

Minutes

of a meeting of the

South East Area Committee

held on Thursday, 1 May 2014 at 6.00 pm

at the Lockinge Room, The Beacon, Portway Wantage, OX12 9BY



Open to the public, including the press

Present:

Members: Councillors Bill Jones (Chairman), , John Amys, Matthew Barber, Charlotte Dickson, St John Dickson, Jenny Hannaby, Anthony Hayward, Sue Marchant, Fiona Roper, Janet Shelley, Margaret Turner and Reg Waite

Officers: Jayne Bolton, Susan Harbour and Shona Ware

Number of members of the public: 3

SE.15 Apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Councillors Gill Morgan and Julia Reynolds.

SE.16 Minutes

The minutes of the meeting held on 4 February 2014 were agreed as a correct record of the meeting and the chair signed them.

SE.17 Declarations of interest

There were no declarations from councillors.

SE.18 Urgent business and chairman's announcements

None notified.

SE.19 Statements, petitions and questions from the public relating to matters affecting the South East Area Committee.

White Horse Croquet Club	Peter Todd
Frontiers New Horizons Ltd	Richard Kennell
Steventon Sports & Social Club	Chris Wilding

SE.20 Capital Community Grants

Capital Community Grants.

The committee considered the head of corporate strategy's report. This set out details of eight applications, the council had received, for capital community grants, requesting a total of £21,831. The report also set out the financial position, there being £32,495 remaining in the current year's budget, which included £2,591 of unallocated funds underspend carried forward from the previous financial year.

The committee considered each application, assessing it against the grants criteria and awarded grants as follows:

Applicant	Project	Grant	Comments
East Hendred Community Centre	New chairs	1,300	Large reserves, but required for "unexpected costs". Award as per officer recommendation
White Horse Croquet Club (Wantage)	Purchase of equipment	£960	Have received a grant from Wantage Town Council of £500 to purchase mallets. Award as per officer recommendation
Charlton Acorns Preschool (Wantage)	Window replacement project	2,790	Previously granted an award by this committee
The Hanneys Flood Group	Flood group equipment	1,587	Award as per officer recommendation
East Challow Parish Council	Football pavilion re-roofing	1,880	Award as per officer recommendation
Frontiers New Horizons Ltd (Lockinge)	"Need A Direction" project	3,314	Have secured funding from Fleming Charitable Trust and from private companies, but none from parish councils: have undertaken to apply for parish funding. Award as per officer recommendation
Upton Parish Council	Kitchen redevelopment	5,000	Award as per officer recommendation
Steventon Sports and Social Club	Changing room refurbishment	5,000	The parish council support this application but not financially. Award as per officer recommendation

The meeting closed at 6.45 pm