

Agenda item 40b

Report from the grants working group

Date of meeting 15th October 2021

Attended by H Hayes, L Sumner, R McKeown & C Ashton

Also attended by J O'Donoghue (Town Clerk)

It was noted that 11 grant applications had been received. All applications were considered on their merit and the following is to be recommended to Planning Process and Revenue Committee to the meeting to be held on 25th October 2021.

#	Organisations	Project	Total Costs	Amount requested	Rec.	Reasons
1	Bee Friends	Costs of recruiting, training, and resourcing volunteers	£1,540	£1,540	£1,000	Socially inclusive and community minded
2	Frodsham Music and Arts Club	Performers and hall hire	£6,000	£1,000	£1,000	Attracting people to the arts who would not otherwise engage
3	Friends of St Luke's (Frodsham)	Book bench and free-standing books shelves	£3,400	£1,000	£1,000	Benefit to both school and wider community
4	Castle Park Arts Centre	Update existing CCTV system to standard required by insurers	£3,400	£3,000	£1,500	Benefit to CPAC and wider community who enjoy facilities provided
5	Martin Maris	Artists' fees and publicity for Chamber Concert series	£3,500	£3,500	£1,500	Free events encouraging people who do not usually access the arts to get involved
6	Main Street Community Church	Portable air-purifying equipment and upgrading of audio equipment	£3,132	£3,132	£1,500	The facility is used by the wider community and multiple support groups and organisations

7	Frodsham Detachment, Cheshire Army Cadet Force	Furniture to create a social space within the detachment	£3,000	£2,500	£1,000	Majority of attendees are Frodsham residents and this makes the building more accessible
8	OPAL Services	Portable air purifier	£450	£450	£450	Of benefit to the wider community through outreach work
9	Frodsham Volleyball Club	New kit for the men's/boys and ladies/girls volleyball squads	£1,500	£1,500	£500	Subject to 2 quotes being received and forwarded to FTC
10	Frodsham CE Primary School	Redevelopment of outdoor pre-school area	£3,000	£2,000	£0	Should be funded by school
11	Frodsham Players	New lighting control system	£1,200	£600	£600	To be match-funded by FP
TOTAL			£30,122	£20,222	£10,050	