

# THE POLICE & CRIME COMMISSIONER FOR CLEVELAND

## **DECISION RECORD FORM**

REQUEST: For Police and Crime Commissioner (PCC) approval.

**Title:** Spring Activity Fund – late application

## **Executive Summary:**

The PCC has funding available through the Police Property Act Fund to support charitable organisations in support of crime and community safety initiatives. Charities were invited to apply under the 'Spring Activities Fund' Campaign during late December 2023 / early January 2024.

The Spring Activities Fund invited charitable organisations to run projects or events during antisocial behaviour flashpoints this Spring (during the February half term and Easter school holiday periods). Organisations were able to apply for funding to cover activity in one or both of the specified school holiday periods. The one-off grant was required to support one of the below points:

- Reducing anti-social behaviour
- Diverting people away from anti-social behaviour
- Encouraging positive solutions that overcome the issues that communities face as a result of anti-social behaviour
- Building resilience in communities to respond to anti-social behaviour
- Support early intervention approaches to anti-social behaviour

An application review meeting was held on 15 January 2024 to consider all applications received. This was attended by the Police and Crime Commissioner, Temporary Head of Policy, Partnerships and Delivery and Policy, Partnerships and Delivery Officer.

Due to an ICT error which is being investigated some application forms, although sent within the funding timescales to the correct email address, were not received by the OPCC.

Due to the fact that the fault did not lie with the applying organisations and the applications were originally submitted within the funding timescales, the Police and Crime Commissioner agreed to consider some late applications. The Police and Crime Commissioner subsequently agreed to fund the application as per below.

#### **Decision:**

To approve funding from the Police Property Act Fund as set out below:

#### Roseberry Community Consortium - £1,350.00

Roseberry Community Consortium assists the young people of Teesside to learn new skills that they would not otherwise have access to due to any challenges they may face. The charity helps disadvantaged young people to advance in life through the provision of recreational and leisure time activities designed to improve their conditions of life and through providing them

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with support and activities which develop their skills, capacities and capabilities to enable them to participate in society as mature and responsible individuals.

Funding will be used to fund Hazel Rockingham to deliver 10 workshops to students during the Easter school holiday period. Workshops will focus on helping the children control their emotions by focusing on their thoughts, feelings and behaviours, providing them with an understanding, along with techniques on how they can change what they think about something or a situation, how to re-frame these thoughts to feel different, and then behave differently. By focusing on the students' thoughts, feelings and behaviours, and providing them with an understanding along with techniques on how they can change what they think about something or a situation, and re-frame these thoughts to then feel different, it is hoped that behaviour will be more managed in future.

OPCC Lead Officer: Sarah Wilson					
Contractor Details (if applicable): As listed above					
Implications:					
Has consideration been taken of the following:	Yes	No			
Financial					
Legal					
Equality & Diversity					
Human Rights					
Sustainability					
Risk					
(If yes please provide further details below)					

# **Decision Required - Supporting Information**

Financial Implications: (Must include comments of the PCC's Chief Finance Officer where the decision has financial implications)

Sufficient funding is available within the Police Property Act Fund to support this one-off funding application.

Legal Implications: (Must include comments of the Monitoring Officer where the decision has legal implication)

There are no legal implications arising.	
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Equality ar	na Diversity	implications:
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None arising.	

# Human Rights Implications:

None arising.			

Sustainability Implications:

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Risk Management Implications:

None arising.

OFFICER APPROVAL

Monitoring Officer:

Signed Lollange

Date 29.02.24

Spring Activity Fund allocations are one off funding allocations with bidders required to outline

their sustainability plans as part of their application.

**Police and Crime Commissioner:** 

 Signed
 Date
 29.02.2024

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