

# Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council

Tuesday 15 March 2016

7.00 pm

St James Church, Thurland Road, London SE16 4AA

Theme: Age Friendly Borough

Please note: There will be ward based discussions on the Neighbourhood Fund 2016-17 between 6.00pm and 7.00pm

## Membership

Councillor Bill Williams (Chair)  
Councillor Sunny Lambe (Vice-Chair)  
Councillor Evelyn Akoto  
Councillor Anood Al-Samerai  
Councillor Stephanie Cryan  
Councillor Catherine Dale  
Councillor Lucas Green  
Councillor David Hubber  
Councillor Ben Johnson

Councillor Richard Livingstone  
Councillor Hamish McCallum  
Councillor Eliza Mann  
Councillor Damian O'Brien  
Councillor James Okosun  
Councillor Leo Pollak  
Councillor Lisa Rajan  
Councillor Michael Situ  
Councillor Kath Whittam

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Members of the committee are summoned to attend this meeting

**Eleanor Kelly**

Chief Executive

Date: Monday 7 March 2016



**Item No.**

**Title**

**Time**

## **Order of Business**

**1. INTRODUCTION AND WELCOME**

**2. APOLOGIES**

**3. ITEMS OF BUSINESS THAT THE CHAIR DEEMS URGENT**

The chair to advise whether they have agreed to any item of urgent business being admitted to the agenda.

**4. DISCLOSURE OF MEMBERS' INTERESTS AND DISPENSATIONS**

Members to declare any interests and dispensation in respect of any item of business to be considered at this meeting.

**5. MINUTES (Pages 1 - 6)**

To confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 27 January 2016.

**6. DEPUTATIONS / PETITIONS (IF ANY)**

The chair to advise on any deputations or petitions received.

**7. COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

7.15pm

- Council sports and activity sessions
- Southwark civic awards
- National apprenticeships week
- Canada Water master plan
- Redriff primary school update

**8. COMMUNITY SAFETY UPDATE**

7.30pm

Local Police Update

Item No.	Title	Time
9.	<b>AGE-FRIENDLY BOROUGH</b>	7.40pm
	Councillor Stephanie Cryan to introduce the item along with Jess Leech, Resident Participation Coordinator.	
	There would be 3 workshops on the theme:	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Housing</li> <li>- Communication and information</li> <li>- Social participation (opportunities to have fun)</li> </ul>	
	BREAK - opportunity for residents to talk to councillors and officers	
10.	<b>PUBLIC QUESTION TIME</b>	8.40pm
	This is an opportunity for questions to be addressed to the chair.	
	Residents or persons working in the borough may ask questions on any matter in relation to which the council has powers or duties. Responses may be supplied in writing following the meeting.	
11.	<b>CLEANER GREENER SAFER: FUNDING REALLOCATION</b> (Pages 7 - 15)	8.50pm
	<b>Note:</b> This is an executive function for decision by the community council.	
	Members to approve reallocations of funds for the Cleaner Greener Safer capital programme.	
12.	<b>CLEANER GREENER SAFER 2016-17: CAPITAL FUNDING ALLOCATION</b> (Pages 16 - 21)	8.55pm
	<b>Note:</b> This is an executive function for decision by the community council.	
	Members to approve further allocations of funds for the 2016-17 Cleaner Greener Safer capital programme in the Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council area from the list of applications set out in Appendix 1 of the report.	
13.	<b>ALLOCATION OF NEIGHBOURHOODS FUND 2016-17</b> (Pages 22 - 82)	9.00pm
	<b>Note:</b> This is an executive function for decision by the community council.	
	Councillors to allocate the Neighbourhoods Fund 2016-17 from the list of applications outlined in Appendix 1 of the report.	

Item No.	Title	Time
14.	<b>LOCAL TRAFFIC AND PARKING AMENDMENTS</b> (Pages 83 - 93)	9.05pm

**Note:** This is an executive function for decision by the community council.

Members to approve for implementation the local traffic and parking amendments, detailed in the appendices to the report, subject to the outcome of any necessary statutory consultation and procedures.

15.	<b>COMMUNITY COUNCIL QUESTION TO COUNCIL ASSEMBLY</b>	9.10pm
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Each community council may submit one question to a council assembly meeting that has previously been considered and noted by the community council.

Any question to be submitted from a community council to council assembly should first be the subject of discussion at a community council meeting. The subject matter and question should be clearly noted in the community council's minutes and thereafter the agreed question can be referred to the constitutional team.

The community council is invited to consider if it wishes to submit a question to the ordinary meeting of council assembly in July 2016.

Date: Monday 7 March 2016

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## Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council

Minutes of the Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council held on Wednesday 27 January 2016 at 7.00 pm at Ground Floor Meeting Room G01A - 160 Tooley Street, London SE1 2QH

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**PRESENT:** Councillor Bill Williams (Chair)  
 Councillor Sunny Lambe (Vice-Chair)  
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 Councillor Eliza Mann  
 Councillor Michael Situ  
 Councillor Kath Whittam

**OTHER MEMBERS** Councillor Ian Wingfield

**PRESENT:**

**OFFICER** Alistair Huggett, Planning Projects Manager  
**SUPPORT:** James Price, Project Manager  
 Michelle Normanly, Senior Project Manager  
 Marian Farrugia, Community Council Development Officer  
 Tim Murtagh, Constitutional Officer

### 1. INTRODUCTION AND WELCOME

The chair welcomed residents, councillors and officers to the meeting.

## 2. APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Lisa Rajan; and for lateness from Councillors Stephanie Cryan, Lucas Green, Hamish McCallum and Eliza Mann.

## 3. ITEMS OF BUSINESS THAT THE CHAIR DEEMS URGENT

There were none.

## 4. DISCLOSURE OF MEMBERS' INTERESTS AND DISPENSATIONS

There were none.

## 5. MINUTES

### RESOLVED:

That the minutes of the meeting held on 2 December 2015 be agreed as a correct record of that meeting.

## 6. DEPUTATIONS / PETITIONS (IF ANY)

There were none.

## 7. COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Community Council Newsletter

Marian Farrugia, community council development officer, highlighted the regular newsletter that is circulated. The newsletter typically had information on local activities and how residents could get involved. Residents were encouraged to sign up for the e-bulletin via email to discover more about their area. Contact: [marian.farrugia@southwark.gov.uk](mailto:marian.farrugia@southwark.gov.uk) or Tel. 020 7525 1780.

