

## LEADER'S PORTFOLIO MEETING

THURSDAY, 25 SEPTEMBER 2014

### DECISIONS

Set out below is a summary of the decisions taken at the Leader's Portfolio Meeting held on Thursday, 25 September 2014. Decisions made by the Portfolio Holder will be subject to call-in. Recommendations made to the Cabinet or to the Council are not subject to call-in. The wording used does not necessarily reflect the actual wording that will appear in the minutes.

If you have any queries about any matters referred to in this decision sheet please contact Patrick Adams.

#### 1. COMMUNITY CHEST FUNDING APPLICATIONS

The Leader

**AGREED** to

**A)** Receive the proposed virement of £2,000 from the Service Support Grants Independent Living theme into the Community Chest for allocation in 2014/15.

**B)** Award the following amounts from the Community Chest scheme:

Name of applicant	Village(s) affected	Project description	Total applied for (£)	Total agreed (£)
Cambourne Parish Council	Cambourne	Extension and enhancement of Skate park	1,500	1,500
The Ickleton Society	Ickleton	Purchase of archive storage	653	650
The Phoenix Trust (Milton) Ltd	Milton	Purchase of a new hand tool wood work shed	1,500	1,500
Royston & District Volunteer Centre	Residents south of the District	Purchase of a personal computer	1,410	1030.71

It was noted that the Leader delegated authority for the decision on the grant applied for by Willingham Photography Club to the Deputy Leader, as the Leader was the local member for Willingham.

**Other Options Considered:** To suggest an alternative use for the unallocated £2,000 from the Service Support Grants Independent Living theme, which would need to be agreed with the Environmental Services Portfolio Holder, who supports the recommendation to transfer the funds to the Community Chest.

**Reason For Decision:** The virement of the unallocated £2,000 from the Service Support Grants Independent Living theme into the Community Chest for allocation in 2014/15 would allow for the grant and in an open and transparent way. A further application process under this theme would be costly in terms of staff time compared to

the amount of funding available.

The grants awarded complied with the criteria of the grants scheme.