SUBJECT: WELSH CHURCH FUND WORKING GROUP

MEETING: Cabinet

DATE: 14th April 2021

DIVISIONS/WARD AFFECTED: AII

1. PURPOSE:

1.1 The purpose of this report is to make recommendations to Cabinet on the Schedule of Applications for the Welsh Church Fund Working meeting 6 held on the 11th March 2021.

2. **RECOMMENDATION:**

2.1 We resolved that the following grants be awarded as per the schedule of applications.

SCHEDULE OF APPLICATIONS CONSIDERED 2020/21 - MEETING 6.

1 Garden City Community Group (Chepstow), requested £800 to assist in the installation of a water mains linkage for the provision of running water to the site and tool storage facilities at the community garden.

Recommendation: £500 awarded to assist installing a mains water facility at this community garden project.

2 Blue Phoenix Jazz Band, Caldicot, requested £2,500 required to help in the purchase of Band uniforms for future competitions as most members are from disadvantaged backgrounds.

Recommendation: £1,238 awarded to assist in providing essential elements of attire for this community focussed musical group.

3. OPTIONS APPRAISAL

Options available to the Committee are assessed on the information supplied by the applicants

4. EVALUATION CRITERIA

No evaluation criteria is applicable to the grant awarded by the trust

5. REASONS

A Meeting took place on Thursday 11th March 2021 of the Welsh Church Fund Committee Working Group to recommend the payment of grants as detailed in the attached schedule (Appendix 1).

County Councillors in attendance at meeting 6:

County Councillor A. Webb (Chair) County Councillor D. Evans (Vice Chair) County Councillor B. Strong

County Councillor S. Woodhouse

OFFICERS IN ATTENDANCE:

D Jarrett Central Finance

W Barnard Committee Administration

5.1 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None

5.2 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE at meeting 6

None

5.3 CONFIRMATION OF REPORT OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS

The minutes of the meetings held on the 14th January 2021 were confirmed as a true record.

6. RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS

Total funding of £1,738.00, has been allocated at Meeting 6 of the Welsh Church Fund Committee. There are no remaining funds available for distribution in 2020-21.

7. WELLBEING OF FUTURE GENERATIONS IMPLICATIONS (INCORPORATING EQUALITIES, SUSTAINABILITY, SAFEGUARDING AND CORPORATE PARENTING):

There are no Future Generations, equality, safeguarding, corporate parenting or sustainable development implications directly arising from this report. The assessment is contained in the attached appendix.

8. CONSULTEES:

Senior Leadership Team
All Cabinet Members
Head of Legal Services
Assistant Head of Finance
Central Finance Management Accountant

9. BACKGROUND PAPERS:

Welsh Church Fund Schedule of Applications 2020/21 – Meeting 6 (Appendix 1)

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