### Community Infrastructure Project List (CIPL)

Alistair Huggett, planning projects manager, explained that following the workshops at the previous community council meeting in December 2015, an updated project list had been circulated. Contact: [alistair.huggett@southwark.gov.uk](mailto:alistair.huggett@southwark.gov.uk) or Tel. 020 7525 5576.

### Update on the Canada Water Masterplan and consultation

Eleanor Wright from British Land, explained that an exhibition of the masterplan would take place in Surrey Quays shopping centre on 5 – 25 February 2016. There would be a 3D model of the plans and all were welcome to attend and take part in the consultation. Contact: [Eleanor.Wright@britishland.com](mailto:Eleanor.Wright@britishland.com) or Tel. 020 7467 3335.

### Old Bermondsey Village Neighbourhood Forum

Amy Carruthers, from the Old Bermondsey Village Neighbourhood Forum (OBVNF), explained that a neighbourhood plan was being developed. Consultation was taking place and residents were encouraged to complete and return consultation forms to indicate their

priorities. Contact: [info@oldbermondseyforum.org](mailto:info@oldbermondseyforum.org)

#### 8. **COMMUNITY SAFETY UPDATE**

Sergeant Chris Iliffe, from the local police team gave a summary of recent activities.

#### 9. **BUSINESS AND ENTERPRISE THEME ITEM**

Councillor Ian Wingfield, deputy leader and cabinet member for business, employment and culture, introduced the item and gave an overview of the work being done by the council to create new jobs, placements for the unemployment and apprenticeships for young people. He also summarised the support available for businesses through the high street challenge project and the business portal on the Southwark website.

The meeting broke up into 4 workshop discussions on the theme.

Workshop A – skills / training / volunteering

Workshop B – employment

Workshop C – businesses

Workshop D – future planning.

#### 10. **REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF SECTION 106 FUNDING FOR THE REFURBISHMENT OF SWAN MEAD SPORTS COURT**

Councillors considered the information contained in the report.

##### **RESOLVED:**

That the report be noted and approved.

#### 11. **CLEANER GREENER SAFER CAPITAL PROGRAMME 2016-17**

Michelle Normanly, senior project manager, introduced the item.

**Note:** This is an executive function.

Councillors considered the information contained in the report.

##### **RESOLVED:**

1. That the following capital projects be funded:

##### LIVESEY WARD

- Silwood Street: Defensive plants to improve the existing boundary (£6,500)
- Silverlock Estate: Play area (£38,100)

##### ROTHERHITHE WARD

- Outdoor learning and nature in Southwark Park (£12,000)
- Green trees (£3,120)
- Fixing London Bubble's leaking roof (£10,300)



- Pedworth Green spot (£11,060)
- Locking loops for motorbikes on Hawkstone Estate (£4,000)
- Tech@theBede: Engaging and recording young people's activities to keep them safer in Bermondsey and Rotherhithe (£3,780)
- Transformation of once neglected and hazardous football cage space (£16,750)
- Ainsty Estate playground repaint, repair and enhance (£25,000)

#### SOUTH BERMONDSEY WARD

- Hanging baskets annual contract (£14,010)
- Manor Estate playground (£29,000)
- Bermondsey community kitchen Southwark outreach and training unit (£4,439)
- Paterson Park improvements (£3,550)
- Safer lighting on Longfield Estate (£7,800)
- Safer Longfield parking (£11,050)
- Family picnic area - Longfield Estate (£10,400)
- Restore the Bermondsey Lion (£3,835)
- Hanging baskets and planter – Avondale Estate (£5,440)

#### SURREY DOCKS WARD

- "Grow your own veg" on newly raised beds – Surrey Docks Farm (£5,400)
- Stave Hill sewage (£2,330)
- Pond signage in Russia Dock Woodland (£3,150)
- Lavender Pond bore hole contribution (£40,644)
- Compass secondary school and Bermondsey community kitchen vegetable gardening project (£2,000)
- Railings revamp Greenland Dock (£36,000)

2. That the funding decisions for Grange ward and Riverside ward be deferred to the next meeting in March 2016.

## 12. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

The following public questions were raised at the meeting:

- Q1 Several residents mentioned trees in their area that had been felled for one reason or another, and not yet replaced. Ward councillors offered to follow up on individual cases.
- Q2 In response to a comment that there should be more opportunity for local decision making within community council meetings, the chair said he would take that to the next meeting of community council chairs and vice-chairs.
- Q3 In response to a question about trees being damaged by dogs doing unusual strength training activities, councillor Kath Whittam explained that she was working with the RSPCA on a pets policy to deter such behaviour. There would be guidelines on what is appropriate and possible sanctions for dog owners if found to be causing a nuisance through their actions.
- Q4 In response to a question about the council's powers regarding air pollution, councillor David Hubber, responded that with planning permission for a development, there were often conditions about planting trees and other methods imposed to

reduce pollution.

### 13. LOCAL TRAFFIC AND PARKING AMENDMENTS

#### 13.1 LOCAL PARKING AMENDMENTS

**Note:** This is an executive function.

Councillors considered the information contained in the report.

**RESOLVED:**

1. That the following non-strategic traffic and parking amendments, detailed in the appendices to the report, be approved for implementation, subject to the outcome of any necessary statutory procedures:
  - Rotherhithe Street – install double yellow lines to provide unrestricted access to entrance of No.135.
  - Smith Close – install double yellow lines to maintain access and to improve sight lines at the junction with Salter Road.
  - Pages Walk – remove existing shared use parking bay and install double yellow lines to provide access for emergency and delivery vehicles.
  - Rotherhithe Street – install double yellow lines to provide access to the off street car park at Columbus Court.
2. That the objections received against the Hatcham Road proposal, agreed at the community council in October 2015, to install double yellow lines, be rejected and that the traffic order be implemented.

#### 13.2 THE INTRODUCTION OF PARKING MEASURES IN SOUTHWARK'S LEISURE CENTRE CAR PARKS

**Note:** This is an executive function.

Councillors considered the information contained in the report.

**RESOLVED:**

That the following local traffic and parking amendments, detailed in the appendices to the report, be approved for implementation, subject to the outcome of any necessary statutory procedures:

- Introduction of a four hour maximum stay parking restriction at both Seven Islands Watersports Centre and Surrey Docks Leisure Centre, along with measures to permit enforcement regarding obstructive parking or abuse of disabled bays.

**14. COMMUNITY COUNCIL QUESTION TO COUNCIL ASSEMBLY**

The community council considered whether to submit a question to the next council assembly meeting.

