INDIVIDUAL PORTFOLIO HOLDERS DECISIONS

Below is a list of decisions taken by Individual Portfolio Holders acting under delegated powers:

REF: PF.3/02

RELOCATION OF CCTV CAMERAS

Decision of

Councillor Mrs Pattinson

Portfolio

Community Activities

Subject Matter

To consider a recommendation from the Carlisle and Eden Community Safety Strategic Group for the relocation of two CCTV Cameras from the Raffles area to Petteril Bank.

Summary of Options Rejected

None

DECISION

That the CCTV Cameras currently positioned at Raffles be relocated to Petteril Bank.

Reason for Decision

In order to respond to the request for the relocation of two CCTV Cameras from the Raffles area to Petteril Bank.

Date Decision Made

18 February 2002

Date Decision Implemented

27 February 2002

REF: PF.004/02

GRANTS FOR LEISURE

Decision of

Councillor Mrs Pattinson

Portfolio

Community Activities

Subject Matter

To consider applications received for grant assistance.

Summary of Options Rejected

None

DECISION

That grants be awarded as follows:-

- (a) Carlisle and District Music and Drama Festival £300 towards the cost of this year's 5 day festival to be held in St Cuthbert's Church and Tithebarn from 11 to 16 March 2002.
- (b) Brampton Chamber Choir £200 towards the cost of staging a performance of Handel's Messiah at an Easter Concert at Lanercost Priory on 17 March 2002.
- (c) Cumbria Brass Band Association £150 towards the cost of staging their annual "Open" Brass Band Concert at Whitehaven on 12 May 2002 which Carlisle members will be participating.
- (d) Carlisle Mencap £500 towards the cost of a special bed suitable for people with profound disabilities to be used by guests at their Californian House Project.
- (e) Denton Holme Community Centre Art Group £200 towards the cost of providing hanging baskets in Denton Street during the summer to enhance the area as part of Carlisle's "Britain in Bloom" entry.
- (f) Denton Model Group £150 towards the cost of forthcoming projects including dolls houses and 3D models and to stage an exhibition later in the year.
- (g) Age Concern (Carlisle and District) £500 towards the cost of arranging a holiday for 44 elderly people in the District including 6 frail elderly people who will need escorts.
- (h) Brittle Bone Society £300 towards the cost of a family from Carlisle affected by brittle bone disease attending the Society's annual family weekend in Dundee.
- (i) Stanwix Bowling Club £300 towards the cost of work required to bring green surrounds up to English Bowls Association standard to enable the Club to stage County matches.
- 2. That an application from the East Cumbria Countryside Project for grant assistance of £8,000 for projects designed to spruce up the countryside in time for the 2002 visitor season be referred to Councillor G Prest, Portfolio Holder for Infrastructure, Environment and Transport.

Reason for Decision

To give consideration to and award grants as appropriate in respect of applications received.

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The application from the East Cumbria Countryside Project was for £8,000 and not considered to be an appropriate application for grant assistance from the limited funding available in the Grants for Leisure Budget. The application was referred to Councillor G Prest who will be asked to investigate alternative sources of funding for their initiative.

Date Decision Made

22 February 2002

Date Decision Implemented

Subject to no call-in being received, the decisions will be implemented on 5 March 2002.

REF: PF.5/02 EXECUTIVE - "AWAY DAY" EVENT

Decision of Councillor Mitchelson, Leader

Portfolio Corporate Resources

Subject Matter

To consider arrangements for Executive Members to have an "away day" for training, etc at the Crown Inn, Wetheral on Wednesday 6 March 2002.

Summary of Options Rejected

None

DECISION

That the Town Clerk and Chief Executive be requested to make the necessary arrangements for Executive Members to have an "away day" for training etc at the Crown Inn, Wetheral on Wednesday 6 March 2002, funding to come from the Democratic Process Budget.

Reason for Decision

To further the experience of Executive Members in their work as portfolio holders.

Date Decision Made

22 February 2002

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Date Decision Implemented

This item has been the subject of call-in and will be scrutinised by the Corporate Resources Overview and Scrutiny Committee on 7 March 2002.

REF: PF.6/02 THIRD UK POLAND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

CONFERENCE

Decision of Councillor Mitchelson

Portfolio Promoting Carlisle

Subject Matter

To consider representation by the City Council at the third UK Poland Local Government Conference to be held in Sopot, Poland on 15 - 16 April 2002.

Summary of Options Rejected

None

DECISION

That arrangements be made for two delegates (one Member and one Officer names to be advised) to attend the above Conference, funding to come from the Town Twinning Budget.

Reason for Decision

To agree representation at the UK Poland Local Government Conference which is relevant having regard to the City Council's twinning links with Slupsk.

Date Decision Made

22 February 2002

Date Decision Implemented

Subject to no call-in being received, the decision will be implemented on 6 March 2002.

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