

HUNTINGDON TOWN COUNCIL**GRANTS SUB COMMITTEE**

A meeting of the Grants Sub Committee was held in the Town Hall, Market Hill, Huntingdon on Thursday 6th October 2016.

Present: Councillors A Beevor; S Dyne; and S McAdam

Absent: Councillor J Jacobs

8. **APOLOGIES**

Apologies were received from Councillors T Forster (Chairman); T Sanderson and R Valatka.

In the absence of the Chairman, Cllr McAdam was nominated to chair the meeting.

9. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Councillor A Beevor declared an interest in the Huntingdonshire Volunteer Centre and OCAG applications as a member of the organisations.

10. **PUBLIC ADDRESS/ADDRESS BY TOWN COUNCILLORS TO SUB COMMITTEE**

There was none.

11. **MINUTES**

Copies of the minutes of the meeting of the Grants Sub Committee held on 31st March 2016 (M1) had been circulated following their informal approval by the Chairman. It was proposed, seconded and

RESOLVED that these were a correct record and they were duly signed by the meeting Chairman.

12. **APPLICATIONS FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE**

Copies of applications for a total of £8,500 from five Organisations had been circulated to Members prior to the meeting. Members were reminded that it had been agreed that grant awards would be capped at £500 per organisation at the Finance Committee meeting held on 18th February 2016.

Careful consideration was then given to the applications presented and a history of awards in proceeding years, where applicable. It was

RESOLVED to recommend that the following applications be granted in the amounts shown, subject to the usual conditions and made under the provisions of Section 137, 142, 144 and 145 of the Local Government Act 1972, it being in this Council's opinion that such grants are made in the interests of the area or its inhabitants and that levels of grant are

commensurate with levels of benefit derived therefrom:

1. Hartford Conservation Group	£500
2. Huntingdonshire Volunteer Centre	£500
3. OCAG	£500
4. International Prayer Palace Church	£500
5. Snack Shack	£500

The amount awarded at the meeting totalled £2,500, under Section 137(1) of the Local Government Act 1972: Class 5 – Ceremonial and Entertainment and Class 9 – Social Welfare.

13. **DATE & AGENDA OF THE NEXT MEETING**

The date of the next meeting was noted as TBC.

CHAIRMAN