

Safer City grants scheme 2013/14: Bids

Area: North

| Project Applicant Amount of Grant Date Received/Acknowledged Priority/Criteria | Purpose of Grant Supporting Documentation | Further Details | Recommendation Justification |
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| <p>North City Girls Group</p> <p>Youth Support Service</p> <p>£2,960</p> <p>19 June 2013</p> <p>ASB</p> | <p>To provide for a residential visit to develop the film-making and spoken word poetry work undertaken by 10 young women living in Arbury and King's Hedges, aged between 14 and 16, during a 4-month project to address risk-taking and anti-social behaviour.</p> <p>None</p> | <p>This project is being run in two, linked Phases. Phase One is the weekly sessions, co-run by the County Council and Romsey Mill. Phase Two is the residential, for which funding is sought. The project is being funded by Romsey Mill from Children In Need funding, but there are insufficient funds to provide for Phase Two of the project. The purpose of the residential is to take the group to a city such as Birmingham or Brighton to develop the work done during Phase One. The project will end with a celebration event entailing a preview of the work undertaken by the group.</p> <p>The amount of grant sought is an "up to" amount as the final details have yet to be made, so the grant may well be less.</p> | <p>APPROVE</p> <p>The lead worker in the project (Amy Chapman) was recently involved in a similar project working with young people in the north of the city. The project involved engaging with a small group of young people to teach cookery skills and create a recipe book. The project was deemed a success and covered by Cambridge News (6 July 2013).</p> <p>The residential is seen as an important link between the work doing during Phase One of the project and what is happening in the wider world. Also, taking the young women outside of their own community is seen as giving them a different perspective on their own neighbourhoods and enable them to reflect on how their behaviour impacts upon others.</p> |

Safer City grants scheme 2013/14: Priorities / Criteria / Residual

Priorities

- ❑ Alcohol-related violent crime
- ❑ Anti-social behaviour
- ❑ Responding to emerging trends of victim-based acquisitive crime

Criteria

- ❑ The application is submitted by a group with a clear structure, and not an individual
- ❑ There is an identified need for the project, which is supported by evidence
- ❑ The project involves working in partnership with the community or other organisations
- ❑ The aims of the project are clearly defined
- ❑ The project is realistically costed
- ❑ The project represents value for money when comparing the amount of grant requested with the benefits described
- ❑ The project falls within one of the current priority areas shown in the Cambridge Community Safety Plan 2011-2014 and the recurrent neighbourhood policing priorities within the area
- ❑ The ways in which the project will be monitored and evaluated have been considered
- ❑ The grant required in no more than £5,000

Residual¹: £7.040

¹ On the basis that the bid(s) is/are accepted