

CHICHESTER CITY COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL COMMUNITY AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

HELD ON MONDAY 21 JULY 2014 AT 5.30PM

PRESENT : Councillors Apel, Budge, Evans and Macey

EX-OFFICIO : The Mayor (Councillor Hughes)
Councillors Plowman and Woolley

ALSO PRESENT : Councillor French and Rankin

IN ATTENDANCE : Administration Manager

APOLOGIES : Deputy Mayor (Councillor Siggs)
Councillor Holman

16 PUBLIC BODIES (ADMISSION TO MEETINGS ACT) 1960

The Chairman proposed, was duly seconded and it was RESOLVED that the public and press be excluded from this meeting for the confidential nature of the business to be transacted namely financial and business affairs of third parties.

17 DISCRETIONARY GRANT 2014/2015

Discretionary Grant Budget £50,000

Discretionary Grant Budget 2013/2014 C/F £11,953

Discretionary Grant Budget 2014/2015 £61,953

(a) Arun Speakers Club

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £250 be awarded to the Arun Speakers Club.

(b) Chichester & Bognor Branch MS Society

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £600 be awarded to the Chichester & Bognor Branch MS Society.

(c) Chichester City Band

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £2,500 be awarded to the Chichester City Band.

(d) City Angels

Councillor Apel declared a Personal Interest in this application.

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £5,000 be awarded to the City Angels.

(e) Friends of Chartres

The Chairman declared a Personal Interest in this application.

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £1,000 be awarded to the Friends of Chartres.

(f) Friends of Priory Park

Councillor Plowman declared a Personal Interest in this application and left the meeting whilst this application was discussed.

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £300 be awarded to the Friends of Priory Park.

(g) Italy Star Association

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £2,000 be awarded to the Italy Star Association.

(h) Lifecentre

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £2,000 be awarded to Lifecentre.

(i) Murray Club

Councillor Plowman declared a Personal Interest in this application and left the meeting whilst this application was discussed.

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £250 be awarded to the Murray Club.

(j) New Park Community & Arts Association

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £5,000 be awarded to the New Park Community & Arts Association.

(k) Options Pregnancy Counselling Service (Chichester)

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £800 be awarded to Options Pregnancy Counselling Service (Chichester).

(l) Outset Youth Action

The Vice-Chairman declared a Personal Interest in this application.

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £1,000 be awarded to Outset Youth Action.

(m) Ricks PHAB Club (Chichester)

It was RESOLVED that no grant be awarded to Ricks PHAB Club (Chichester) and that they be advised to re-apply with more information on the purchase of a minibus.

(n) St Wilfrid's Hospice

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £3,444 be awarded to St Wilfrid's Hospice.

(o) Sage Counselling

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £1,000 be awarded to Sage Counselling.

(p) South Downs Planetarium

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £4,650 be awarded to the South Downs Planetarium.

(q) Sussex Otters Swimming Club

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £500 be awarded to the Sussex Otters Swimming Club.

(r) Taste & Savour Ltd

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £2,000 be awarded to Taste & Savour Ltd.

(s) Transition Chichester

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £1,000 be awarded to Transition Chichester.

(t) Voluntary Action Arun & Chichester

It was RESOLVED that a grant of £1,000 be awarded to Voluntary Action Arun & Chichester.

All organisations would be informed of the outcome of their application and that the City Council request all funding is publicly acknowledged in any literature they may produce and that a report is submitted to the City Council within 6 months of receiving the Discretionary Grant explaining how the grant was expended.

One representative from each of the successful applications would be invited to attend the Council Meeting on Wednesday 10 September 2014 to receive their grant cheques.

At the meeting a total of £34,294 was expended from the 2014/2015 Discretionary Grant Budget.

The meeting ended at 6.39pm.