

Garrell Vale Community Education Centre, Kilsyth, 25 March 1998 at 2.30 pm.

A Meeting of the KILSYTH AND VILLAGES AREA COMMITTEE

PRESENT

Councillor Barrie (Convener) and Councillor Griffin.

CHAIR

Councillor Barrie (Convener) presided.

IN ATTENDANCE

The Director of Finance (Liaison Director), Core Services Officer, Local Officer, Chief Executive's Department and Area Housing Manager.

APOLOGY

Councillor Craigie.

PLANNING FOR REAL

1. The Area Committee viewed a video provided by the Neighbourhood Initiatives Foundation which outlined the concept of Planning for Real the purpose of which is the participation of the community in neighbourhood regeneration.

Decided: that the contents of the presentation be noted and that otherwise the Area Team look at the possible use of the concept.

ESTABLISHMENT OF COMMUNITY FORUMS - PROGRESS REPORT

2. With reference to paragraph 1 of the Minute of the meeting of this Committee held on 11 February 1998, there was submitted a report dated March 1998 by the Chief Executive (1) detailing the outcome of the public consultation meetings which had taken place in the week beginning 16 March 1998; (2) outlining the issues, views and concerns which had been raised, and (3) concluding (a) that there was a need to further consider the issues and hear options from Kilsyth and Villages Area Committee on the developing relationship between the Committee and the Forum; (b) that, as proposed by the members, a second consultation meeting required to take place to further consider the options and timescale for establishing a Kilsyth and Villages Community Forum, and (c) that this meeting should be held during the week beginning 18 May 1998.

Decided:

- (1) that a second consultation meeting be held on 18 May 1998 subject to this date being suitable;
 - (2) that the Area Team undertake the organisation of the consultation meeting;
 - (3) that the Area Team produce options for the establishment of a Community Forum and present them to the next meeting of this Committee on 13 May 1998, and
 - (4) that the contents of the report be otherwise noted.
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ESTATE BASED INITIATIVE

3. There was submitted a report (docketed) dated 11 March 1998 by the Director of Housing, (1) advising that Estate Based Initiative Projects, identified by the local Area Housing Offices, represented small projects which could enhance the local environment by (a) improving security; (b) improving the appearance of close entrances, back court areas etc.; (c) minimising future management and maintenance problems, and (d) improving the quality of life for local residents; (2) advising that a budget of £8,400 had been allocated for these projects to Housing Offices within the area covered by this Committee, and (3) identifying projects, as detailed in the Appendix to the report.

Decided:

- (1) that the Estate Based Initiative Projects identified by the Area Housing Offices as detailed in the Appendix to the report be supported, and
- (2) that the matter be referred to the next meeting of the Housing Committee for consideration.

INTERIM COMMUNITY GRANTS SCHEME - APPLICATIONS

(1) (a) APPLICATION NO. CG97/98-770 - BURNGREEN MOTHERS AND TODDLERS AND PLAYGROUP KILSYTH

(b) APPLICATION NO. CG97/98-797 - KILSYTH, TWECHAR AND CROY RETIRED AND REDUNDANT MINeworkERS ASSOCIATION

4. With reference to paragraph 5 of the Minute of the meeting of this Committee held on 11 February 1998, the Committee were informed of a change of circumstances in relation to (1) Application No. CG/97/98-770 by Burngreen Mothers and Toddlers and Playgroup, Kilsyth, and (2) Application No. CG/97/98-797 by Kilsyth, Twechar and Croy Retired and Redundant Mineworkers Association, which organisations had previously been granted £450 and £150 respectively, and in the light of the change of circumstances the Committee reconsidered these applications.

Decided:

- (1) that the grant to Burngreen Mothers and Toddlers and Playgroup be revised to a grant of £300 to assist with the cost of a summer outing, and
- (2) that the grant to Kilsyth, Twechar and Croy Retired and Redundant Mineworkers Association be revised to a grant of £100 to assist with general running costs.

(2) APPLICATIONS

5. There was submitted a report dated 17 March by the Chief Executive detailing applications for Community Grants continued from that meeting together with new applications.

Decided: that, subject to receipt of any outstanding information, the applications for community grants be dealt with as follows:-

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CONTINUED APPLICATIONS

Group:	The Sequence Dance Club, Croy - CG97/98-595
Purpose of Application:	To assist with the purchase of compact discs and general running costs.
Grant Requested:	£300
Decision:	Continue.
Group:	Banton and Kelvinhead OAP Association - CG97/98-743
Purpose of Application:	To assist with the laying of a path around Banton Loch.
Grant Requested:	£1,500
Decision:	Continue.
Group:	Croy Regeneration Group - CG97/98-744
Purpose of Application:	To assist with initial start up costs.
Grant Requested:	£250
Decision:	Continue.
Group:	Croy Village Trust - CG97/98-796
Purpose of Application:	To assist with general running costs and the purchase of stationery.
Grant Requested:	£75
Decision:	Continue.
Group:	Croy Adventure Project - CG97/98-798
Purpose of Application:	To assist with the purchase of all weather clothing and running costs.
Grant Requested:	£800
Decision:	Continue.
Group:	Kilsyth Old Peoples' Welfare Committee - CG97/98-891
Purpose of Application:	To assist with the costs of purchasing equipment.
Grant Requested:	£245
Decision:	Grant of £245.

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NEW APPLICATIONS

Group: **Sunshine Corner Mother and Toddlers, Kilsyth - CG97/98-890**

Purpose of Application: To assist with the costs of participating in the Civic Week parade.

Grant Requested: £400

Decision: Grant of £400.

Group: **Croy Youth Club - CG97/98-892**

Purpose of Application: To assist with running costs and the purchase of replacement equipment.

Grant Requested: £1,000

Decision: Continue.

Group: **Croy Cuddlies - CG97/98-893**

Purpose of Application: To assist with training and development costs.

Grant Requested: £255

Decision: Continue.

Group: **Kilsyth Senior Citizens - CG97/98-894**

Purpose of Application: To assist with the purchase of personal alarms.

Grant Requested: £500

Decision: Grant of £500.

Group: **Garrell Lunch Club - CG97/98-895**

Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of the hire of the hall.

Grant Requested: £66

Decision: Grant of £66.

Group: **Queenzieburn Senior Citizens - CG97/98-1013**

Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of personal alarms and outing.

Grant Requested: £600

Decision: Grant of £518.66.

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Group: Queenzieburn Under 5s - CG97/98-1014
Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of an outing and the purchase of toys.
Grant Requested: £800
Decision: Grant of £450.

Group: Kilsyth Boys Club Under 12s - CG97/98-1015
Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of a team visit to France.
Grant Requested: £800
Decision: Grant of £800.

Group: Chapelgreen PTA - CG97/98-1016
Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of transport for an outing.
Grant Requested: £150
Decision: Grant of £150.

Group: Playaway Days - CG97/98-1036
Purpose of Application: To assist with the purchase of new equipment.
Grant Requested: £274.67
Decision: Grant of £274.67