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| **Police and Crime Commissioner for Gwent Decision** | |
| PCCG-2022-050 | Police and Crime Commissioner for Gwent Decision Session |
| Subject | Police Commissioner’s Local Policing Area Positive Impact Fund Allocation 2022/23 |
| Summary | To record the allocation of funding for the two force Local Policing Areas out of the Positive Impact Fund that the Police and Crime Commissioner established in 2022/23. |

**DECISION**

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| 1. | Previous publication of Decision Log number PCCG-2018-019 confirmed the intention to establish a Positive Impact Fund in each of the Local Policing Areas (LPAs). Funding of £10,000 was awarded to each LPA on the understanding that awards could be granted for projects that are able to demonstrate a positive impact on the communities they serve, whilst at the same time contributing to delivering the Police and Crime Plan priorities. | |
| 2. | Funding was provided to a number of projects during 2022/23, a list of which can be found at Appendix 1. These grants have been distributed throughout the year. | |
| 3. | It is my intention to run the process again throughout 2023/24 and I will adjust the budget accordingly to reflect the financial position at the time. | |
| **Mr Jeff Cuthbert BSc, MCIPD, Police and Crime Commissioner for Gwent** | | |
| I confirm that I have considered whether or not I have any personal or prejudicial interest in this matter and take the proposed decision in compliance with my code of conduct. Any such interests are recorded below.  The above request has my approval. | | |
| Signed | | Date  23/05/2023 |

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| **Background papers** | Appendix A : List of funding distributed |

**Appendix A :**

**List of funding provided from the Positive Impact Fund during 2022/23**

**East Local Policing Area**

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| **Funding Provided** | **Amount (£)** |
| 1. Discourage Drink Spiking Campaign - Purchase of drink stoppers for distribution to licensed premises in Newport in a bid to discourage drink spiking. | 1,000.00 |
| 1. Contribution towards Pill Carnival to increase community cohesion and confidence in the police. | 772.00 |
| 1. Contribution to Rogerstone Rangers JFC to increase their equipment enabling them to take on additional child players to increase community cohesion and confidence in the police. | 400.00 |
| 1. Contribution towards a charity football tournament led by Newport Corinthians, providing family entertainment and offering the opportunity to increase community cohesion and police engagement. | 400.00 |
| 1. Contribution towards a secret garden project to encourage children to enjoy nature and take care of their local environment | 761.85 |
| 1. Contribution towards CCTV and security lighting for Barnabus House in Ruperra Lane, Pill in a bid to reduce ASB and crime as well as promote feelings of safety. | 500.00 |
| 1. Contribution to St Stephen’s Church in regards to assisting in their ‘800 bags of hope’ initiative, providing food and gifts to residents in the Pill community many of which are considered to be ‘in need’. The initiative was delivered by a variety of partners including local councillors, Pill Unity and the Pill Trust. | 300.00 |
|  | **4,133.85** |

**West Local Policing Area**

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| **Funding Provided** | **Amount (£)** |
| 1. Contribution towards an Easter Event in Blackwood aimed at improving community cohesion and build positive relationships with young people. | 198.47 |
| 1. Contribution towards an upgrade of equipment (projector and CCTV) in Gelligaer Parish Council Community Hall to provide an increased feelings of safety and community cinema nights to be held. | 1,000.00 |
| 1. Contribution towards an ASB Awareness Day in Blackwood during the school summer holidays, providing a range of activities so as to keep neighbourhoods safe and improve community confidence in policing. | 493.14 |
| 1. Discourage Drink Spiking campaign - Purchase of drink stoppers for distribution to licensed premises in Blaenau Gwent in a bid to discourage drink spiking. | 1,000.00 |
| 1. Contribution towards Summer Fun Day in Morgan Jones Park, Caerphilly, during the school holidays to reduce ASB and improve community cohesion. | 570.00 |
| 1. Contribution towards an ASB Event in partnership with Blaenau Gwent County Borough Council, Fire Service, St John’s Ambulance etc. in Ebbw Vale, in the hopes of nurturing community cohesion and deter ASB. | 364.00 |
| 1. Further contribution towards the partnership ASB Event in Ebbw Vale, in the hopes of nurturing community cohesion and deter ASB. | 100.00 |
| 1. Contribution to All Saints Primary School for the purchase of parking buddy pavement signs to reduce the number of parking complaints and increase the safety for children attending the school. | 394.25 |
| 1. Contribution towards the purchase of equipment to enable targeted enforcement, engagement and education to the night time economy in Caerphilly North. | 94.79 |
| 1. Contribution towards a Halloween Community Event for the two main streets of Cwm in Ebbw Vale. | 120.00 |
| 1. Contribution towards a Halloween Community Event in Caerphilly North. | 113.21 |
| 1. Contribution to Newport District Schools Football Association for purchase of additional football equipment, the project is aimed at engaging girls from all areas of Torfaen, Monmouth and Newport in football. | 90.00 |
| 1. Contribution towards equipment (reflectors, lights and D ring locks) for three community events held in Bargoed, Aberbargoed and Gelligaer to educate and inform attendees around bike and crime safety. | 1,410.00 |
| 1. Contribution towards the purchase of equipment to enable targeted enforcement, engagement and education to the night time economy in Bargoed. | 94.79 |
|  | **6,042.65** |