

6. SUPPORT FOR THIRD SECTOR CORE COSTS

The Council Executive considered a report (copies of which had been circulated) by the Head of Planning, Economic Development and Regeneration seeking agreement on the approach to disbursing the additional £285,000 which was available as part of the Scottish Government's Covid-19 Level-4 support.

It was recommended that Council Executive

1. Notes the agreement by Council Executive on 9 February to allocate £285,000 to support the core costs of third sector organisations already funded by the council; and
2. Agrees that the Head of Planning, Economic Development & Regeneration be delegated to disburse funding, following consultation and engagement with the Third Sector Working Group.

Motion

To approve the terms of the report

- Moved by Councillor Lawrence Fitzpatrick and seconded by Councillor Kirsteen Sullivan

Amendment

Replace recommendation 2 of the report with the following :-

Agrees that the Head of Planning, Economic Development and Regeneration holds immediate consultation with the third sector and prepares a report for the next council meeting or if necessary a special meeting detailing the result of the consultation and the recommendations on the disbursement of this additional money. This report to clarify that the five organisations which received 100% of their funding in the original allocation were not eligible for this tranche. Organisations which were refused funding would be eligible. Core funding would be defined by the organisations.

- Moved by Councillor Frank Anderson and seconded by Councillor Diane Calder

A roll call vote was taken. The result was as follows :-

Motion

Harry Cartmil
Tom Conn
David Dodds
Angela Doran-Timson
Lawrence Fitzpatrick
George Paul

Amendment

Alison Adamson
Frank Anderson
Diane Calder
Peter Heggie
Chris Horne
Charles Kennedy

Kirsteen Sullivan

Decision

Following a vote the motion was successful by 7 votes to 6 and it was agreed accordingly.