

FAREHAM

BOROUGH COUNCIL

Report to the Executive Member for Leisure and Community for Decision

Portfolio:	Leisure and Community
Subject:	Community Fund Application – Titchfield Moviola
Report of:	Director of Finance and Resources
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 community funding has been received from Julia Park, a member of Titchfield Moviola, for the sum of £2,347 for the purchase of projection equipment.

Started in March 2013, Titchfield Moviola is a community cinema run by local film enthusiasts. They show a wide range of films once a month, from recent releases to great classics and art-house movies

Their projection equipment is currently rented from Moviola (a registered charity supporting community cinemas), however, over the last year their prices charged by Moviola have become prohibitive. Purchasing their own equipment would allow the group to continue to show films.

The total cost of the equipment is £3097. The group has managed to raise £750 themselves and are looking for a £2347 contribution from the Community Fund.

Should the Moviola cease to operate for any reason the equipment will be donated to Titchfield Community Centre.

Both Councillor Hockley and Councillor Harper support this application.

Recommendation:

That the application for £2347 from Fareham Borough Council's Community Fund Programme, submitted by Julia Park of Titchfield Moviola for the purchase of projector equipment, be approved.

Reason:

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

Cost of Proposals:

The total cost of this project will be £2347 and can be met from within the existing budget for the Community Fund Programme.

Risk Assessment:

There are no identified risks associated with this report.