

The Vale of Glamorgan Council

Cabinet Meeting: 17th December 2018

Report of the Leader

Grants to Community/Voluntary Organisations

Purpose of the Report

1. To seek Cabinet's approval for the awarding of a grant from the corporate policy revenue budget.

Recommendation

1. That a grant of £3,200 be awarded to the YMCA for ground rent in 2018/19 and 2019/20.

Reason for the Recommendation

1. To enable the YMCA to continue to fund the ground rent chargeable on the site.

Background

2. Cabinet on 23rd March 2015 (minute number C2702), approved the payment of a grant to the YMCA of £3,200 to pay for ground rent for a 3 year period commencing 2015/16. It was agreed that the provision of the grant would be reviewed at the end of this period.

Relevant Issues and Options

3. The Council has paid a grant of £3,200 to the YMCA for a number of years to cover the cost of the ground rent.
4. The Barry YMCA provides a valuable role in the community which contributes towards a number of the Council's priorities, including the partnership with Social Services for the Learning Disabilities day unit, the use of the premises for educational projects and the provision of various leisure activities.
5. It is proposed that the grant payment continues in 2018/19 and 2019/20, after which time the provision of the grant payment will be further reviewed.

Resource Implications (Financial and Employment)

6. Financial provision has been made within the corporate policy revenue budget in 2018/19 and 2019/20.

Sustainability and Climate Change Implications

7. There are no sustainability and climate change implications arising out of this report, although the continuation of the agreement will allow all community based facilities to continue to operate from the building

Legal Implications (to Include Human Rights Implications)

8. There are no direct legal implications arising from this report.

Crime and Disorder Implications

9. There are no crime and disorder implications.

Equal Opportunities Implications (to include Welsh Language issues)

10. Organisations must actively promote equal opportunities in their operations and service delivery.

Corporate/Service Objectives

11. Contributes towards an inclusive Vale, an aspirational and culturally vibrant Vale and an active and healthy Vale.

Policy Framework and Budget

12. The proposals within this report are matters for executive decision by Cabinet.

Consultation (including Ward Member Consultation)

13. Since the proposals are within the Policy Framework and Budget, no further consultation is required.

Relevant Scrutiny Committee

14. Corporate Performance and Resources

Background Papers

N/A

Contact Officer

Operational Manager - Accountancy

Officers Consulted

Head of Finance

Responsible Officer:

Managing Director