members				

		to participate other than in face to face meetings. Funding towards staff costs, volunteer travel expenses, devices and broadband, marketing and publicity and social media sessions.				
CA66ml	Twistin Tykes Golden	They already have a music programme in place for use at care homes and have trialled this in some care homes free of charge. It involves an hour of physical and musical activity, participated in by residents and staff at the care home, plus parents and children who are known to Twistin Tots as they have attended classes elsewhere. The sessions use a variety of props, including puppets, parachutes, instruments and bubbles amongst other things, as well as a variety of music from different eras which aims to get residents to be more physical using a range of chair-based exercises and activities. The sessions also aim to increase emotional well- being of residents as they have the opportunity to build new relationships with a group they would otherwise rarely or never come into contact with. They now wish to extend the offer to more care homes in Derbyshire, so	£5,000	18.5	£0	Not fund – no sustainability

		need to mailshot homes. Funding to produce a leaflet, fund a mailshot, purchase various items of equipment and to fund a staff member for one day a week for 40 weeks to undertake admin, phone calls to follow up visits and planning schedule of visits.				
CA72ml	Crags Radio	They are currently only online through our website, through free radio apps such as 'TuneIn' and 'Simple Radio'. This can be streamed through smart phones, smart speakers, smart TVs, laptops, tablets etc. They are looking to fully establish their station as part of the community. They will be broadcasting 24/7 online with both live and syndicated shows and also offering an "on demand" listening platform on our website for people who are unable to tune in live to listen to their favourite shows. They will be hosting their very own podcast shows on both their website and on multiple streaming platforms. To purchase technical equipment for the main studio and second studio, including all mixing equipment, mics, headphones, screens, speakers, software requirements, PCs, CCTV monitor,	£9,707	19	£0	Not fund - narrow focus

		mobiles, wall art, acoustic panels, CCTV, News Hub, UK Top 40, signage and jingles. It will also pay for the refurbishment of the building to bring it up to standard so that they can invite in businesses and community members to use the facilities, hold parties and hire out the accommodation space and the technical equipment.				
CA74ml	Adventure Expeditions	To run a six-week programme of Summer activities for young people aged five and above. Programmes will run from Monday to Friday during the day and are designed to help support parents who are in desperate need of childcare as they return to work from the COVID-19 crisis. Many parents do not have holidays left to take from work or are not able to take holiday to care for their children after the past few months. They have had a large number of discussions with parents regarding a programme of Summer activities and have put together a strong programme to meet this need. They will work with young people in the outdoors to develop their skills, help prepare them to return to school in September, socialise with others from	£9,290	17	£0	Not fund - they would need to run different activities for different age groups, so two members running the activities would not be sufficient

		their community and focus on their own wellbeing. Activities will have a different focus each day including outdoor exploration and outdoor games, creative and imaginative outdoor play, forest school activities, outdoor adventurous activities, wildlife and conservation activities, yoga, mindfulness and personal wellbeing tools and building life skills. Funding towards one outdoor practitioner and one pastoral leader, purchase of two event shelters, cleaning and sanitising materials and hire of base location at £60 per day.				
CA75ml	South Wingfield Local History Group	To devise a Heritage Trial for South Wingfield which aims to provide visitors and residents with an interesting insight into the area's historical past. South Wingfield Local Heritage Group will lead on the development of the heritage trail that brings to life the outstanding heritage of the local area. Key aspects of the trail are a 3 to 4- mile circular walk between key historical features and landmarks, utilising traditional interpretation boards and way marker posts, incorporating QR codes, the website would contain	£3,808	19.5	£3,556	Fund - Grant reduced by £252 (as the lowest scoring successful bid) with only £20,115 of funding left to allocate overall

