

<b>Report on</b>	Development Report
<b>Date of Meeting</b>	Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2022
<b>Reporting Officer</b>	Claire Linney, Assistant Director of Development, Tony McCance, Head of Culture & Arts
<b>Contact Officers</b>	Philip Clarke - Community Services Manager, Oliver Morgan-Good Relations Manager, Michael McCrory - PCSP Manager, Caroline Sheehy – Burnavon Arts Manager, Brian McCormick Seamus Heaney Home Place Manager, Joanne Robinson – Hill of O’Neill/Ranfurlly House Manager

Is this report restricted for confidential business?	Yes	
If ‘Yes’, confirm below the exempt information category relied upon	No	X

1.0	Purpose of Report										
1.1	The purpose of this report is to update members on the rolling community grants programme and to seek agreement on the assessment panels recommendations;										
1.2	To update members on the required review of the Community Grants Online system										
1.3	And to provide and update on progress across the Development department.										
2.0	Main Report										
2.1	<b>Community Grants - Rolling Grants Programme 2022 – 2023</b>										
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	<i>Please see attached in Appendix 1 grant award recommendations</i>										
2.2	<b>Community Grants Online</b>										
	Members are advised that the current contract for community grants online expires in January 2023. In order to comply with procurement, a review and market update is required; to ensure the service continues to be based on need, good practice and value for money. The above review will be undertaken with the procurement and ICT departments.										
2.3	<b>Development Update</b>										
	<u>Community Support</u>										
	The allocation of Council grants is currently taking place. Officers are continuing to support groups with access to other funding sources.										

	<p><u>Good Relations</u> The Good Relations Plan for 2022 – 2023 is being delivered across the District.</p> <p><u>Peace IV Local Action Plan</u> An extension to the shared space projects for the towns – Dungannon, Coalisland, Magherafelt and Cookstown has been given, the end date for completion is now August 2022.</p> <p><u>PCSP</u> Ongoing as guided by the PCSP Partnership. See attached PCSP minutes for information in Appendix 2.</p> <p><u>Burnavon Arts Centre, Seamus Heaney Homeplace, and Hill of O’Neill &amp; Ranfurly House</u> Continuing to deliver a range of activities, events and performances, as per brochures and marketing</p> <p><u>Irish language</u> Development is ongoing with support to community groups taking place. The allocation of community funding will come to the July Committee.</p>
<b>3.0</b>	<b>Other Considerations</b>
<b>3.1</b>	<p><b><u>Financial &amp; Human Resources Implications</u></b></p> <p>Grants – Community Festival £12,160 – Good Relations £629.50</p> <p>Community Grants Online budget – to be confirmed based on research</p> <p><b><u>Professional Support</u></b> None</p>
<b>3.2</b>	<p><b><u>Equality and Good Relations Implications</u></b> None</p>
<b>3.3</b>	<p><b><u>Risk Management Implications</u></b> None</p>
<b>4.0</b>	<b>Recommendation(s)</b>
4.1	<p>Members are recommend to;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Agreed to the allocation of the Community Grants as recommended in appendix 1.</li> <li>(ii) Note the Community Grants Online review</li> <li>(iii) Note the update in respect of the Development Department.</li> </ul>
<b>5.0</b>	<b>Documents Attached &amp; References</b>
	<p>Appendix 1 Grant awards.</p> <p>Appendix 2 PCSP Minutes</p>