

Special Rural Panel

Meeting of 21 March 2016

Late Applications for Financial Support

Applicant	Project	Details	Total Cost	Other Funding	Request	Recommendation and Rationale
Maybole Community Council	HLF Feasibility	<p>Maybole Community Council (MCC) wishes to employ the services of an architectural team to enhance their application to Heritage Lottery Fund (HLF). MCC made a successful bid to the Community Development Fund (£9,990) and raised monies to employ a consultant with specialist knowledge of HLF Townscape Heritage Projects. This project is still being worked on.</p> <p>MCC have all the information on the key strategic buildings however now need to assess other buildings and all associated costs and condition reports regarding thereto. This information will strengthen their bid and if successful could generate £2million of funding just from one source.</p> <p>The importance of this extra stage of the project was heightened this week with the announcement that the bypass would be started in 2018.</p> <p>Future work:</p>	£18,940	Organisation's contribution £4,350; Community Development Fund £9,990	£4,600	Officers recommend that the request for £4,600 be approved. This will maximise the chances of a strong submission to the Heritage Lottery Fund and support the town's development once the bypass is in place.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rias stage 1 architectural survey of the derelict and empty buildings and through QS achieve a cost implication for revitalising empty shops; • Survey and cost a new shop front scheme; • Based on the findings of the charrette, cost and design the public realm areas then formulate all this extra information into the bid. <p>Maybole has suffered the effects of the traffic in their town for decades and buildings have suffered from neglect due to restricted access to undertake repairs. A <i>Needs Audit</i> in addition to the charrette in 2015 highlighted the necessity to rejuvenate the High Street.</p> <p>Should this application prove unsuccessful MCC would have to continue with their original plans to submit an application to HLF without this extra expertise.</p> <p>Target will be to submit application to HLF by July/August for a decision by end of year.</p> <p>Previous funding.</p> <p>1997- £300; 1999 - £896; 2000 - £1671.39; 2002 - £750; 2005 - £160; 2006 - £6860; 2007 - £4527.68 (Civic Pride); 2008 - £400; 2009 - £5000 (Homecoming); £500; 2012 - £950;</p>				
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South Carrick Community Leisure (SCCL)	Girvan Leisure Centre – Photographic Record	<p>The Grant would be used to fund the photographic documentation of the construction of the new leisure Centre. This will comprise Exterior and Interior progression photographs covering the building as a whole and the individual rooms within it. Photographs are linked to the architectural plans and are taken from the same place to maintain a coherent record. A full set of interior finished condition photographs will also be taken. In addition a video record of the training and handover to be carried out by the construction company (Morrison Construction) will be made.</p> <p>The photographic and video record thus created will be used to support the future maintenance of the building once finished and critically the training of staff in all operational procedures, specifically those linked to the plant and environmental controls for the building, essentially a practical day to day tool for the operation and maintenance of the new Centre as well as a social history resource for the area.</p> <p>In the short term the photographic record will help maintain community interest and confidence in the build process by publicising its progress and in the longer term the payback from the photographic record will be in terms of its contribution to the future maintenance of the facility and the clarity it will provide in the event of any design or construction problems.</p> <p>The video record of handover and equipment/plant training</p>	£8,862	Organisation's contribution £2,500;	£6,362	Officers recommend that the request for £6,320 be approved. This project has benefits over a number of phases. Initially, it will offer benefits in terms of community interest and creating a timelog for the building's development. This can be displayed once the building is opened showing how a building rises from an empty space. It offers longer term benefits in terms of maintenance and staff training

		<p>will be invaluable in ensuring that future staff recruits will be given the manufacturers/installers own induction and training, even years after the Centre opens.</p> <p>No Previous Rural or Voluntary Organisation grant funding.</p>				
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