

## Area Budget 2026/27 – Applications for funding dealt with etc – Declaration of interest.

8 With reference to the minutes of the Council's City Administration Committee of 12th March 2026, when the committee approved the 2026/27 Area Budget allocations, there was submitted a report by the Head of Policy and Corporate Governance, advising

- (1) of the current position in relation to the Area Partnership's budget for 2026/27;
- (2) that the Hillhead Area Partnership's Budget allocation for 2026/27 was £62,702 and that £10,033 had been allocated to date, leaving a balance of £52,669;
- (3) that as of April 2026, a new online application form would be introduced; and
- (4) of the applications for funding from the Area Budget for 2026/27.

After consideration, the Partnership

- (a) noted
  - (i) the position regarding the Area Budget allocation for 2026/27; and
  - (ii) the applications dealt with under delegated functions, as detailed in the report; and
- (b) dealt with applications for funding as follows, the grant awards being subject to the conditions detailed in the report:

<i>Applicant</i>	<i>Purpose of application</i>	<i>Decision</i>
Visibility Scotland ForSight – Access for All	Towards the costs to transform the entrance and interior hallway/reception area making it accessible to all visitors	Awarded £6,000
Halo Arts – Woodside Free Summer Arts Youth Programme	Towards the cost to run the Woodside Free Summer Arts Youth Programme for young people aged 6-16 living in the Hillhead Ward	Awarded £4,800
Arlington Baths Club – Arlington Street Community Gala 2026	Towards the cost of the Arlington Street Community Gala taking place from 11am – 5pm on Saturday 27th June 2026	Awarded £3,452

Queens Cross Community Foundation – Queens Cross Gala Day 2026	Towards the cost of the Queens Cross Gala Day event at Firhill Complex on the 15th of August 2026	Awarded £1,887
*The Coach House Trust – Equipment Costs	Towards the cost for equipment for The Coach House Trust such as gardening tools, installation costs for exterior lighting in the patio area for service users and staff to carry out tasks on darker days and a replacement pipe for the gas heating boiler	Awarded £1,003
Queens Cross Housing Association – Connecting Community with Burnbank Garden New Build Development	Towards the cost of running a generational project involving the local and wider community to raise awareness of the importance of age-appropriate housing and would fund the artists fee and consultations	Awarded £3,114 subject to condition that intergenerational collaboration takes place between Burnbank residents and the young people creating the artwork
WestFest – Community Roots & Education Programme	Towards the cost of delivering WestFest’s Community Roots & Education programme from 6th June – 28th June 2026	Awarded £3,639
Cowcaddens Nursery – Transforming Outdoor Nursery Environment Cultivating Curiosity through Nature	Towards the cost of revamping Cowcaddens Day Nursery’s outdoor area	Awarded £6,991

\*Councillor Andrew declared an interest in this item of business and took no part in the discussion or decision thereon and Bailie Wardrop assumed the Chair for this item only.