

BARNSELY METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL

<p>South Area Council Meeting:</p> <p>19th December 2014</p> <p>Agenda Item: 5</p>
--

**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

CCTV Camera	£3,500.00
Billingley Footpath	£4,165.00
Netherwood Car Park Resurfacing	£5,000.00
Total	£15,375.35
Total Remaining	£19,890.65

Ward Alliance Funds (Including Public Health £7k)

Basketball Club	£200.00
Brownies and Guides	£978.00
Houghton Main Welfare	£2,508.00
Army Cadets	£645.00
Plants for 'The Ring'	£770.00
Total	£9,446.22
Total Remaining	£15,107.78
Of which Public Health	£1,406.78

Hoyland Milton Ward**Devolved Ward Budget**

Bedding	£2,125.00
Renovation of Cenotaph	£13,250.00
Elsecar Bedding	£1,890.00
Cenotaph	£1,125.00
Milton Ponds	£532.00
Toilets	£6,000.00
Christmas Lights	£1,376.40
Total	£26,930.40
Total Remaining	£5,714.60

Ward Alliance Funds (Including Public Health £7k)

LWYL Clothing	£286.48
Work Club	£3,841.00
LWYL Vests	£67.50
Hoyland Wool	£400.00
Hemingfield Action Group (Canal)	£450.00
Total	£8,939.35
Total Remaining	£18,060.65
Of which Public Health	£4,550.00

Rockingham Ward**Devolved Ward Budget**

Bedding	£2,125.00
Renovation of Cenotaph	£13,250.00
Birdwell Bin	£150.00
Cenotaph	£1,125.00
Milton Ponds	£532.00
Toilets	£6,000.00
Christmas Lights	£1,376.40
Birdwell Christmas Tree	£540.00
Total	£25,960.40
Total Remaining	£7,031.60

Ward Alliance Funds (Including Public Health £7k)

LWYL Clothing	£286.47
Work Club	£3,841.00
LWYL Vests	£67.50
Hoyland Wool	£400.00
Hemingfield Action Group (Canal)	£450.00
Total	£8,939.34
Total Remaining	£18,060.66
Of which Public Health	£4,550.00

Wombwell Ward

CCTV Camera	£3,500.00
Cricket Club Fencing	£5,470.41
Cemetery Chapel	£6,000.00
High Street Bin	£320.00
Park Bins	£873.78
Park Lighting	£1,050.00

High Street Bollards	£958.16
High Street Bin	£264.00
Total	£21,159.30
Total Remaining	£13,531.70

Ward Alliance Funds (Including Public Health £7k)

Wombwell Main	£4,000.00
Litter Stencils	£267.30
Community Hall	£5,000.00
Total	£11,002.85
Total Remaining	£15,997.15
Of which Public Health	£600.00

- 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.

Officer Contact: Kate Faulkes
South Area Council Manager

Tel: 01226 355866
Date: 19 December 2014