

## GRANTS SUB-COMMITTEE – 21<sup>ST</sup> SEPTEMBER 2023

MINUTES OF THE GRANTS SUB-COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 21<sup>ST</sup> SEPTEMBER 2023 AT 6PM IN THE TOWN COUNCIL COMMITTEE ROOM LOCATED IN THE GUILDHALL, NORTHAMPTON

**PRESENT:** Councillors Birch (Chair), Holland-Delamere, Hibbert, Russell and Stevens

**OFFICERS PRESENT:** Mr S Carter (Town Clerk) and Miss F Barford (Democratic Services Officer)

### 12. APOLOGIES

No apologies were submitted.

### 13. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Councillor Birch declared a non-pecuniary interest in Councillor Community Fund (CCF) applications CCF201 as the funds would be deducted from her CCF in addition to, CGF75 as she was a trustee at Community Spaces where the Briar Hill Wellbeing Café was held.

Councillor Holland-Delamere declared a non-pecuniary interest in General Community Fund application CGF74.

### 14. TO AUTHORISE THE CHAIR TO SIGN THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETINGS HELD:

#### A. GRANT SUB-COMMITTEE HELD ON 15<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2023

**RESOLVED:** The Chair was authorised to sign the minutes of the meeting held on 15<sup>th</sup> June 2023 as a true and accurate record of the proceedings.

#### B. EXTRAORDINARY GRANTS SUB-COMMITTEE HELD ON 31<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2023

**RESOLVED:** The Chair was authorised to sign the minutes of the meeting held on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2023 as a true and accurate record of the proceedings.

### 15. GRANT APPLICATIONS TO THE COUNCILLOR'S COMMUNITY FUND

- a) Northampton Association of Youth Clubs – CCF197 – Youth Development Project - £600 – Cllr Hallam – Parklands

**RESOLVED:** That Councillor Community Fund application CCF197 be **APPROVED** to the sum of £600.

- b) Spring Family Centre – CCF198 – Basketball for All - £1,011.96 – Cllrs Alwahabi, Haque and Ismail – Castle (£377.32 each)

**RESOLVED:** That Councillor Community Fund application CCF198 be **APPROVED** to the sum of £1,012.

- c) Spring Borough's Voice – CCF200 - £750 – Keep Women Fit – Cllrs Alwahabi, Haque and Ismail – Castle (£250 each)

**RESOLVED:** That Councillor Community Fund application CCF200 be **APPROVED** to the sum of £750.

- d) Friends of Northampton Racecourse – CCF201 – £200 - Daffodil Planting – Cllr Birch – Trinity

**RESOLVED:** That Councillor Community Fund application CCF201 be **APPROVED** to the sum of £200.

- e) Alliston Gardens Youth and Community Centre – CCF202 – £200 - Lacemakers Support – Cllr Marriott – Semilong

**RESOLVED:** That Councillor Community Fund application CCF202 be approved to the sum of £200.

## 16. GRANT APPLICATIONS TO THE COMMUNITY GRANT SCHEME

- f) [Lord Taverners](#) – CGF70 – Northampton Super 1s - £4,836  
**RECOMMENDED:** That General Community Grant application CGF70 be **DEFERRED** for further information on the location and facilities Lord Taverners intend to use.
- g) [The Wild Tribe](#) – CGF71 – Autumn Box Series - £4,875  
**RECOMMENDED:** That General Community Grant application CGF71 be **DEFERRED** for further information from an organisation that has benefitted from their box initiatives.
- h) [The United African Association](#) – CGF72 - Trip to Seaside - £1,982  
**RECOMMENDED:** That General Community Grant application CGF72 be **APPROVED** to the sum of £1,902 rather than the £1,982 requested within the application.
- i) Albanian Cultural Association – CGF73 - Albanian Independence Day Flag Raising - £2,850  
**RECOMMENDED:** That General Community Grant application CGF73 be **DECLINED** and applicant referred to West Northamptonshire Council.
- j) [Life Music Northants](#) – CGF74 – Open Spaces Music - £10,000  
**RECOMMENDED:** That General Community Grant application CGF74 be **DECLINED**.
- k) [Northampton Assoc. of Youth Clubs](#) – CGF75 - Briar Hill & Parklands Wellbeing Café - £10,000  
**RECOMMENDED:** That General Community Grant application CGF75 be **APPROVED** to the sum of £4,200 rather than the £10,000 requested within the application.
- l) [Northampton Film Festival](#) – CGF76 – Northampton Film Festival 2024 - £4,000  
**RECOMMENDED:** That General Community Grant application CGF76 be **APPROVED** to the sum of £4,000.
- m) CHANGE – CGF77 - Unspoken Heroes - £2,427  
**RECOMMENDED:** That General Community Grant application CGF77 be **DEFERRED** for further information.