

## RECORD OF EXECUTIVE DECISION

Friday, 19 February 2010

**Decision No:** (CAB 09/10 2715)

DECISION-MAKER:	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOODS OFFICER DECISION MAKING
PORTFOLIO AREA:	HOUSING AND LOCAL SERVICES
SUBJECT:	ALLOCATION OF SAFER AND STRONGER COMMUNITIES GRANTS
AUTHOR:	LINDA HAITANA

### THE DECISION

- (i) To consider and approve the allocation of grant funding of £210,000 for 2010/11.
- (ii) To agree to allocate £10,000 directly to the Partnership for joint public reassurance and communications activities. This funding would be managed through the Public Reassurance sub-group.
- (iii) To approve the recommended organisations receive funding as detailed in Appendix 1 or make amendments as considered appropriate.

### REASONS FOR THE DECISION

The Government allocated Safer and Stronger Communities Funds (as part of the Area Based Grant) to the local Crime and Disorder Reduction Partnership on an annual basis. In Southampton the CDRP is the Safe City Partnership (SCP). The SCP has undertaken a fair and transparent grants process following closely advice from Legal Services and determined exactly how funds should be allocated and to whom. As the accountable body, SCC is required to formally approve the financial allocation. To that end this report seeks approval.

### DETAILS OF ANY ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS

Not applicable.

### OTHER RELEVANT MATTERS CONCERNING THE DECISION

**CONFLICTS OF INTEREST**

**CONFIRMED AS A TRUE RECORD**

We certify that the decision this document records was made in accordance with the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2000 and is a true and accurate record of that decision.

Date: 19<sup>th</sup> February 2010

Decision Maker:  
Executive Director of Neighbourhoods

Proper Officer:  
Sharon Pearson

**SCRUTINY**

Note: This decision will come in to force at the expiry of 5 working days from the date of publication subject to any review under the Council's Scrutiny "Call-In" provisions.

Call-In Period expires on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2010

Date of Call-in *(if applicable) (this suspends implementation)*

Call-in Procedure completed *(if applicable)*

Call-in heard by *(if applicable)*

Results of Call-in *(if applicable)*