Area Budget 2023/24 – Applications for funding dealt with etc.

6 With reference to the minutes of the Council's City Administration Committee of 23rd March 2023, when the committee approved the 2023/24 Area Budget allocations, there was submitted a report by the Director of Community Empowerment and Equalities, advising

(1) of the current position in relation to the Area Partnership's budget for 2023/24;

(2) that the Pollokshields Area Partnership's Area Budget allocation for 2023/24 was £62,408.19 and a total of £17,540 had been allocated to date leaving a balance of £44,868.19; and

(3) of the applications for funding from the Area Budget for 2023/24.

After consideration, the partnership

(a) noted the position regarding the Area Budget allocations for 2023/24; and

(b) dealt with applications for funding as follows, the grant award being subject to the conditions detailed in the report:

Applicant	*Purpose of application*	*Decision*
South Seeds	Towards the cost of producing a development plan on behalf of the Queens Park Working Group	Rejected as funding for project had been approved from the Neighbourhood Infrastructure Fund
*Pollokshields Community Council	Towards the cost of hosting a community summer event celebrating Pollokshields	Approved £5,000
YCSA	Towards the cost of youth diversionary events on 5th November 2023	Approved £3,450
Castlemilk Youth Complex	Towards the cost of a youth diversionary programme from July 2023 until March 2024 in Pollokshields and Govanhill	Approved £6,241
Inhouse Event Solutions CIC	Towards the cost of delivering the Queens Park Arena events programme for 2023	Approved £5,412
**Hidden Gardens	Towards the cost of hosting the Growing Together Summer Harvest	Approved £1,995

	event on 26th August 2023	
The Pollokshields Trust	Towards the cost of running a dedicated programme of activities for girls aged 12-18 from May to August 2023	Approved £2,344 on the condition the Trust satisfy the Partnership's questions around health and safety and toilet facilities

*Ann Laing and Tabassum Niamat declared an interest in this item and took no part in the discussion and decision thereon.

**Councillor Molyneux declared an interest in this item and took no part in the discussion and decision thereon. Bailie Norman MacLeod chaired the meeting for consideration of this item only.