

2023/24 Decision No. 2538

Record of Decision by Executive Portfolio for Leisure and Community

Friday, 3 May 2024

Portfolio: Leisure and Community

Subject: Community Fund Application - Funtley Village Society

Report of: Assistant Director (Deomcracy)

Corporate Priority: Leisure Opportunites for Wellbeing and Fun

Purpose:

This report presents an application for funding under the Council's Community Funding Programme.

An application has been received from Funtley Village Society for £819.01 from the Community Fund towards equipment for the Funtley Village Fete taking place on 29 June. This event equipment includes fencing, competition equipment, hi-vis vests, awards and signage. Most items can be reused for future fetes.

Funtley Fete is a popular biannual event with around 2000 people attending the fete back in 2022. The fete will be promoted via their website, Facebook page, leaflets distributed locally, in the community noticeboards and also in the local magazine 'Forget Me Not'.

Funtley Village Society fundraise where possible for the fete and for additions around the village. They also seek donations from local businesses and apply for grants that are available elsewhere.

The total cost of the equipment for the event which they require is £819.01. These are for capital costs only. Funtley Village Society will be funding the non-capital costs including insurance, portaloos and equipment hire, with their own funds.

As of 10th February, after their ringfenced money (£1,464) for village information boards, Funtley Village Society holds £3,835.30 in their accounts.

Both Ward Councillors, Mrs Bryant and Mrs Clubley support Funtley Village Society's application.

Options Considered:

The Executive Member for Leisure and Community Considered the contents of the report.

Reason: This application meets the Community Fund criteria for financial support.				
Confirmed as a true record:				
Councillor Mrs S Walker (Executive Member for Leisure and Community) Friday, 3 May 2024				

It is recommended that this application be approved.

Decision:

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