

EXTRACT OF DRAFT MINUTE OF HELENSBURGH AND LOMOND AREA COMMITTEE MEETING – 12 AUGUST 2014

7. THIRD SECTOR GRANTS

Members considered a report outlining the recommendations for the award of Third Sector Grants (including Events and Festivals) to Third Sector organisations in Helensburgh and Lomond. Discussion took place in relation to the rationale for grant allocation.

Motion:

That the Area Committee defer decision on the grants until September and if necessary convene a Special meeting of the Area Committee to allow the Chair, in his capacity as Depute Policy Lead for Strategic Finance, time to hold discussions with the Leader of the Council and the Head of Strategic Finance with a view to seeking approval for the Area Committee to have the ability to carry forward money not allocated from the Third Sector Grants budget to the following financial year.

Moved by Councillor E Morton, seconded by Councillor R G MacIntyre.

Following discussion, the Area Committee agreed to vote on whether to defer the decision on all grants as per the Motion or whether to proceed with determining the grants on an individual basis.

On a show of hands vote, 4 Members voted in terms of the Motion and 5 Members voted to proceed with determining the grant applications on an individual basis.

Decision:

1. Members agreed the following:

- (i) Artmap Argyll - Defer consideration of this application as per the terms of the motion proposed previously;
- (ii) Gibson Community Centre Committee - Defer consideration of this application as per the terms of the motion proposed previously;
- (iii) To grant the application from Helensburgh and Lomond Autism/Aspergers Society in the sum of £1,500;
- (iv) To grant the application from Helensburgh Savoy Musical Club in the sum of £1,125;
- (v) To grant the application from The Royal British Legion – Helensburgh and District Branch in the sum of £407; and
- (vi) Following a show of hands vote by 5 votes to 4 to grant the application from the West of Scotland Military Wives Choir in the sum of £645.

