

Nottinghamshire Police and Crime Commissioner Notice of Decision



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TITLE: 2014-5 Community Safety Fund – grants awarded

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Grant applications for the 2014-5 Community Safety Fund were assessed by two officers from Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner against a scored matrix. Stakeholder views about relevant project applications were also obtained from:

- City and County safeguarding boards
- Crime and Drugs Partnership
- Domestic violence leads in the city and county councils
- Nottinghamshire Police
- Nottinghamshire Probation Trust
- Safer Nottinghamshire Board

Following the assessment and consultation with stakeholders, recommendations were made to the PCC, Deputy PCC and Chief Executive on 2 April. It was agreed that 34 projects would be funded.

Since April funding for the following additional projects has been agreed:

- Malt Cross Trust: £2,000 to fund a temporary safe space in Nottingham City Centre whilst the permanent safe is refurbished
- Framework: £2,000 for volunteer expenses to run a “through the gate” mentoring programme with offenders requiring additional support
- Nottingham Mencap: £1,033 for materials to publicise “Safe Places” for people with learning disabilities

In total, 32 projects have been supported to a funding total of £368,922 community safety grant. An additional 5 victim support projects were funded to a total of £102,588 with Ministry of Justice funding ring fenced for victims.

Three organisations had been previously approved with £6,000 interim funding to continue 2013-4 projects until funding decisions for 2014-5 were made. All three projects were successful in securing 2014-5 funding. The interim funding previously awarded was included within their 2014-5 grant award.

The final list of approved small grants is attached for information and is published on the PCC website.

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INFORMATION IN SUPPORT OF DECISION: (e.g report or business case)

The list of approved 2014-5 Community Safety Fund grant applications is attached, detailing all payments to be made from this funding.

Is any of the supporting information classified as non public or confidential information?**

No

X

Yes

DECISION:

The PCC is requested to approve the final list of applications and the amount payable.

OFFICER APPROVAL

I have been consulted about the proposal and confirm that the appropriate advice has been taken into account in the preparation of this report. I am satisfied that this is an appropriate request to be submitted to the Police and Crime Commissioner.

Signature:
Chief Executive

Date:

DECLARATION:

I confirm that I do not have any disclosable pecuniary interests in this decision and I take the decision in compliance with the Code of Conduct for the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner. Any interests are indicated below:

The above request has my approval.

Signature:
Nottinghamshire Police and Crime Commissioner

Date:

** See guidance on non public information and confidential information.

2014-5 Community Safety Fund successful projects

Organisation	Project	Brief details	Amount £
Ann Craft Trust	Sexual exploitation of young people with learning disabilities	Creation of an education programme around child sexual exploitation and learning disabilities targeting community based professionals. The project will identify local issues and develop bespoke resources around safeguarding and communication.	22,080
Aspley/Bells Lane Partnership	Aspley Community Taking Control	Programme for young people who are on the verge of or who are causing anti-social behaviour in the local area to deliver local environmental improvements and work experience.	10,000
Bac-In*	Star	Recovery focused support to BME offenders/inmates through effective interventions ranging from Peer mentoring/Peer coaching, structured group sessions and interactive personal development workshops.	12,500
Broxtowe Women's Project	Domestic Abuse Awareness Raising	Distribution of domestic abuse awareness raising materials in community locations to raise profile and ensure accessibility to specialist services.	3,000
Changing Lives	Reach Out	Work with vulnerable 16-25 year-old women, providing assertive outreach, structured learning, group-work, and person-centred support, to reduce the risks of sexual exploitation, substance abuse, and offending.	20,000
Chatbout Young People	My Rights My Voice	Publicity campaign and workshops to raise awareness of rights amongst young people and reduce tensions between young (BME) people and the police.	8,821
Crimestoppers	Rural Crime	Conference to tackle rural crime: raising awareness and identifying future action.	3,000
Emmanuel House	Core Programme	To create a structured, tailored programme of activities strengthening individual pathways of offender support, to provide diversion from crime and opportunities for participants to develop a non-offending lifestyle.	24,256
Equation	Know more	Five self-esteem and healthy relationships projects for 50 year 9 girls at risk of gang involvement and/or domestic abuse and sexual violence.	10,000
Framework	Prison Mentoring Service	Through the gate prison 1:1 prison mentoring service delivered by volunteers.	2,000

