



ADUR DISTRICT  
C O U N C I L

Executive Member for Health &  
Wellbeing  
Ref. No: HAW/003/18-19  
Date of Decision: 3 August 2018

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**Record of Decision: Adur Community Grants - Allocation of Funds for 2018/19**

**Decision taken by:** Adur Executive Member for Health & Wellbeing

**Declaration of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests:** I hereby confirm that I do not have any disclosable pecuniary interest in this item.

**Decision:** The Adur Executive Member for Health & Wellbeing has considered the allocation of the 2018/19 Adur Community Grants Budget and agreed the following:-

***Application One - Angling Trust Sussex Marine Region - £3,000.00***

A initiative making fishing more accessible to Adur residents with the potential to have a positive influence on social isolation across the age ranges. Given the budget constraint a recommendation to part-fund and the group to consider charging people to take part on the trips, even if a donation. It is noted that the Angling Trust has a turnover in excess of £1 million, so the grant is for consumables and not for boat hire. This volunteer led project will also be linked with Community Works to help further fundraising.

***Decision: £1,000***

***Application Two - International Neighbours - £2,640.00***

A really important project run by a group of passionate volunteers who work for a well-integrated community and also support Syrian Refugees in our community. They have already been linked to Community Works and are gaining support.

***Decision: £1,300***

***Application Three - Grace Eyre Foundation - £5,000.00***

An important organisation starting to work more in Adur and reducing social isolation for those with learning disabilities. The funding is given on the understanding that they work closely with Sustainable Sussex in the delivery of this project.

***Decision: £2,500***

***Application Four - Homestart Arun, Worthing and Adur - £5,000.00***

Last year, Adur Community Grants helped to fund the Homestart inaugural school readiness programme, and it seems natural to now help fund the next step. It also recognises that volunteer recruitment is resource intensive and requires funding.

***Decision: £3,000***

***Application Five - 4sight Vision Support - £4,709.95***

Based in the Shoreham Centre in Adur, 4sight Vision Support are a well-regarded charity in the local area. The recommendation is to part-fund, due to the restraints of the budget but to recommend that West Sussex Crowd is used for the remaining or additional financial need.

***Decision: £2,000***

***Application Six - The As You Are Centre - £5,000.00***

This service is well-used by Going Local with good feedback, especially given that free or reduced cost counselling offers are hard-come by. They have received money from WSCC and Sussex Community Foundation and will be linked up with Community Works to help further with national fundraising.

***Decision: £2,500***

***Deferred Application A - Friends of Globe School - £4,800.00***

A recent site visit with Cllr Dave Simmons confirmed what a great local resource this will be. This final funding was secured by Section 106 money and confirmed by Joint Strategic Committee in July 2018.

***Decision: Not now supported as funds have been made available from S.106 monies***

***Deferred Application B - Outset Youth Action - £5,000.00***

A recent meeting was held with Cllr Dave Simmons and the organisation. They were immediately connected with Community Works as there are severe financial concerns. They are also in discussion with WSCC, as their funding has recently changed from this source.

***Decision: This organisation is now suspended as from 25/7/18 not supported.***

***Deferred Application C - Adur & Access Mobility - Access Adur - £5,000.00***

This organisation was visited with Cllr Dave Simmons and the next project was also discussed. There is already a resource called 'Find-It' which provides general information locally. This does not provide details on wheelchair accessibility of the premise which historically was provided by an organisation called Disabled Go- but which could be included in the future.

***Decision: Not supported***

***Deferred Application D - Adur and Access Mobility - Community Workshops - £5,000.00***

A really interesting and innovative project. The part-funding is due to the budget restraints. Recommendation to also closely work with Bognor and Worthing Shopmobility, who also work in Adur.

***Decision: £1,000***

**Deferred Application E - Sustainable Sussex - £5,000.00**

This is a new project to the area which already has financial support from other local funders. Our part-funding is due to budget restraints and is subject to working closely with the Grace Eyre Foundation supporting those with learning disabilities.

**Decision: £1,000**

**Key Decision:** Yes/No

**Reasons for Decision:** To address the core priorities of Adur District Council

**Alternative Options Considered:** In the case of application 'C' another organisation providing similar outcomes was considered following which 'C' was not supported.

**Other Matters Considered:**

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| Legal Advice and Issues | x | Financial Advice and Issues | x |
| Sustainability Issues   | x | Equality Issues             | x |
| Community Safety Issues | x | Human Rights Issues         | x |
| Reputation              | x | Risk Assessment             | x |
| Health & Safety Issues  | x |                             |   |

**Consultation:** This report was circulated to Councillors, and published on the Council's website on 26 July 2018.

**Background Papers:**

Adur Community Grants [Priorities and Criteria](#)

[Platforms for our Places](#)

Communities and Wellbeing Team's Evidence and Intelligence Framework

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**Call-in:** The call-in deadline for this decision will be 5:00pm on Friday 10 August 2018.

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**Signed:**

**Date:** 3 August 2018

**Name:** Councillor David Simmons, Executive Member for Health & Wellbeing

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