**RESOLVED:**

“Can the cabinet member for public health, parks and leisure advise, what is the net loss of trees within the Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council area over the last 5 years. How many of those trees will be replaced and with what type or types of tree.”

**15. CURLEW STREET - INTRODUCTION OF A LOADING BAY WITH TIME AND DAY RESTRICTIONS**

**Note:** This is an executive function.

**RESOLVED:**

That the Curlew Street parking report be deferred due to an error in the report that requires amendment prior to consideration of the item.

Meeting ended at 9.45pm

**CHAIR:**

**DATED:**

<b>Item No.</b> 11.	<b>Classification:</b> Open	<b>Date:</b> 15 March 2016	<b>Meeting Name:</b> Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council
<b>Report title:</b>		Cleaner Greener Safer: Funding Reallocation	
<b>Ward(s) or groups affected:</b>		Grange, Riverside, South Bermondsey, Rotherhithe, Surrey Docks	
<b>From:</b>		Head of Highways	

### RECOMMENDATION

1. That Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council approve the re-allocation of a total of £82,829 to other projects in the 2014/15, and 2015/2016 cleaner greener safer capital programmes, and two new projects as part of the 2016/2017 programme, as set out in Appendix 1.

### BACKGROUND INFORMATION

2. Cleaner Greener Safer (CGS) is part of the London Borough of Southwark's capital programme. Between 2003 and 2015 £7.89m has been made available local residents in Bermondsey and Rotherhithe to apply for awards to make their local area a better place to live. The programme attracts hundreds of proposals ranging from a few hundred pounds for bulb planting to brighten up open spaces to tens of thousands of pounds to create community gardens. These projects often introduce new ideas such as outdoor gyms in public spaces, community gardens, public art and energy saving projects which not only make the borough cleaner, greener and safer but greatly contribute to a sustainable public realm by involving residents in the funding process and in the delivery of projects.

### KEY ISSUES FOR CONSIDERATION

3. Appendix 1 highlights twenty-one projects which have a total under spend of £81,829 and recommendations for the reallocation of £5,600 to existing projects and £13,695 to two new projects.
4. It is recommended that the remaining £24,740 from Crucifix Lane railway arch frontage, project reference [000647], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required. The project was proposed in 2007 before the arches were listed. This has increased the budget required to deliver the project and made it unfeasible without significant match funding from Network Rail or other sources.
5. It is recommended that the under spend of £5,000 from SPAM community environment friendly issues, project reference [104465], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
6. It is recommended that the under spend of £1,000 from Abbey Street shopping parade, project reference [106404], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.

7. It is recommended that the under spend of £2,000 from Eveline Lowe dog walking area, project reference [106405], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
8. It is recommended that the under spend of £4,000 from Magdalen Hall courtyard lighting, project reference [106407], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
9. It is recommended that the under spend of £1,000 from drying rooms at Devon Mansions blocks (1-21), project reference [105930], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
10. It is recommended that the under spend of £3,100 from Keetons Estate lighting, project reference [106519], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
11. It is recommended that the under spend of £1,500 from Longfield Estate additional cycle lockers, project reference [106421], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
12. It is recommended that the under spend of £300 from Rouel Road Estate notice boards, project reference [106507], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
13. It is recommended that the under spend of £700 from Cragie House lighting, project reference [106511], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
14. It is recommended that the under spend of £2,000 from Bermondsey Community Kitchen van, project reference [106513], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
15. It is recommended that the under spend of £1,290 from Galleywall rainwater collection, project reference [106517], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
16. It is recommended that the under spend of £1,200 from Abbeyfield notice boards, project reference [106455], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
17. It is recommended that the under spend of £1,800 from Rotherhithe Town Hall caryatides restoration, project reference [104630], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
18. It is recommended that the under spend of £1,400 from Albion Street market electrical points, project reference [105522], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
19. It is recommended that the under spend of £2,500 from King's Stairs Gardens safety improvements, project reference [105923], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
20. It is recommended that the under spend of £4,000 from Pynfolds play area,

project reference [106454], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.

21. It is recommended that the under spend of £3,600 from Albion Channel nesting rafts, project reference [106498], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
22. It is recommended that the under spend of £740 from Addy House motorbike parking, project reference [106500], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
23. Surrey Docks Farm has returned £12,695 of the £22,680 grant awarded in 2014/2015 to install solar panels at the farm, project reference [106271]. The funding was returned in order to qualify for the feed-in tariff which formed part of the basis of the business plan for the project.
24. It is recommended that the £12,695 returned by Surrey Docks Farm is reallocated to a new project proposed by the farm to redevelop their western site. The works will improve facilities at the farm and develop the educational programme by giving the public viewing facilities at the improved piggery.
25. It is recommended that the under spend of £2,780 from Surrey Water nesting rafts, project reference [106497], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
26. It is recommended that the under spend of £1,000 from Rennie and Manor Estate notice board, project reference [106422], is reallocated to projects where additional funding is required.
27. It is recommended that Tower Bridge arch, project reference [106411] is cancelled and the £4,484 remaining funding is returned to Riverside and Grange ward for reallocation to projects where additional funding is required. The estimated budget required to implement the proposed improvements is over £150,000. There is currently no additional funding identified to pursue the works and no agreement with the external asset owners with responsibility for the bridge and the road.
28. It is recommended that South Bermondsey ward allocate £2,500 to Manor Estate netting, project reference [106508]. Quotations for the proposed work are in excess of the original budget. The additional funding will allow the replacement of the existing damaged netting to proceed.
29. It is recommended that South Bermondsey ward allocate £1,300 to Avondale House greening, project reference [106423]. This is to cover the additional costs of installing a sixth planter and increasing the height of all the planters to address health and safety concerns.
30. It is recommended that South Bermondsey ward allocate £1,000 to a new project to reinstall bollards between Barry House and Dodd House. The original bollards were removed during the improvements carried out on the estate in 2014.
31. It is recommended that Riverside ward allocate £800 to Dickens Estate notice boards, project reference [106527]. This is to cover the additional costs of installing a fifth notice board.

32. It is recommended that Riverside ward allocate £1,000 to Spenlow House pitch resurfacing, project reference [106528]. This is to cover the additional costs required to resurface an area adjacent to the pitch.
33. It is recommended that the remaining £63,534 is reallocated as part of the 2016/2017 CGS programme.