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Holocaust Centre	Community Led Hate Crime Museum	Work through Holocaust education and the development of personal responsibility to inspire and support adults and families within 3 Nottinghamshire communities to take action to prevent Hate Crime.	22,200
Inspiring Greatness*	Street Entrepreneur Programmes	To work with young people at risk of or engaged in criminal activities to expose them to professional business people and real life business models to support them to apply their skills to legitimate income generation ventures.	5,000
Jason Spencer Trust	Bereavement Support Centre	Peer support and activities for families bereaved by violent crime.	10,000
Jericho Road Project	Life Centre and Befriending	Delivery of person centred befriending support to women with complex needs, including addictive behaviours, enabling them to develop a lifestyle away from the sex industry.	6,000
Karimia Institute	Tackling Crime in Muslim Community	Engaging communities with social, recreational and education activities to reduce and discourage members crime and promote volunteer street pastors (street imams) to help and build safer communities.	10,000
Malt Cross Trust	Street Pastors Estates	Street Pastors in Bulwell and Sneinton/St Anns building community relationships to help tackle crime and anti social behaviour.	10,000
Malt Cross Trust	Temporary Safe Space	Operation of a temporary safe space from 10pm to 3am every Friday and Saturday night from June to October whilst the current safe space is being renovated.	2,000
Mixed Foundations	Safe Minds	Providing emotional & practical support, through mentoring and counselling, for young people involved in crime. The main aims and objectives of the project are to transform lives & reduce offending.	25,000
Newark & Southwell Street Pastors	Street Pastors	To continue regular patrols of street pastors in Southwell on Fridays and Newark on Saturdays, and expand to resume Friday patrols in Newark.	4,000
NIDAS	Teenage Relationship Abuse Worker	Participatory project with young people 13-19 years to develop a range of DV services identified by the YP as relevant to them.	20,028
Nottingham Mencap	Safe Places	Materials to publicise the Safe Places scheme which supports people with learning disabilities to use designated Safe Places when feeling anxious or distressed.	1,033
Nottinghamshire Neighbourhood Watch	Reducing the vulnerability of communities to crime and ASB through partnership working	To promote Neighbourhood Watch and encourage scheme registrations and information hubs, through partnership working and pursuing new opportunities, especially in high crime areas.	25,000

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Notts County FC Football in the Community	On Side	Targeted football-based provision working with young people in St Ann's, Basford, Kirkby in Ashfield and Sutton in Ashfield, at risk of committing crime.	24,840
PATRA inc ACDA	BME Steering Group	Delivery of the policy recommendations made in the Police and Crime Commissioner's BME Report.	10,000
Rape Crisis	Young Person Outreach worker	Young person outreach worker to deliver a sexual violence prevention programme to schools in Nottingham City and County, educating young people on issues relating to sexual violence; consent and the law.	10,000
Remedi	Vulnerable Girls Group	Group work with vulnerable girls who are victims of crime	12,500
Safer Living Foundation	Circles of Support and Accountability	Circles of support and accountability to promote the protection of victims of sexual crime and the rehabilitation of high risk sex offenders.	10,000
Sustrans	The Ucycle Nottingham Project Bike Security Campaign	Initiative to reduce bike theft.	5,000
Trent Bridge Community Trust	Transition /futures talent	Support for Year 5 and 6 young people using mentoring and community engagement to drive ambition and attainment.	9,500
UK Network of Sex Work Projects	Ugly Mugs	National third party reporting mechanism for sex workers to report crime against them. Warnings are disseminated to other workers and shared with the police.	3,000
Victim Support	Anti-social Behaviour Service	Support service for victims of ASB providing a listening ear, emotional support, advocacy, practical measures, access to home security advice and other specialist/support services	22,000
Voluntary Action Broxtowe	Keep Safe	Accessible workshops for newly arrived migrants to support and advise on the law and keeping safe.	6,164

* funded subject to meeting criteria

The following projects have been funded through Victims' Services funding:

Organisation	Project	Brief details	Amount £
Integritas Advocacy	Integritas Intensive Support	Intensive support to vulnerable victims of crime with mental health issues who are unable to access other victim support services	24,642

Organisation	Project	Brief details	Amount £
ISAS	Teenage Survivors	Support for young victims of sexual abuse, rape and sexual violence aged 13 – 25 years through offering specialist counselling, specialist therapeutic group work and support to extended family members across Nottinghamshire.	21,731
Midland Women's Aid	McKenzie's Friend	The project will support women survivors of domestic abuse in Family Court Proceedings where they have no recourse to legal aid or cannot afford a legal representative.	9,720
Nottinghamshire Women's Aid	Supporting teenagers in abusive relationships (STAR)	Support for vulnerable young girls who are at risk within their own relationships including domestic abuse, sexual exploitation, honour based violence, forced marriage, stalking, harassment and high risk cases.	22,440
Women's Aid Integrated Services (WAIS)	Teenage Domestic Violence Advocacy and Support Project	Phase 2 of a pilot support and advocacy service to teenage girls aged 13 to 17 years experiencing intimate partner domestic violence and abuse.	24,055