

**THE OFFICE OF POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER
FOR DERBYSHIRE
DECISION RECORD**

Request for PCC Decision	Received in OPCC Date: 6 August 2015	OPCC Ref: 41-15
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**Title: COMMISSIONER'S COMPETED GRANT FUNDS 2015-16:
NEIGHBOURHOODS INVESTING CRIMINAL EARNINGS (NICE)**

Executive Summary: To be completed by PCC Specialist lead

The Commissioner created a competed fund called NICE (Neighbourhoods Investing Criminal Earnings) to fund legacy capital projects in Derbyshire. From 22 project proposals received 7 were shortlisted. A final decision meeting was held on 30 July when the Commissioner decided to fund all, or part of five different community capital projects across Derbyshire which met the specified criteria.

Decision

- i. The award decision for the Commissioner's NICE Fund for 2015/16 was approved.

Declaration

I confirm that I have considered whether or not I have any personal or prejudicial interest in this matter and take the proposed decision in compliance with the Code of Conduct for the Police and Crime Commissioner for Derbyshire. Any such interests are recorded below.

(Recorded interests: None)

The above request has my approval.

HARDYAL DHINDSA

Signature	Date 11 August 2015
PUBLICATION SCHEME CONSIDERATIONS	
Is the related Section B report to be published Yes	
If no, please indicate relevant exemption	

Is the publication of this approval to be deferred No
If Yes, provide reasons below
Date to be deferred to –
NB Statutory Instrument 2011/3050 (as amended by SI 2012/2479) states that: <i>all decisions made by a PCC are in the types of information that must “be published as soon as practicable after it becomes available to the elected local policing body”.</i>

OFFICER APPROVAL
Chief Executive or Nominee:
I have been consulted about the proposal and confirm that financial, legal and equalities advice has been taken into account in the preparation of this report. I am satisfied that this is an appropriate request to be submitted to the Police and Crime Commissioner
Name Helen Boffy
Date 11 AUGUST 2015

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COMMISSIONER'S COMPETED GRANT FUNDS 2015-16: NEIGHBOURHOODS
INVESTING CRIMINAL EARNINGS (NICE)

1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

- 1.1 To approve the award of grants offered by the Commissioner under the NEIGHBOURHOODS INVESTING CRIMINAL EARNINGS (NICE) Fund.

2. NEIGHBOURHOODS INVESTING CRIMINAL EARNINGS (NICE)

- 2.1 At the Strategic Governance Board meeting on 23rd March 2015, it was agreed to allocate resources to the Commissioner's NICE Fund from monies forthcoming from the Proceeds of Crime Act (POCA). POCA is an important tool for attacking criminality by seizing assets that have been generated as a result of criminal acts.
- 2.2 The Commissioner created a competed fund called NICE (Neighbourhoods Investing Criminal Earnings) to fund legacy capital projects in Derbyshire which will promote the benefits to communities that can be derived from POCA monies.
- 2.3 An amount of £131,684 was allocated to this fund to be awarded by the Police and Crime Commissioner.
- 2.4 22 project proposals were received and seven proposals were then shortlisted. Each shortlisted applicant was invited to submit a full proposal together with Business Plans and additional supporting information.
- 2.5 A final decision meeting was held on 30th July when the Commissioner decided to fund all, or part of five different community capital projects across Derbyshire which met the specified criteria.

Please refer to Table 1 below for detail of the successful applications.

ORGANISATION	AMOUNT	PROJECT	POLICING DIVISION
GAMESLEY FC	£16,824	IMPROVEMENT TO CLUB FACILITIES	B DIVISION
FRIENDS OF NEW MILLS PARKS	£40,000	REDEVELOPMENT OF BOWDEN CRESCENT PARK, OLLERSETT	B DIVISION
CHESTERFIELD CANAL TRUST	£20,850	TO PURCHASE A NEW BOAT (SHELL ONLY)	C DIVISION
MACKWORTH ESTATE COMMUNITY ASSN.	£19,750	FINAL STAGES OF REFURBISHMENT OF CENTRE	D DIVISION
WILMORTON RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION	£19,500	TO PROVIDE EQUIPMENT TO SECURE THE RENOVATED SITE	D DIVISION
ARTCORE PROJECT	£10,000** ** Decision 15/15 refers	OPEN HANDS PROJECT	D DIVISION
CITY OF LONDON POLICE	£4,760	CONTRIBUTION TO POLICE ARBORETUM MEMORIAL	GENERAL
TOTAL	£131,684		

3. RECOMMENDATION

3.1 To approve the award decision for the Commissioner's NICE Fund for 2015/16.

IMPLICATIONS

All implications are assessed and scored to the table below.

HIGH – supporting explanation and narrative required and to be contained within the report

MEDIUM – narrative to be contained within the report at the discretion of the author

LOW – no narrative required

	LOW	MEDIUM	HIGH
Crime & Disorder	x		
Environmental	x		
Equality & Diversity	x		
Financial	x		
Health & Safety	x		
Human Rights	x		
Legal	x		
Personnel	x		

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BACKGROUND PAPERS NONE

ATTACHMENTS NONE