		map and trail guide alongside additional information and photographs depicting the history of the area. To purchase website training for one volunteer, consultancy advice, two A1 interpretation panels, ten marker posts, two sets of QR codes, guide and map and an advertising banner.				
CA79ml	Grow Outside	Grow Outside aims to get people outside in nature, socialising, and learning new skills, through gardening, craft and nature-related activities. As physical versions of this are not possible right now, they propose to stay connected to project users, and make new connections, via online activity. This will include promotion of physical exercise and wellbeing, via growing projects and walking in and connecting with nature. They will establish an online activity programme for the growing season, offered via their website and social media channels. This would be a virtual network and social growing programme, including crafts and nature-related activities for families and individuals. Through their programme, they will increase social	£5,000	18.5	£0	Not fund – not new people

connectedness and interaction, improve health and wellbeing by encouraging physical and nature- related activity.		

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# Appendix B – Small Grants Community Safety

Ref	Application Title / Area	Brief description	Funding requested	Funding Allocated	Panel Decision
CSO 32S	BLASTCIC - Bolsover	Project to develop a BIKE CLUB, by running "build a bike sessions" in Shirebrook for local young people and has been co-designed with local young people. The target audience are young people between the ages of 10 to 19 that live in Shirebrook NG20 post code. The programme that will run every 8 weeks. Bike mechanics are ready to facilitate these sessions, alongside local parents who are BLAST ambassadors. This will help to provide diversion activity for young people and reduce ASB, Police, schools and youth clubs used to identify the cohort of young people.	£407.97	£407.97	Fund – eligible Meets criteria - Aims to provide a much needed diversionary activity in the Bolsover area. Activity has been co-designed with young people and in conjunction with the Police, local schools and youth clubs. Encourages parents to become BLAST ambassadors and will help to address anti-social behaviour in the area.
CSO 33S	OZBOX - Chesterfield	Provision of equipment for boxing gym - required to invigorate gym and encourage attendees	£500	£0	Not fund – not eligible As per the commentary in Feb 2019 and again in Sept 2019 when previous applications were received from Ozbox. This third application is almost identical and does not meet

					the criteria of the grants scheme. Community Safety have worked with Ozbox before and despite numerous requests have never provided any proof / evaluation of the impact of the project.
CSO 34S	Bolsover Boxing Club - Bolsover	Provision of a diversionary activity for young people in the Bolsover area whereby helping to address issue of ASB and more serious crimes. The Club want to enable people to exercise at home and when possible in socially distanced open air sessions at the Club. The activities include providing, developing You Tube tutorials for young people to use whilst exercising at home. In additional request for new equipment will allow the Boxing Club to function and adhere to social distancing as well as not sharing equipment such as boxing gloves etc.	£500	£500	Fund – eligible Meets criteria and will provide a much need diversionary activity for young people in Bolsover. The voluntary group runs fitness and exercise session including boxing, weights, circuits, games, team events, fund raising and exhibitions. Funding will be used to purchase equipment, develop a YouTube tutorial to support the exercise sessions at home and at the gym. The additional equipment will reduce the need to share boxing gloves etc. The initiative will seek to bring down social barriers and contribute to reducing crime and disorder for those young people with nothing to do in the local area.
CSO 35S	Worth Charity UK - Chesterfield	Worth provides aftercare for victims of domestic abuse. It provides a safe environment, using activities as a vehicle to help women rebuild their confidence and self-esteem in	£500	£500	<b>Fund</b> – eligible Meets criteria – it will provide a safe environment for victims of domestic abuse to rebuild their self-confidence through music and art. The initiative will help raise the awareness of the

		groups such as self-defence, writing, music and art. Funding is required to purchase a printer which would enable the Charity to produce leaflets and posters. It will also be used by the participants in the art and writing group to create and print artwork and express/record thought and feeling about past trauma. The artwork will then form part of an exhibition of the work produced by the group to raise awareness of domestic abuse			charity to the local community and will look to use the artwork as part of an awareness raising exhibition.
CSO 36S	Green Space Development Smalley Pastures - Erewash	Develop flower beds to act as an attractive, natural barrier to subtly protect the children's play area and provide colour to the estate as well. The new flower beds will act as a barrier and reduce dog fouling and dog walking on this piece of land. Well-maintained estates suffer far less from anti-social behaviour and crime as a prevailing number of comfort factors help keep residents' impression of their neighbourhood high. The project team want to make sure the estate looks its best	£460.98	£460.98	Fund – eligible Meets criteria – aims to develop natural barriers within a children's play area to reduce incidents of dog fouling and anti-social behaviour. The initiative will improve the general impression of the local area and will support residents to act responsibly when walking their dogs.

