# WYRE FOREST DISTRICT COUNCIL

#### CABINET 22<sup>nd</sup> NOVEMBER 2007

## **Grants to Voluntary Bodies**

AN OPEN ITEM	
COMMUNITY STRATEGY THEME:	
CORPORATE THEME:	Improving Corporacy & Performance
KEY PRIORITY:	Financial and Asset Management
STRATEGY:	Grants to voluntary Organisations
CABINET MEMBER:	Councillor John Campion
RESPONSIBLE OFFICER:	Head of Financial Services
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APPENDIX 1	Letter from KD15 Scouts
APPENDIX 2	Letter from Far Forest Scouts

#### 1. <u>PURPOSE OF REPORT</u>

1.1 To consider requests from KD15 Scouts and Far Forest Scouts for Grants to assist with the purchase of equipment and renovation of their Buildings.

## 2. <u>RECOMMENDATIONS</u>

#### The Cabinet is asked to DECIDE :-

- 2.1 A Grant of £250 to KD15 Scouts.
- 2.2 A Grant of £250 to Far Forest Scouts.

#### 3. BACKGROUND

- 3.1 Council on 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2005, agreed as part of the Budget Process, a Budget Allocation of £1,000 to provide Grants to Voluntary Organisations in order to Pump Prime projects.
- 3.2 Requests have been received from KD15 Scouts and Far Forest Scouts (copies included as Appendices 1 and 2) for a Grant towards their costs of purchasing equipment and renovating their Buildings.

## 4. KEY ISSUES

4.1 There are no key issues.

## 5. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

5.1 The payment of this Grant can be met from within the existing £1,000 budget allocation contained within the Base Budget.

## 6. LEGAL AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS

6.1 There are no significant legal or policy implications arising from this report.

## 7. RISK MANAGEMENT

7.1 There are no risk management implications.

## 8. <u>CONCLUSIONS/ACTIONS</u>

8.1 The requests by KD15 Scouts and Far Forest Scouts are in accordance with the criteria agreed by Council on the 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2005, i.e. Grants should be used to Pump Prime suitable projects.

## **BACKGROUND PAPERS**

Council Minute C773 23rd February 2005.

## CONSULTEES

None.