

## Agenda Item No. 4(b)

## DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

MEETING OF CABINET MEMBER – HIGHWAYS, TRANSPORT AND  
INFRASTRUCTURE

9 February 2016

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
Friends of Disley Station	Funding to cover the initial start-up costs and promotional material for this volunteer group.	£250
Friends of Bamford Station	Funding to cover the initial start-up costs and promotional material for this volunteer group.	£250
Friends of Buxton Station	Supply and installation at Buxton Station of an illustrated heritage map of the town. A mosaic of bespoke ceramic tiles will be produced, secured in a wooden frame.	£1,866

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 High Peak and Hope Valley Community Rail Partnership Grants budget.

(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 – Andrew Walker, extension 36730.

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

- £250 to Friends of Disley Station.
- £250 to Friends of Bamford Station
- £1,866 to Friends of Buxton Station.

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

## Appendix - Award of Grants

**Name of Recipient:** Friends of Disley Station

**Grant Name:** Friends of Disley Station Start Up Grant

**Officer Responsible:** Andrew Walker

<p><b>Summary of Purpose:</b> Funding to cover the initial start-up costs and promotional material for this volunteer group.</p>
<p><b>Amount of grant requested:</b> £250</p>
<p><b>Capital/Revenue:</b> Revenue</p>
<p><b>Which Budget:</b> High Peak and Hope Valley Community Rail Partnership Grants Budget</p>
<p><b>Time Period:</b> 2015-16</p>

## Appendix - Award of Grants

**Name of Recipient:** Friends of Bamford Station

**Grant Name:** Friends of Bamford Station Start Up Grant

**Officer Responsible:** Andrew Walker

<p><b>Summary of Purpose:</b> Funding to cover the initial start-up costs and promotional material of this new community volunteer group.</p>
<p><b>Amount of grant requested:</b> £250</p>
<p><b>Capital/Revenue:</b> Revenue</p>
<p><b>Which Budget:</b> High Peak and Hope Valley Community Rail Partnership Grants 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 Tile Map**Officer Responsible:** Andrew Walker

<b>Summary of Purpose:</b> For the supply and installation at Buxton Station of an illustrated heritage map of the town. A mosaic of bespoke ceramic tiles will be produced, secured in a wooden frame.
<b>Amount of grant requested:</b> £1,866
<b>Capital/Revenue:</b> Revenue
<b>Which Budget:</b> High Peak and Hope Valley Community Rail Partnership Grants Budget
<b>Time Period:</b> 2015-16