### **Policy implications**

34. None.

### **Community impact statement**

35. The roles and functions of community councils include the promotion of involvement of local people in the democratic process. Community councils take decisions on local matters including environmental improvement and community safety as well as consultation on a wide range of policies and strategies that affect the area.
36. An explicit objective within community councils is that they be used to actively engage as widely as possible with, and bring together, Southwark's diverse local communities on issues of shared or mutual interest. The CGS programme is an important tool in achieving community participation.
37. In fulfilling the above objectives that community councils have of bringing together and involving Southwark's diverse local communities, consideration has also been given to the council's duty under The Equality Act 2010 which requires the council to have due regard when taking decision to the need to:
  - a. Eliminate discrimination, harassment, victimisation or other prohibited conduct;
  - b. Advance of equality of opportunity between persons who share a relevant protected characteristics and those who do not share it;
  - c. Foster good relations between those who share a relevant characteristic and those that do not share it.
38. Of particular regard are issues of age, disability, gender reassignment, pregnancy and maternity, race, religion or belief, sex, sexual orientation.
39. Having due regard to the need to advance equality of opportunity is further defined in s.149 as having due regard to the need of:
  - a. Remove or minimise disadvantages connected with a relevant protected characteristic;
  - b. Take steps to meet the different needs of persons who share a relevant protected characteristic;
  - c. Encourage persons who share a relevant protected characteristic to participate in public life or any other activity in which they are under-represented.

### **Resource implications**

40. This is the reallocation of existing CGS funding that was originally awarded in

2007/2008, 2010/2011, 2012/2013, 2013/2014, 2014/2015 and 2015/2016. CGS funding is devolved to community councils to spend on suitable projects.

41. All professional fees related to the project are also treated as the capital costs of the project. Where projects are awarded as a grant to organisations, the community council award letter will not include the professional fees which will be charged direct to project costs.
42. CGS projects must be completed within two years of award of funding. Projects that are unlikely to be completed within two years will be reported to community council and available budgets may be reallocated to other projects. Revenue costs not covered by maintenance or the contractual liability period will fall upon the asset owner. The business unit will be notified of the likely costs before the schemes proceeds, in order to secure permission to implement the scheme.
43. After the defects and liability period, or three year maintenance period in the case of planting works, all future maintenance is assumed by the asset owner, for example housing, parks, highways, or in some cases external asset owners. Therefore, there are no revenue implications to the public realm projects business unit as a result of approving the proposed allocation.
44. The total expenditure and sources of funding for the scheme will be monitored and reported on as part of the overall capital programme.

### **Consultation**

45. All CGS projects require consultation with stakeholders, including the project applicant, local residents and tenants and residents associations where appropriate.

### **SUPPLEMENTARY ADVICE FROM OTHER OFFICERS**

#### **Director of Law and Democracy**

46. The allocation of the Cleaner Greener Safer capital fund ('CGS') is an executive function, delegated by the Leader to community councils.
47. Community councils are 'area committees' within the meaning of the Act and executive functions can be delegated to them by the Leader.
48. This report is recommending that the Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council approve the reallocation of available funds from the 2007/2008, 2010/2011, 2012/2013, 2013/2014, 2014/2015 and 2015/2016 programme as specified at appendix 1 to the 2014/2015 capital funding allocation. The power for this function is detailed in Part 3H paragraph 11 of the constitution which states that community councils have the power of "Approval of the allocation of funds to cleaner, greener, safer capital and revenue schemes of a local nature, using the resources and criteria identified by the cabinet".
49. The executive approved the funding for the 2007/2008 programme in April 2007. The appropriate cabinet member approved the funding for the 2010/2011 programme in October 2009, the 2012/2013 programme in October 2011, the 2013/2014 programme in September 2012 and the 2014/2015 and 2015/2016 programme by virtue of his powers under Part 3D paragraph 2 of the



constitution. Where funding needs to be reallocated the community council approval being sought here is therefore the appropriate constitutional step in the process.

50. Community council members also have powers under paragraph 12 of Part 3H of the Constitution to oversee and take responsibility for the development and implementation of the local schemes.
51. In allocating funding under the CGS community councils must have regard to the council's equality duty set out in section 149 of the Equality Act 2010. The report author has demonstrated how those duties need to be considered in the body of the report at paragraphs 33 to 36 in the Community Impact Statement.

### **Strategic Director of Finance and Governance**

52. The report requests the approval of Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council for the re-allocation of a total of £81,829, originally allocated to projects under the Cleaner Greener Safer (CGS) programme, to other projects in the 2014/2015, 2015/2016 and 2016/2017 CGS programmes, as set out in Appendix 1.
53. The strategic director of finance and governance notes that the re-allocation of the CGS funding will be contained within the existing departmental capital budgets for CGS programme allocated as part the council's capital programme.
54. Staffing and any other costs connected with this recommendation to be contained within existing departmental revenue budgets.

### **BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS**

<b>Background Papers</b>	<b>Held At</b>	<b>Contact</b>
Bermondsey Community Council meeting held on Monday 15 October 2007, Minutes Agreement Form item 9  <a href="http://moderngov.southwark.gov.uk/Data/Bermondsey%20Community%20Council/20071015/Agenda/Minutes%20Agreement%20Form.pdf">http://moderngov.southwark.gov.uk/Data/Bermondsey%20Community%20Council/20071015/Agenda/Minutes%20Agreement%20Form.pdf</a>	Environment and Leisure / Highways 160 Tooley Street	Michelle Normanly 020 7525 0862
Bermondsey Community Council meeting held on Thursday 9 December 2010, Minutes item 13  <a href="http://moderngov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/g3420/Public%20minutes%20Thursday%2009-Dec-2010%2019.00%20Bermondsey%20Community%20Council.pdf?T=11">http://moderngov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/g3420/Public%20minutes%20Thursday%2009-Dec-2010%2019.00%20Bermondsey%20Community%20Council.pdf?T=11</a>	Environment and Leisure / Highways 160 Tooley Street	Michelle Normanly 020 7525 0862

