

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

<b>Request for PCC Decision</b>	<b>Received in OPCC Date: 22 January 2018</b>	<b>OPCC Ref: 03/2018</b>
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**POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER COMMUNITY ACTION GRANT AWARDS  
– ROUND 2 LARGE GRANTS**

**Executive Summary:**

The second round of applications opened on 1st October 2017 and closed on 30th November 2017. In total, 32 applications valued at £600,000 were submitted. The projects awarded a grant will receive funding for a 12 month period. The Commissioner has determined to award eight large grants to the organisations detailed in Table 1 of the report, which meet his crime objectives and offer value for money.

**Decision**

The Commissioner's Community Action Grant awards to the eight organisations at the values listed in Table 1 of the report, totalling £192,635 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.

None

The above request has my approval.

**Signature**

Hardyal Dhindsa

**Date 22 January 2018**

**PUBLICATION SCHEME CONSIDERATIONS**

**Is the related Section B report to be published**    **Yes**

The report contains commercially sensitive information.

**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: *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”.*

**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**    Andrew Dale

**Date** 22 January 2018

**STRATEGIC GOVERNANCE BOARD**  
**22 JANUARY 2018**  
**REPORT OF THE CHIEF FINANCE OFFICER**

**8A POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER COMMUNITY ACTION GRANT AWARDS - ROUND 2 LARGE GRANTS**

**PURPOSE OF THE REPORT**

- 1.1 To approve the award of nine large grants in the second round of the Commissioner's Community Action Large Grant scheme.

**INFORMATION AND ANALYSIS**

- 1.2 In 2017-18, Hardyal Dhindsa, the Police and Crime Commissioner for Derbyshire, has committed to share £275,000 among community safety organisations that will help him to deliver his Police and Crime Plan priorities.
- 1.3 These priorities include keeping vulnerable people safe from harm, supporting victims, maintaining strong and effective partnership working, tackling drugs and alcohol, supporting those with mental health issues and working with young people to break the cycle of offending and repeat victimisation.
- 1.4 He has invited community groups, non-profit making organisations and third sector organisations to work with him to deliver his priorities at a local level.
- 1.5 Community Action Grants will provide funding to promote partnership working with the Commissioner in Derbyshire and help to deliver the objectives of his Police & Crime Plan.
- 1.6 There is one round of applications per year (total allocation £200,000) for a Large Grant (between £2,501 and £25,000) and up to three opportunities per year (total allocation £75,000) to apply for a small grant (up to £2,500).
- 1.7 This report supports the decisions for the first round of large grants under the Commissioner's Community Action Grant.

- 1.8 The second round of applications opened on 1<sup>st</sup> October 2017 and closed on 30<sup>th</sup> November 2017. In total, 32 applications valued at £600,000 were submitted.
2. As a commitment to partnership working, the Commissioner has secured the assistance of key Community Safety partners within Derbyshire and Derby City. These partners reviewed all Large Grant applications relevant to their administrative area.
- 2.1 The projects awarded a grant will receive funding for a 12 month period.
- 2.2 The Commissioner has determined to award nine large grants to the organisations detailed in Table 1, which meet his crime objectives and offer value for money.
- 2.3 Full details of grants awarded will be made available on the Commissioner's website at <http://www.derbyshire-pcc.gov.uk/>

**TABLE 1**

Name	Purpose	Amount Large CAG £	Police and Crime Plan Priorities
AL HURRAYA	To deliver Crime reduction initiatives within the problematic areas of Derby City. They will work in partnership with key organisations within the voluntary sector and provide training which will enable them to provide long term strategic solutions within their communities.	£25,000.00	
CHESTERFIELD LOCALITY CHILDRENS PARTNERSHIP	To work with 25 Junior and Primary Schools in Chesterfield, They will work with years 5 and 6 in each of these schools, to support children's knowledge on online safety and sexting.	£13,500.00	

CROSSROADS DERBYSHIRE	The project will employ a part-time Court Support Worker with additional responsibility for representing MARAC cases. The post will ensure that victims of domestic abuse are appropriately prepared for and supported through the court system so that safe decisions are made regarding the children involved in domestic abuse cases.	£18,873.00	
DIVERSITY WATCH LTD	To improve diversity and cohesion between the Black Minority Ethnicity (BME) and the police in Derbyshire. They intend to work in-conjunction with Derbyshire police and help to raise awareness amongst the BME community on effective policing, and promote diversity within the police force.	£23,703.00	
FIXERS	The grant will fund three youth social action projects addressing cybercrime and online safety. The projects will be led by young people aged 16-25 from Derbyshire who have personal experience of cybercrime, either as victims or as offenders, and therefore have a valuable contribution to make to the community conversation.	£17,859.00	
PATHWAYS OF CHESTERFIELD	To appoint a Volunteer and Activities Coordinator to engage homeless people and rough sleepers in meaningful activities.	£25,000.00	
SOUTH DERBYSHIRE MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION	To provide support, guidance and education additional to the current service provided at Bank House specifically to those who have mental health issues/learning difficulties and are at risk of entering or re-entering the criminal justice system.	£25,000.00	
THE ENTHUSIASM TRUST	Supporting the cost of running a 12-month intensive preventative programme focusing on knife crime and youth violence for young people aged 11-18 in Derby.	£25,000.00	
ST PETERS QUARTER DERBY	To encourage and support the creation of a Radio Watch scheme amongst businesses in the Business Improvement District (BID) areas of Derby City including those registered with Derby Pub Watch.	£18,700.00	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9 projects</b>	<b>£192,635.00</b>	

Grant criteria will be set and regular monitoring reporting will be required from the recipients.

**RECOMMENDATION**

- i. To approve the Commissioner’s Community Action Grant awards to the nine organisations at the values listed in Table 1 of the report, totaling £192,635.

**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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