

## DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

MEETING OF CABINET MEMBER – HIGHWAYS, TRANSPORT AND  
INFRASTRUCTURE

14 June 2018

Report of the Strategic Director – Economy, Transport and Environment

## AWARD OF GRANTS TO EXTERNAL RECIPIENTS

(1) **Purpose of Report** To seek the Cabinet Member's approval to award a grant to external recipients.

(2) **Information and Analysis** In accordance with Financial Regulations, all grants to external recipients must be approved and a departmental register maintained. Grants are payments of funds for a specific purpose. Examples include contributions towards an external party's core running costs, purchase or construction of specified assets, and the running of specific events.

There is now, also, a requirement under the Local Government Transparency Code 2014 to publish information on grants awarded to voluntary, community and social enterprise organisations.

Applications for grants have been received from the following:

| Applicant                  | Works   | Suggested Contribution |
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| Transpeak Walks            | To cover the annual expenses for promoting and operating a station to station guided walks programme.                                     | £1,600                 |
| Friends of Glossop Station | Provision of promotional material along the Glossop Line for the folk trains and guided walks programme 2018-19.                          | £150                   |
| Friends of Glossop Station | Contribution towards the cost of designing, manufacturing and installing the Lowestoft Wartime Evacuees display panel at Glossop Station. | £100                   |
| Friends of Buxton Station  | To fund the design and printing of a Buxton Real Ale leaflet and the design and printing of Buxton Spa posters.                           | £639                   |
| Friends of Buxton Station  | To support the setting up, marketing and operating costs of the new live music Buxton Blues Train initiative for 2018-19. (N.B.           | £1,200                 |

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|                       | Northern Trains are contributing an equivalent amount of funding to the project.)                  |      |
| Manchester Folk Train | To cover the annual expenses for promoting and operating a programme of 24 live music folk trains. | £600 |

Specific details of the application for grant can be found in the Appendix attached. The award of grants will be administered through the High Peak and Hope Valley Community Rail Partnership budget.

(3) **Financial Considerations** The grants to Transpeak Walks, Friends of Glossop Station, Friends of Buxton Station and Manchester Folk Train can be met from the High Peak and Hope Valley Community Rail Partnership budget.

(4) **Legal Considerations** By grant funding, the applicant will not be contractually obliged to deliver any particular services although the Council may be able to claw back grant if it is unspent or misapplied.

### Other Considerations

In preparing this report the relevance of the following factors has been considered: prevention of crime and disorder, equality and diversity, human resources, environmental, health, property, social value and transport considerations.

(5) **Key Decision** No.

(6) **Call-In** Is it required that call-in be waived in respect of the decisions proposed in the report? No.

(7) **Background Papers** Held on file within the Economy, Transport and Environment Department. Officer contact details – Andrew Walker, extension 36730.

(8) **OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATIONS** That the Cabinet Member approves the award of grants to:

- £1,600 to Transpeak Walks.
- £150 to Friends of Glossop Station.
- £100 to Friends of Glossop Station.
- £639 to Friends of Buxton.
- £1,200 to Friends of Buxton Station.
- £600 to Manchester Folk Train.

**Mike Ashworth**  
**Strategic Director – Economy, Transport and Environment**

## Appendix - Award of Grants

**Name of Recipient:** Transpeak Walks

**Grant Name:** Transpeak Walks 2018-19 Grant

**Officer Responsible:** Andrew Walker

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| <p><b>Summary of Purpose:</b> To cover the annual expenses for promoting and operating a station to station guided walks programme.</p> |
| <p><b>Amount of grant requested:</b> £1,600</p>   |
| <p><b>Capital/Revenue:</b> Revenue</p>  |
| <p><b>Which Budget:</b> High Peak and Hope Valley Community Rail Partnership budget</p>   |
| <p><b>Time Period:</b> 2018-19.</p>   |

**Name of Recipient:** Friends of Glossop Station

**Grant Name:** Friends of Glossop Station Folk Train Publicity 2018-19

**Officer Responsible:** Andrew Walker

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| <p><b>Summary of Purpose:</b> Provision of promotional material along the Glossop Line for the folk trains and guided walks programme 2018-19.</p> |
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| <p><b>Amount of grant requested:</b> £150</p> |
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| <p><b>Capital/Revenue:</b> Revenue</p> |
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| <p><b>Which Budget:</b> High Peak and Hope Valley Community Rail Partnership budget</p> |
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| <p><b>Time Period:</b> 2018-19.</p> |
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**Name of Recipient:** Friends of Glossop Station

**Grant Name:** Friends of Glossop Station Wartime Evacuees Display

**Officer Responsible:** Andrew Walker

**Summary of Purpose:** Contribution towards the cost of designing, manufacturing and installing the Lowestoft Wartime Evacuees display panel at Glossop Station.

**Amount of grant requested:** £100

**Capital/Revenue:** Revenue

**Which Budget:** High Peak and Hope Valley Community Rail Partnership budget

**Time Period:** 2018-19.

**Name of Recipient:** Friends of Buxton Station

**Grant Name:** Friends of Buxton Station Marketing Project

**Officer Responsible:** Andrew Walker

**Summary of Purpose:** To fund the design and printing of a Buxton Real Ale leaflet and the design and printing of Buxton Spa posters. These will contribute to a joint marketing initiative with Northern (Arriva Rail North Ltd) to promote Buxton around the North of England to rail passengers. (N.B. Northern are contributing an equivalent amount of funding to the project.)

**Amount of grant requested:** £639

**Capital/Revenue:** Revenue

**Which Budget:** High Peak and Hope Valley Community Rail Partnership budget

**Time Period:** 2018-19.

**Name of Recipient:** Friends of Buxton Station

**Grant Name:** Friends of Buxton Station Blues Music Trains

**Officer Responsible:** Andrew Walker

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| <p><b>Summary of Purpose:</b> To support the setting up, marketing and operating costs of the new live music Buxton Blues Train initiative for 2018-19. (N.B. Northern Trains are contributing an equivalent amount of funding to the project.)</p> |
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| <p><b>Amount of grant requested:</b> £1,200</p> |
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| <p><b>Capital/Revenue:</b> Revenue</p> |
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| <p><b>Which Budget:</b> High Peak and Hope Valley Community Rail Partnership budget</p> |
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**Name of Recipient:** Manchester Folk Train

**Grant Name:** Manchester Folk Trains 2018-19 Support Grant

**Officer Responsible:** Andrew Walker

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| <p><b>Summary of Purpose:</b> To cover the annual expenses for promoting and operating a programme of 24 live music folk trains.</p> |
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| <p><b>Amount of grant requested:</b> £600</p> |
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| <p><b>Capital/Revenue:</b> Revenue</p> |
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| <p><b>Which Budget:</b> High Peak and Hope Valley Community Rail Partnership budget</p> |
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| <p><b>Time Period:</b> 2018-19.</p> |
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