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	Total	£2,368.95	£1,868.95	

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# Appendix C – Medium and Large Grants Community Safety

Ref	Application Title / Area	Brief description	Funding requested	Funding Allocated	Panel Decision
CSO 16M	Royal School for Deaf Derby - Derbyshire	Deliver a Crime and Safety Awareness day in partnership with the No Way Trust. This will provide real life learning experiences to help reduce risky behaviour and prevent them becoming involved in crime. It will be delivered to Secondary and Post 16 Departments at RSDD and would invite deaf young people from other schools in Derby and Derbyshire so that they can also access the information in their first language of BSL.	£4,100	£0	Not fund - not eligible Application did not meet the criteria scoring. Project uses real life learning experiences to help reduce risky behaviour and prevent them becoming involved in crime. Decision taken by Derbyshire Childrens Safeguarding Board not to promote this style of learning. Similar to Prison Me No Way. Police College of Policing research also in agreement about this style of learning.
CSO 17L	Sporting Communities (Community Reassurance) – Amber Valley	Roll out a Community Reassurance project in Derbyshire to reduce youth crime and ASB. Sporting Communities will offer a service to pick up ASB referrals from local authorities and ASB teams to act as an early intervention service to deal with calls to the Police 101 number relating to low	£9,960	£O	Not fund - not eligible £4,660 not eligible for funding as it is for staff costs, room hire, management and on costs. Leaving £5,300 it was felt that this would not be possible to get the project off the ground with reduced costs. In addition, Remedi are already funded to deliver this type of service.

		level ASB. A Development Officer and two Youth Engagement Officers will work with young people and develop diversionary activities in the Amber Valley area.			
CSO 18L	Diversity Watch Ltd – Amber Valley	Project provides an Early Intervention Strategy to Prevent Hate Crime and other Hidden Race related Crime that in turn will enhance community cohesion in Derbyshire. Sessions will help understand cultures through play, singing, showcasing values, increase communication, provide historical information through music and enhance pupil's knowledge of diverse cultures. Whereby, the effective cultural diversity strategies will help to reduce discrimination and hate fuelled relationships, aggression and exploitation between children, staff and the communities they live in.	£9,970	£0	Not fund - not eligible Did meet the criteria score, but the following costs are not eligible for funding from the scheme. Transportation with mini-bus from Nottingham to Derbyshire schools £540, Project Manager £1100, Event Coordinator £700, Researcher and Assistant £1,400, insurance £327.10, transport, drinks and food for the Director £200 and sanitiser material £289. This reduced the amount of funding so the project would not be viable
CSO 19L	Deaf-initely Women - Keeping Safe from Scams –	Deliver two workshops to educate 20 – 50 deaf women on how to keep safe from being scammed. Workshops will be held in Chesterfield and	£6,275.83	£0	Not fund - not eligible Did not meet the criteria score. The focus is too narrow and the project leader is expecting DCC Community Safety and Police to

