

## Agenda Item No. 4(e)

## DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

MEETING OF CABINET MEMBER – HIGHWAYS, TRANSPORT AND  
INFRASTRUCTURE

20 October 2015

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 grants 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
A&B Weston	Stiles and Gates Grant 2015-16. Contribution towards the repair of an existing stone stile.	£82.97
D Hardy	Stiles and Gates Grant 2015-16. Contribution towards the repair of an existing gate.	£62.75
Mr J Towe	Stiles and Gates Grant 2015-16. Contribution towards the replacement of an existing stile.	£87
Friends of Buxton Station	To purchase 14 hanging baskets and two contrasting sets of artificial flowers (Spring/Summer and Autumn/Winter). Also to purchase 2 hanging baskets with	£940

	real flowers for mounting on the corners of the station building.	
Friends of Whaley Bridge Station	To produce an information and recruitment leaflet about the work of the station friends group.	£40
Transpeak Walks	First Aid Training and First Aid Kits for three walk leaders on the Guided Walks Programme sponsored by the Community Rail Partnership.	£160
Friends of Dore and Totley Station	An initial grant from the Community Rail Partnership to help launch the Friends of Dore and Totley Station voluntary community group.	£250
Manchester Folk Train	Marketing and promotion expenses for 2015-16	£400

Specific details of the applications for grant can be found in the Appendix attached.

(3) **Financial Considerations** The costs of the grants will be met from the Rights of Way Maintenance Budget and the High Peak and Hope Valley Rail Partnership.

The latter is a separate body from the Council and has its own budget, but is subject to the financial rules of the Council. The Partnership is chaired by Councillor Geenhalgh.

(4) **Legal Considerations** By grant funding, the bodies set out above 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 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. Officers contact details – Peter J White, extension 39673 and Andrew Walker, extension 38093.

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

- £82.97 to A&B Weston.
- £62.75 to D Hardy.
- £87 to Mr J Towe.
- £940 to Friends of Buxton Station.
- £40 to Friends of Whaley Bridge Station.
- £160 to Transpeak Walks.
- £250 to Friends of Dore and Totley Station.
- £400 to Manchester Folk Train.

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

## Appendix - Award of Grants

**Name of Recipient:** A&B Weston

**Grant Name:** Litton FP11, A&B Weston

**Officer Responsible:** Peter J White

<p><b>Summary of Purpose:</b> Stiles and Gates Grant 2015-16. Contribution towards the repair of an existing stone stile.</p>
<p><b>Amount of grant requested:</b> £82.97</p>
<p><b>Capital/Revenue:</b> Revenue</p>
<p><b>Which Budget:</b> Rights of Way Maintenance Budget</p>
<p><b>Time Period:</b> 2015-16</p>

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**Name of Recipient:** D Hardy

**Grant Name:** Horsley FP16, D.Hardy

**Officer Responsible:** Peter J White

<p><b>Summary of Purpose:</b> Stiles and Gates Grant 2015-16. Contribution towards the repair of an existing gate.</p>
<p><b>Amount of grant requested:</b> £62.75</p>
<p><b>Capital/Revenue:</b> Revenue</p>
<p><b>Which Budget:</b> Rights of Way Maintenance Budget</p>
<p><b>Time Period:</b> 2015-16</p>

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**Name of Recipient:** Mr J Towe

**Grant Name:** Matlock FP80, Mr J Towe

**Officer Responsible:** Peter J White

<p><b>Summary of Purpose:</b> Stiles and Gates Grant 2015-16. Contribution towards the replacement of an existing stile.</p>
<p><b>Amount of grant requested:</b> £87</p>
<p><b>Capital/Revenue:</b> Revenue</p>
<p><b>Which Budget:</b> Rights of Way Maintenance Budget</p>
<p><b>Time Period:</b> 2015-16</p>

**Appendix - Award of Grants****Name of Recipient:** Friends of Buxton Station**Grant Name:** Friends of Buxton Station Hanging Baskets**Officer Responsible:** Andrew Walker

**Summary of Purpose:** To purchase 14 hanging baskets and two contrasting sets of artificial flowers (Spring/Summer and Autumn/Winter), and to purchase 2 hanging baskets with real flowers for mounting on the corners of the station building, subject to permission being granted by Northern Rail Ltd and the financial support of the Rail Partnership to be acknowledged at the station.

**Amount of grant requested:** £940

**Capital/Revenue:** Revenue

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

**Time Period:** 2015-16

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**Name of Recipient:** Friends of Whaley Bridge Station

**Grant Name:** Friends of Whaley Bridge Station Leaflets

**Officer Responsible:** Andrew Walker

**Summary of Purpose:** To produce an information and recruitment leaflet about the work of the station friends group. The financial support of the Rail Partnership is to be acknowledged on the leaflet.

**Amount of grant requested:** £40

**Capital/Revenue:** Revenue

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

**Time Period:** 2015-16



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**Name of Recipient:** Transpeak Walks

**Grant Name:** Transpeak Walks First Aid Training

**Officer Responsible:** Andrew Walker

**Summary of Purpose:** First Aid Training and First Aid Kits for three walk leaders on the Guided Walks Programme sponsored by the Community Rail Partnership. Financial support from the Community Rail Partnership to be acknowledged.

**Amount of grant requested:** £160

**Capital/Revenue:** Revenue

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

**Time Period:** 2015-16

## Appendix - Award of Grants

**Name of Recipient:** Friends of Dore and Totley Station

**Grant Name:** Friends of Dore and Totley Station Start-up Grant

**Officer Responsible:** Andrew Walker

**Summary of Purpose:** An initial grant from the Community Rail Partnership to help launch the Friends of Dore and Totley Station voluntary community group. Financial support from the Community Rail Partnership to be acknowledged on publicity material.

**Amount of grant requested:** £250

**Capital/Revenue:** Revenue

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

**Time Period:** 2015-16

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**Name of Recipient:** Manchester Folk Train

**Grant Name:** Manchester Folk Trains Promotion

**Officer Responsible:** Andrew Walker

**Summary of Purpose:** Marketing and promotion expenses for 2015-16. The financial support from the Rail Partnership to be acknowledged on the promotional material.

**Amount of grant requested:** £400

**Capital/Revenue:** Revenue

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

**Time Period:** 2015-16