<p>Rotherhithe Community Council meeting held on Monday 1 March 2010, Minutes item 10</p> <p><a href="http://modern.gov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/g2991/Public%20minutes%20Monday%2001-Mar-2010%2019.00%20Rotherhithe%20Community%20Council.pdf?T=1">http://modern.gov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/g2991/Public%20minutes%20Monday%2001-Mar-2010%2019.00%20Rotherhithe%20Community%20Council.pdf?T=1</a></p>	<p>Environment and Leisure / Highways 160 Tooley Street</p>	<p>Michelle Normanly 020 7525 0862</p>
<p>Bermondsey Community Council meeting held on Monday 22 March 2010, Minutes item 6</p> <p><a href="http://modern.gov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/g2946/Printed%20minutes%20Monday%2022-Mar-2010%2019.00%20Bermondsey%20Community%20Council.pdf?T=1">http://modern.gov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/g2946/Printed%20minutes%20Monday%2022-Mar-2010%2019.00%20Bermondsey%20Community%20Council.pdf?T=1</a></p>	<p>Environment and Leisure / Highways 160 Tooley Street</p>	<p>Michelle Normanly 020 7525 0862</p>
<p>Rotherhithe Community Council meeting held on Wednesday 18 April 2012, Minutes item 9</p> <p><a href="http://modern.gov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/g3840/Printed%20minutes%20Wednesday%2018-Apr-2012%2019.00%20Rotherhithe%20Community%20Council.pdf?T=1">http://modern.gov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/g3840/Printed%20minutes%20Wednesday%2018-Apr-2012%2019.00%20Rotherhithe%20Community%20Council.pdf?T=1</a></p>	<p>Environment and Leisure / Highways 160 Tooley Street</p>	<p>Michelle Normanly 020 7525 0862</p>
<p>Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council, Meeting held on 29 April 2013, Minutes item 13</p> <p><a href="http://modern.gov.southwarksites.com/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=349&amp;Mid=4327&amp;Ver=4">http://modern.gov.southwarksites.com/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=349&amp;Mid=4327&amp;Ver=4</a></p>	<p>Environment and Leisure / Highways 160 Tooley Street</p>	<p>Michelle Normanly 020 7525 0862</p>
<p>Bermondsey Community Council Planning Meeting held on Wednesday 26 June 2013, Minutes item 13</p> <p><a href="http://modern.gov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/g4507/Printed%20minutes%20Wednesday%2026-Jun-2013%2019.00%20Bermondsey%20and%20Rotherhithe%20Community%20Council.pdf?T=1">http://modern.gov.southwark.gov.uk/documents/g4507/Printed%20minutes%20Wednesday%2026-Jun-2013%2019.00%20Bermondsey%20and%20Rotherhithe%20Community%20Council.pdf?T=1</a></p>	<p>Environment and Leisure / Highways 160 Tooley Street</p>	<p>Michelle Normanly 020 7525 0862</p>
<p>Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council meeting held on Wednesday 29 January 2014, Minutes item 16</p> <p><a href="http://modern.gov.southwarksites.com/documents/g4703/Printed%20minute">http://modern.gov.southwarksites.com/documents/g4703/Printed%20minute</a></p>	<p>Environment and Leisure / Highways 160 Tooley Street</p>	<p>Michelle Normanly 020 7525 0862</p>

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Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council meeting held on Wednesday 28 January 2015, Minutes item 11  http://moderngov.southwarksites.com/documents/g4855/Printed%20minutes%20Wednesday%2028-Jan-2015%2019.00%20Bermondsey%20and%20Rotherhithe%20Community%20Council.pdf?T=1	Environment and Leisure / Highways 160 Tooley Street	Michelle Normanly 020 7525 0862

## APPENDICES

No.	Title
Appendix 1	Cleaner Greener Safer programme funding reallocation - 15 March 2016

## AUDIT TRAIL

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**Appendix 1**  
**Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council**  
**Cleaner Greener Safer programme**  
**Funding reallocation - 15 March 2016**

<b>PROJECTS WITH UNDERSPENDS</b>						
Project name	Year of Award	Approval date	Ward	Reason for under spend / reallocation	Original award	Amount to be returned to Community Council / reallocated
000647 Crucifix Lane Railway Arch Frontage	2007 - 2008	15/10/2007 & 09/12/2010	Grange	Listing of the arches has made the original project unfeasible.	£39,500	£24,740
104465 SPAM Community environment friendly issues	2010 - 2011	22/03/10	Grange	Project completed under budget.	£35,000	£5,000
106404 Abbey Street shopping parade	2014 - 2015	29/01/14	Grange	Project completed under budget.	£5,200	£1,000
106405 Eveline Lowe dog walking area	2014 - 2015	29/01/14	Grange	Project completed under budget.	£6,250	£2,000
106407 Magdalen Hall courtyard lighting	2014 - 2015	29/01/14	Grange	Project completed under budget.	£5,200	£4,000
105930 Drying Rooms at Devon Mansions blocks (1-21)	2013 - 2014	29/04/13	Riverside	Project completed under budget.	£5,400	£1,000
106519 Keetons Estate lighting	2015 - 2016	28/01/15	Riverside	Project completed under budget.	£5,200	£3,100
106421 Longfield Estate additional cycle lockers	2014 - 2015	29/01/14	South Bermondsey	Project completed under budget.	£6,500	£1,500
106507 Rouel Road Estate notice boards	2015 - 2016	28/01/15	South Bermondsey	Project completed under budget.	£4,550	£300
106511 Cragie House lighting	2015 - 2016	28/01/15	South Bermondsey	Project completed under budget.	£9,400	£700
106513 Bermondsey Community Kitchen van	2015 - 2016	28/01/15	South Bermondsey	Project completed under budget.	£27,500	£2,000
106517 Galleywall rainwater collector	2015 - 2016	28/01/15	South Bermondsey	Project completed under budget.	£1,620	£1,290
106455 Abbeyfield notice boards	2014 - 2015	29/01/14	Rotherhithe	Project completed under budget.	£3,450	£1,200
104630 Rotherhithe Town Hall Caryatides Restoration Project	2010 - 2011	01/03/10	Rotherhithe	Project completed under budget.	£40,000	£1,800
105522 Albion Street market electrical points	2012 - 2013	18/04/12	Rotherhithe	Project completed under budget.	£48,000	£1,400
105923 King's Stairs Gardens safety improvements	2013 - 2014	26/06/13	Rotherhithe	Project completed under budget.	£6,500	£2,500
106454 Pynfolds play area	2014 - 2015	29/01/14	Rotherhithe	Project completed under budget.	£10,400	£4,000
106498 Albion Channel nesting rafts	2015 - 2016	28/01/15	Rotherhithe	Project completed under budget.	£7,150	£3,600
106500 Addy House motorbike parking	2015 - 2016	28/01/15	Rotherhithe	Project completed under budget.	£3,250	£740
106271 Surrey Docks Farm solar panels	2014 - 2015	29/01/14	Surrey Docks	Surrey Docks Farm are returning the funding in order to qualify for the annual Feed In Tariff which provides ongoing financial benefits to the solar panels project.	£22,680	£12,695
106497 Surrey Water nesting rafts	2015 - 2016	28/01/15	Surrey Docks	Project completed under budget.	£7,304	£2,780
106422 Rennie and Manor Estate notice board	2014 - 2015	29/01/14	South Bermondsey	Project completed under budget.	£2,600	£1,000
106411 Tower Bridge Road arch	2015 - 2016	28/01/15	Riverside	Project will require significant additional funding to implement. Project to be cancelled until external asset owners express an interest in the proposals and major funding identified.	£1,824	£1,813
106411 Tower Bridge Road arch	2015 - 2016	28/01/15	Grange	Project will require significant additional funding to implement. Project to be cancelled until external asset owners express an interest in the proposals and major funding identified.	£2,682	£2,671

