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

10 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 Greater Pollok Area Partnership's Area Budget allocation for 2023/24 was £90,546.37 and a total of £4,500 had been allocated to date, leaving a balance of £86,046.37; 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*
Jhanker Beats	Towards the cost of providing a weekly club for vulnerable and elderly people within Pollok Community Centre	Consideration continued for further information
Crookston Castle Primary School	Towards the cost of a residential trip to Lockerbie Manor	Approved £1,350
Weekday Wow Factor	Towards the cost of hosting day time discos for older residents	Consideration continued for further information
St Angela's Parent Council	Towards the cost of hosting an intergenerational workshop for Steering Group Girls and the Climate Women's Chat Group	Approved £492.50
*Police Scotland – Hillpark Secondary School activity program	Towards the cost of enabling the Campus Police Officer to engage with young people out with school in a programme of activities	Approved £2,322
*Police Scotland – Pollok crime prevention literature	Towards the cost of producing and printing 1000 crime prevention and community safety advice booklets	Approved £495

	for delivery to residents in Darnley, Southpark and Nitshill	
*Police Scotland – Security and Safety (South appendix 2)	Towards the cost of purchasing sash window jammers	Refused as no evidence it would benefit the local community
Greater Pollok Services	Towards the cost of facilitating the Thriving Place summer programme from 1st May to 31st October 2023	Consideration continued for further costing information

*Inspector McFarlane declared an interest in these applications and took no part in the discussion and decision thereon.