

BARNSELY METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL**South Area Council Meeting:**17th Oct 2014

Agenda Item: 5

**Report of South Area Council
Manager.****1. Purpose of Report**

This report seeks to inform Members about agreed spend to date from Devolved Ward Budgets and Ward Alliance Funds within the South area.

2. Recommendation

That the South Area Council receives the Devolved Budget and Ward Alliance Funds Report and notes the spend to date for the Wards of Darfield, Hoyland Milton, Rockingham and Wombwell.

3. Introduction

3.1 This report is set within the context of decisions made with regards to Devolved Budget and Ward Alliance Fund arrangements (Cab16.1.2013/10.3).

3.2 In considering projects for the use of the Devolved Ward Budget and Ward Alliance Funds, Members are satisfied that the projects identified meet a recognised need for the Ward, are in the wider public interest, and represent value for money.

4. Spend to Date

4.1 Spend to date which has not been previously reported and has been agreed by the Ward Councillors as follows:

Darfield Ward**Devolved Ward Budget**

Athletic Track Fencing	£2,432.95
Grit bins (Siting & Filling)	£127.40
CCTV Camera	£3,200.00
Mothers Union Banner	£250.00
Billingley Footpath	£4,165.00
Netherwood Car Park Resurfacing	£5,000.00
Total	£15,175.35
Total Remaining	£20,190.65

Ward Alliance Funds (Including Public Health £7k)

Houghton Main Football Club	£900.00
Houghton Main Cricket Club	£750.00
Houghton Main Miners Welfare	£400.00
Darfield Events Group	£690.00
Neighbourhood Network	£ 78.22

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LWYL Hi Viz	£235.00
Summer Activities	£1,292.00
Basketball Club	£200.00
Brownies and Guides	£978.00
Houghton Main Welfare	£2,508.00
Army Cadets	£645.00
Total	£8,676.22
Total Remaining	£15,877.00

Hoyland Milton Ward**Devolved Ward Budget**

Sack Hoops	£112.00
Concrete Base	£150.00
Springwood Litter Pickers	£370.00
Bedding	£2,125.00
Renovation of Cenotaph	£13,250.00
Elsecar Bedding	£1,890.00
Cenotaph	£1,125.00
Milton Ponds	£532.00
Total	£19,554.00
Total Remaining	£13,091.00

Ward Alliance Funds (Including Public Health £7k)

Forge Community Partnership Awareness Point	£2,000.00
Roebuck Growers	£1,894.37
LWYL Clothing	£286.48
Work Club	£3,841.00
Total	£8,021.85
Total Remaining	£18,978.15

Rockingham Ward**Devolved Ward Budget**

Birdwell Stone	£750.00
Sack Hoops	£112.00
Bedding	£2,125.00
Renovation of Cenotaph	£13,250.00
Birdwell Bin	£150.00
Cenotaph	£1,125.00
Milton Ponds	£532.00
Total	£18,044.00
Total Remaining	£14,948.00

Ward Alliance Funds (Including Public Health £7k)

Forge Community Partnership Awareness Point	£2,000.00
Roebuck Growers	£1,894.37
LWYL Clothing	£286.47
Work Club	£3,841.00
Total	£8,021.84
Total Remaining	£18,978.16

Wombwell Ward

Athletic Track Fencing	£2,432.95
Dog Bin	£290.00
CCTV Camera	£3,200.00
Cricket Club Fencing	£5,470.41
Cemetery Chapel	£6,000.00
High Street Bin	£320.00
Total	£17,713.36
Total Remaining	£16,977.64

Ward Alliance Funds (Including Public Health £7k)

Poo in the Park	£335.55
We Love Wombwell (Neighbourhood Network)	£1,400.00
Wombwell Main	£4,000.00
Litter Stencils	£267.30
Community Hall	£5,000.00
Total	£11,002.85
Total Remaining	£15,997.15

- 4.3 Transparency in decision making for the Devolved Ward Budget and Ward Alliance Funds will be assured by a Report on decisions reached to the subsequent relevant Area Council meeting, and through an annual report to Cabinet detailing all approved expenditure for each Ward. In addition, in line with the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) Regulations 2012, all decisions taken will be published on the internet throughout the year.

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