

Report to the Executive Member for Policy, Strategy and Finance for Decision

Portfolio:	Policy, Strategy and Finance
Subject:	Community Fund Application - Locks Heath Cricket Club
Report of:	Director of Community
Strategy/Policy:	Community Engagement Strategy
Corporate Objective:	Strong and Inclusive Communities

Purpose:

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

Executive summary:

An application for funding of £4,999 has been received from Chris Boyd, Chairman of Locks Heath Cricket Club to purchase a specialist lawn mower and accessories.

The equipment costs £6,500 in total and the club has raised funds to contribute the remaining £1,501.

Locks Heath Cricket Club has players registered with them from 9 years old up to adults and coach younger age groups during school holidays.

Councillor Miss Tiffany Harper, Chairman of Titchfield's Community Action Team meeting supports the application as does Councillor Mrs Sarah Pankhurst. Councillor Englefield failed to comment.

Recommendation:

That the application for £4,999 from Fareham Borough Council's Community Funding Programme, submitted by Locks Heath Cricket Club for the purchase of a specialist lawn mower and accessories be approved.

Reason:

This application meets the agreed Community Funding Programme criteria for financial support for community projects.

Cost of Proposals:

The total cost of this project will be £4,999 and can be met from within the existing budget for the Community Fund Programme.

Risk Assessment:

There are no risks associated with this application.