**Total to be returned to Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council** **£82,829**

<b>Total available to be reallocated by ward</b>						
Grange						£39,411
Livesey						£0
Riverside						£5,913
Rotherhithe						£15,240
South Bermondsey						£6,790
Surrey Docks						£15,475

<b>EXISTING PROJECTS WHICH REQUIRE ADDITIONAL FUNDING</b>						
Project name	Year of Application	Approval date	Ward	Reason for additional funding	Original award	Amount to be allocated
106508 Manor Estate netting	2015 - 2016	28/01/15	South Bermondsey	Additional funding to deliver project. Original cost estimate at feasibility was based on smaller ball courts.	£14,000	£2,500
106527 Dickens Estate notice boards	2015 - 2016	28/01/15	Riverside	Fifth notice board and time to manage the installation following major works on the estate.	£5,200	£800
106528 Spenlow House pitch resurfacing	2015 - 2016	28/01/15	Riverside	Additional materials and labour to surface an area adjacent to the pitch.	£17,562	£1,000
106423 Avondale House greening	2014 - 2015	29/01/14	South Bermondsey	Changes to design of planters due to health and safety concerns and additional planter.	£16,250	£1,300

**Total to be allocated to existing projects** **£5,600**

<b>NEW PROJECTS</b>						
Project name			Ward	Reason for allocation	Original award	Amount to be allocated
Rennie Estate bollard replacement			South Bermondsey	Reinstatement of bollards removed during works.		£1,000
Surrey Docks Farm western site development			Surrey Docks	Match funding towards the project to develop the western area of the farm.		£12,695

**Total to be allocated to new projects** **£13,695**

<b>FOR REALLOCATION TO 2016/17 PROGRAMME BY WARD</b>						
Grange						£39,411
Livesey						£0
Riverside						£4,113
Rotherhithe						£15,240
South Bermondsey						£1,990
Surrey Docks						£2,780

**Total to be allocated to 2016/17 programme** **£63,534**

<b>Item No.</b> 12.	<b>Classification:</b> Open	<b>Date:</b> 15 March 2016	<b>Meeting Name:</b> Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council
<b>Report title:</b>		Cleaner Greener Safer 2016-17: Capital Funding Allocation	
<b>Ward(s) or groups affected:</b>		Grange, Riverside,	
<b>From:</b>		Head of Highways	

## RECOMMENDATION

1. To approve the allocation of funds for the 2016-17 Cleaner Greener Safer (CGS) capital programme in Grange and Riverside wards in the Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council area from the list of applications set out in Appendix 1.

## BACKGROUND INFORMATION

2. The council's CGS capital programme has been running since 2003.
3. In the first thirteen years of the CGS programme, £32,273,000 has been allocated to community councils leading to 2,242 projects being approved.
4. In the Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council area, £7,891,912 has been allocated to 472 projects, 416 of which have been completed to date.
5. Examples of the types of projects that have been funded include:
  - Parks, community gardens, landscaping, tree planting and wildlife areas
  - Children's playgrounds, youth facilities, ball courts and cycle tracks
  - Lighting, security measures, pavements, streets, and tackling 'grot spots'
  - Grants to local groups to self-deliver projects.

## KEY ISSUES FOR CONSIDERATION

6. There is £179,048 available for the 2016/17 CGS capital programme for new projects in Grange and Riverside wards.
7. Unallocated funding from previous years' programmes will also be reallocated subject to approval in a separate report.
8. Eligible proposals must bring about a permanent improvement and make an area cleaner, greener or safer.
9. Proposals with revenue costs, including salaries, costs for events, festivals, workshops or other one-off events are not eligible for capital funding. Internal improvements to housing property and works on schools where there is no

access to the general public are also not eligible. CCTV proposals are eligible only where ongoing revenue costs have been secured. Works on private property are not eligible unless there is a long-term guarantee of public access or a demonstrable public benefit.

10. The application form invited expressions of interest for the applicants to deliver projects themselves. A due diligence exercise to ensure that this is both practical and realistic has been undertaken as part of the feasibility process. In such cases, the council would give the funding allocation to the applicant in the form of a capital grant, with appropriate conditions attached.

### **Policy implications**

11. The CGS programme is fully aligned with the council's policies around sustainability, regeneration and community engagement.

### **Community impact statement**

12. The roles and functions of community councils include the promotion of involvement of local people in the democratic process. Community councils take decisions on local matters including environmental improvement and community safety as well as consultation on a wide range of policies and strategies that affect the area.
13. An explicit objective within community councils is that they be used to actively engage as widely as possible with, and bring together, Southwark's diverse local communities on issues of shared or mutual interest. The CGS programme is an important tool in achieving community participation.
14. In fulfilling the above objectives of community councils to bring together and involve Southwark's diverse local communities, consideration has also been given to the council's duty under The Equality Act 2010 which requires the council to have due regard when taking decision to the need to:
  - a. Eliminate discrimination, harassment, victimisation or other prohibited conduct;
  - b. Advance of equality of opportunity between persons who share a relevant protected characteristics and those who do not share it;
  - c. Foster good relations between those who share a relevant characteristic and those that do not share it.
15. Of particular regard are issues of age, disability, gender reassignment, pregnancy and maternity, race, religion or belief, sex, sexual orientation.
16. Having due regard to the need to advance equality of opportunity is further defined in s.149 as having due regard to the need of:
  - a. Remove or minimise disadvantages connected with a relevant protected characteristic;
  - b. Take steps to meet the different needs of persons who share a relevant protected characteristic;
  - c. Encourage persons who share a relevant protected characteristic participate in public life or any other activity in which they are under-represented.

