Record of an Officer making an Executive Decision



Name of officer and title	Teresa Lane – Assistant Director
Subject matter:	Grants to Voluntary Sector Community Centres 2017/18
Date of decision:	28 February 2017
Decision:	That the current grant levels be maintained and approved, namely £18,269 to Quarrendon and Meadowcroft Community Association, £10,000 to the Aylesbury Multicultural Centre and £9,762 to Haydon Hill for 2017/18 to enable them to budget accordingly. £38,031 has been included in the 2017/18 Revenue budget.
Reasons for decision:	Following the Cabinet report in July 2016 (Grants Review), the grants to voluntary sector community centres were transferred to the Commercial AVDC team and the decision to be delegated to a senior officer in consultation with the Cabinet Member (Cllr Macpherson). This decision will give the voluntary sector community centres management committees clarity and certainty with regard to grant funding in 2017/18.
Alternative options considered	It is considered that with only 6 weeks until the new financial year, this is the only practical and appropriate way to deal with the matter for 2017/18.
Any conflict of interest declared by a Cabinet Member who is consulted and any dispensations granted to them:	No
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