

FAREHAM

BOROUGH COUNCIL

Report to the Executive Member for Leisure and Community for Decision

Portfolio:	Leisure and Community
Subject:	Community Fund Application - Hamble River Games 2014
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:

Laurie Callaghan from the River Hamble Games 2014 Management Committee has applied for £2,500 from the Community Fund to purchase 600 t-shirts and 600 medals for the River Hamble Games.

There will be 6 events comprising of running, swimming, sailing, open water swimming, rowing, kayaking and stand up paddle boarding. Hundreds of Fareham residents will participate and support the games.

Fareham Borough Council will also use the event as an engagement opportunity.

Councillor Sean Woodward, Executive Leader of the Council supports the bid, as do Councillors David Swanbrow, Trevor Cartwright, Michael Ford and Arthur Mandry. Madam Mayor, Councillor Mrs Susan Bayford, Chairman of the Western Wards Community Action Team meeting supports the bid.

Recommendation:

That the application for £2,500 from Fareham Borough Council's Community Funding Programme, submitted by River Hamble Games 2014 Management Committee 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 £2500 and can be met from within the existing budget for the Community Fund Programme

Risk Assessment:

There are no risks associated with this application.