17. All ideas for CGS projects come directly from the local community via a simple project nomination form available in electronic and paper format.

### **Resource implications**

18. The funding for the 2016-17 CGS capital programme was approved by the cabinet and is part of the council's overall capital programme as detailed in the launch of CGS capital programme 2015-16 report dated August 2014.
19. All professional fees related to the project are also treated as the capital costs of the project. Where projects are awarded as a grant to organisations, the community council award letter will not include the professional fees which will be charged direct to project costs.
20. CGS projects must be completed within two years of award of funding. Projects that are unlikely to be completed within two years will be reported to community council and available budgets may be reallocated to other projects. Revenue costs not covered by maintenance or the contractual liability period will fall upon the asset owner. The business unit will be notified of the likely costs before the schemes proceeds, in order to secure permission to implement the scheme.
21. After the defects and liability period, or three year maintenance period in the case of planting works, all future maintenance is assumed by the asset owner, for example housing, parks, highways, or in some cases external asset owners. Therefore, there are no revenue implications to the highways division as a result of approving the proposed allocation.
22. The total expenditure and sources of funding for the scheme will be monitored and reported on as part of the overall capital programme.
23. Value for money will be ensured when the contract is procured by following the council's contract standing orders.

### **Consultation**

24. All CGS projects require consultation with stakeholders, including the project applicant, local residents, tenants and residents associations and local community groups where appropriate.

## **SUPPLEMENTARY ADVICE FROM OTHER OFFICERS**

### **Director of Law and Democracy**

25. The allocation of the Cleaner, Greener, Safer capital fund ('CGS') is an executive function, delegated by the Leader to community councils.
26. Community councils are 'area committees' within the meaning of the Act and executive functions can be delegated to them by the Leader.
27. This report is recommending that the Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council approve the allocation of funds to the individual projects specified at appendix 1. The power for this function is detailed in Part 3H paragraph 11 of the constitution which states that community councils have the power of

“Approval of the allocation of funds to cleaner, greener, safer capital and revenue schemes of a local nature, using the resources and criteria identified by the cabinet”.

28. The cabinet member for transport environment and recycling approved the funding for the 2016-17 programme in August 2014 by exercising his powers under Part 3D paragraph 2 of the constitution; and the community council approval being sought here is therefore the next constitutional step in the process.
29. Community council members also have powers under paragraph 12 of Part 3H of the constitution to oversee and take responsibility for the development and implementation of the local schemes.
30. In allocating funding under the CGS community councils must have regard to the council’s equality duty set out in section 149 of the Equality Act 2010. The report author has demonstrated how those duties need to be considered in the body of the report at paragraphs 14 to 16 in the community impact statement.

### **Strategic Director of Finance and Governance**

31. This report is seeking the approval of the Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council for the allocation of funds for the 2016-17 CGS programme in the Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council area from the list of applications set out in Appendix 1.
32. The strategic director of finance and governance notes the resource implications contained within the report that the cost will be contained within the departmental capital budgets for CGS as part of the council’s capital programme.
33. It is also noted that officers’ time and any other costs connected with this recommendation will be contained within existing departmental revenue budgets.

### **BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS**

<b>Background Papers</b>	<b>Held At</b>	<b>Contact</b>
Launch of Cleaner Greener Safer Capital Programme 2015/16 - August 2014	<a href="http://moderngov.southwark.gov.uk/ieDecisionDetails.aspx?ID=4798">http://moderngov.southwark.gov.uk/ieDecisionDetails.aspx?ID=4798</a>	Michelle Normanly 020 7525 0862

### **APPENDICES**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Title</b>
Appendix 1	Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council Cleaner Greener Safer Capital programme 2016/17: Applications



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Director of Law and Democracy	Yes	Yes
Strategic Director of Finance and Governance	Yes	Yes
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	No	No
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## Appendix 1

## Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council

## Grange and Riverside wards

## Cleaner Greener Safer Capital programme 2016/17: Applications

Reference	Proposal Name	Ward	Type of Application
505339	Bicycle storage for Rouel Road Estate	Grange	Capital
522630	Hall Sign post	Grange	Capital
700008	Bicycle storage for Goodwin Close SE16	Grange	Capital
524881	Pope Street Greening	Grange	Capital
532384	Children are our future 1	Grange	Capital
532398	Children are our future! 2	Grange	Capital
534270	London School of Osteopathy: Grange access, wall and arch	Grange	Capital
534645	Guy Street Park Public Art	Grange	Capital
534809	Bermondsey Village Hall Flooring	Grange	Capital
535595	Goodwin Close Hanging Baskets	Grange	Capital
536114	Whites Grounds Cleaners store	Grange	Capital
536162	Vertical Garden - Crosby Row	Grange	Capital
700087	CCTV in Grange ward hotspots	Grange	Capital
508049	For our children	Riverside	Capital
520675	Arnold Estate Beautiful Balconies	Riverside	Capital
520704	Arnold Estate bicycle parking	Riverside	Capital
526809	Bermondsey Spa Beauty Project	Riverside	Capital
534639	Tackling mobile phone robberies around Bermondsey Tube Station	Riverside	Capital
535134	St James Churchyard lighting improvements	Riverside	Capital
700031	Increasing safety for residents of the Dickens Estate	Riverside	Capital
536082	Improvement and Access to old Pram Stores. Installation of new doors (10 number)	Riverside	Capital
536406	Lockwood's Square Outdoor Gymnasium	Riverside	Capital
700068	St Johns Primary School, Compass Secondary School and Bermondsey Community Kitchen Vegetable Gardeni	Riverside	Capital
700086	Designing out crime at Bermondsey Wall East	Riverside	Capital
700093	Making community safer	Riverside	Capital
700094	Working for the community	Riverside	Capital
700095	To keep the basketball court surface safe for children to play	Riverside	Capital

<b>Item No.</b> 13.	<b>Classification:</b> Open	<b>Date:</b> 15 March 2016	<b>Meeting Name:</b> Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council
<b>Report title:</b>		Allocation of Neighbourhoods Fund 2016-17	
<b>Ward(s) or groups affected:</b>		Grange, Livesey, Riverside, Rotherhithe, South Bermondsey and Surrey Docks.	
<b>From:</b>		Director of Communities	

## RECOMMENDATION

1. That the Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council allocates a total of £218,982 of the Neighbourhoods Fund 2016-17 from the list of applications outlined in Appendix 1. This amount consists of two elements, namely £165,000 available for 2016/17 and £53,982 of unallocated funding carried forward from the previous year's programme.