	Chesterfield and South Derbyshire	Swadlincote to educate deaf, deafblind and hard of hearing women on how to keep safe from being scammed. Deaf women are not aware on how to protect themselves from being scammed and they need to learn how to take measures to keep safe in protecting their personal data. The Keeping Safe project is a preventative model that will avoid crisis. This will inform them where to go for advice should they have been scammed. It falls within the 'A focus on prevention and early intervention'			design and deliver the product. Unable to fund accommodation hire and lunch. A similar project which will consider all those with a hearing impairment being considered by Safeguarding Adults.
CSO 20M	Lighthouse Homes – Brimington, Chesterfield	To provide private professional counselling services for residents at the Lighthouse Homes in Chesterfield. The home provides accommodation for those who are homeless and may be struggling with mental health and substance misuse issues. Providing residents with one session three times a week with a dedicated counsellor at the Brimington site. This programme will help reduce the risk of self-harm and help	£5,000	£5,000	<b>Fund</b> – eligible meets the criteria The project meets and supports the ongoing Integrated Offender Management process and will link with those working with Remedi. This project will move those who are most vulnerable away from criminality and into a safe environment where they can access services to address their problems and issues such as substance misuse and trauma.

CSO 21M	The Melbourne Sporting Partnership –	address substance abuse and criminality. To provide CCTV in and around the Melbourne Sports Park.	£4,443.60p	£0	Not fund - Not eligible Does not meet the scoring criteria threshold
CSO 22L	South Derbyshire Engineered Training 7 Shop CIC - Chesterfield	A Community Interest Company who help young people who are at risk of offending and who are NEET to gain employment skills and accredited qualifications, make a positive contribution to the communities they live in, lead fulfilling lives, find employment, move out of poverty and turn away from a life of crime. They help these young people gain access to work-based training and find routes into employment supporting them with their specialist staff who have extensive experience of youth work. They have workshops in both Derby and Chesterfield and want to run this project in their Chesterfield Workshop	£9,824	£9,824	Fund – eligible meets the criteria The project aims to provide each young person with their own equipment and qualification whereby embracing social distancing during Covid 19. The project aims to work with young people who are considered to be NEET and will seek to provide the students with engineering skills and reduce their risk of offending by having nothing to do whereby reducing crime and disorder.
CSO 23L	Safe and Sound Group - South Derbyshire and Erewash	To develop a pilot Outreach Project which will focus on South Derbyshire and Erewash. Outreach Work will	£9,600	£8,980	<b>Fund</b> – eligible meets the criteria Pilot project in two areas. Would add value to other work commissioned to support children at risk of exploitation

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	Outreach Pilot – South Derbyshire and Erewash	enable us to reach vulnerable children and young people at risk of exploitation in these areas where access to our services may be more difficult and signpost the young people into Safe and Sound or other related services to address the exploitation. The project will provide clinical supervision with key young people in the targeted areas, working closely with the Police and local authorities and will provide 10 hours outreach work over six months split equally over the two areas.			initiatives. DCC grant cannot fund office admin £295 or Clinical supervision £325, hence the total adjusted accordingly, Funding available = £8,980
CSO 24M	New Generation at Heart - Community at Heart CIC - Glossop	Provide a new youth scheme that will enable the youth in Glossopdale to have access to sports activities, counselling if needed and protection and safety whilst this is going on. Aim to create a links with the young people to address the acceleration of youths carrying weapons on the street. The funding will be spent on facility hire and staffing for the new initiative.	£4,500	£O	Not fund - not eligible - Does not meet the scoring criteria threshold – DCC Grants unable to fund room hire £900, leaving £3,600 for staffing costs This would potentially make the project unviable. Application suggest that they may look to get other funding from businesses, or charge young people to attend – not sure how practical would that be in Glossop.
CSO 25L	Chesterfield United Charities -	Improve safety and security for vulnerable elderly residents at	£10,000	£0	Not fund - not eligible - Does not meet the scoring criteria threshold.

Commun Safety He Vulnerab Elderly - Chesterfi	e Hasland, currently plagued by e Anti-social behaviour. Funding to procure new boundary fencing and resurfacing to outside area as this is trip hazard, also replacement of security lighting. Application lacking details and evidence of impact.			Application lacked details and evidence of impact.
	Total	£73,673.43	£23,804	