## BACKGROUND INFORMATION

2. The neighbourhoods fund was introduced in 2015 by merging two former revenue programmes known as cleaner, greener, safer (CGS) revenue fund and the community council fund (CCF). The cabinet member for communities, employment and business authorised the amalgamation of the CGS revenue fund and CCF, into a single funding programme to create a new neighbourhood fund for the 2015-16 round and onwards. This decision (IDM) was taken on 12 December 2014.
3. The neighbourhoods fund has a borough-wide funding budget of £630,000 with an allocation of £30,000 per ward.
4. The purpose of introducing the neighbourhoods fund was to give community councils decision making powers over significant amounts of revenue funding, that they could allocate to meet locally determined priorities.

## KEY ISSUES FOR CONSIDERATION

5. Each ward will have £30,000 of revenue grants to allocate. It is proposed that any unallocated funds are to be carried forward from previous rounds (years) and added to the financial year commencing 1 April 2016.
6. The community councils will use the criteria set out below for the allocation of this funding.
  - a. Creating opportunities for people from different backgrounds to get on well together; (e.g. community cohesion)
  - b. Establishing projects which treat each other with respect and consideration (e.g. being a good neighbour, inter-generational contacts)
  - c. Encouraging residents to be responsible for their own neighbourhood (e.g. community clean-ups; volunteering initiatives)
  - d. Specific measures to enhance a neighbourhood's environment (e.g. increased cleaning)

7. A community council may choose to allocate some of their neighbourhoods fund resources to their CGS capital allocations.
8. Subject to the availability of resources, the neighbourhoods fund may be used to 'buy' services from the council.
9. As with any executive decision taken by community councils this decision is subject to the council's existing scrutiny arrangements.

### **Community impact statement**

10. The roles and functions of community councils include the promotion of involvement of local people in the democratic process. Community councils take decisions on local matters including environmental improvement and community safety as well as consultation on a wide range of policies and strategies that affect the area.
11. An explicit objective of community councils is that they be used to actively engage as widely as possible with, and bring together, Southwark's diverse local communities on issues of shared mutual interest.
12. The allocation of the Bermondsey and Rotherhithe neighbourhoods fund will, in the main, affect the people living in the Bermondsey and Rotherhithe community council area. However, in making the area a better place to live and improving life chances for local people, Bermondsey and Rotherhithe neighbourhoods fund activities will have an impact on the whole of Southwark.
13. The neighbourhoods fund is an important tool in achieving community participation and cohesion.
14. In fulfilling the objectives, that community councils have, of bringing together and involving Southwark's diverse local communities, consideration has also been given to the council's duty under the Equality Act 2010 ("the 2010 Act") which requires the council to have due regard when taking decisions to the need to:
  - a. Eliminate discrimination, harassment, victimisation or other prohibited conduct;
  - b. Advance of equality of opportunity between persons who share a relevant protected characteristic and those who do not share it; and
  - c. Foster good relations between those who share a relevant characteristic and those that do not share it.
15. Of particular regard are issues of age, disability, gender reassignment, pregnancy and maternity, race, religion or belief, sex, sexual orientation. In this process there are no issues that contravene the 2010 Act.
16. Having due regard to the need to advance equality of opportunity is further defined in section 149 of the 2010 Act as having due regard to the need of:
  - Remove or minimise disadvantages connected with a relevant protected characteristic.
  - Take steps to meet the different needs of persons who share a relevant protected characteristic.
  - Encourage persons who share a relevant protected characteristic participate in public life or any other activity in which they are under- represented.
  - Due consideration was given to an equalities impact assessment during the design of this awards process and no adverse impact was evident.

### **Resource implications**

17. None.

### **Consultation**

18. Neighbourhoods fund projects may require consultation with stakeholders, including the project applicant, local residents and tenants and residents associations where applicable.

### **Financial implications**

19. The Bermondsey and Rotherhithe neighbourhoods fund has been allocated a total of £165,000 for 2016/17. In addition to this, funds totaling £53,982 remain unallocated from previous years' allocations and thus also available to allocate.
20. It is recommended that community councils set aside some of the unallocated funds from previous years in order to prevent an over allocation of funds, as well as act as a contingency from which urgent or incidental requests can be funded throughout the year. It must also be noted that the unallocated figures reported in the previous paragraph represent current best estimates as the 2015-16 funding round is only finally over on 31 March 2016.
21. Projects that are unlikely to be completed within the year will be reported to the community council and available funding may be allocated to other projects or carried over to the following financial year.

## **SUPPLEMENTARY ADVICE FROM OTHER OFFICERS**

### **Director of Law and Democracy**

22. The allocation of the neighbourhoods fund is an executive function. The Local Government Act 2000 ('the 2000 Act') gives the Leader the power to delegate any executive function to whoever lawfully can undertake the function, including "area committees". Community councils are "area committees" within the meaning of the 2000 Act. The council's constitution (Part 3H) provides that community councils have delegated authority to take decisions in relation to the neighbourhoods fund.
23. The Localism Act 2011 gives councils a general power of competence to do anything that individuals generally may do. This power can be used even if legislation already exists that allows a local authority to do the same thing. However, the general power of competence does not enable a local authority to do anything which is was restricted or prevented from doing under previous legislation.
24. The general power of competence includes the power to:
- (a) incur expenditure
  - (b) give financial assistance to any person
  - (c) enter into arrangements or agreements with any person
  - (d) co-operate with or facilitate or co-ordinate the activities of any person
  - (e) exercise on behalf of any person any functions of that person; and
  - (f) provide staff, goods, services or accommodation to any person.
25. The provision of funding under the Neighbourhoods Fund falls within the scope of the kind of activities the council can undertake under the general power of competence.

26. In allocating funding under the Neighbourhoods Fund community councils must have regard to the council's equality duties set out in section 149 of the Equality Act 2010. The report author has demonstrated how those duties have been considered in the body of the report at paragraphs 14, 15 and 16 of the report.

### Strategic Director of Finance and Governance

27. The 2016/17 budget allocation for the new Neighbourhoods fund has been agreed by council assembly. It stands at £30,000 per ward and thus £165,000 has been awarded to Bermondsey and Rotherhithe community council. A further £53,982 can be carried forward from previous years as this reflects the current remaining balance and is thus also available for allocation.

### BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

Background Papers	Held At	Contact
Neighbourhoods Fund Report IDM, 12 December 2014	160 Tooley Street, London SE1 2QH	Forid Ahmed 0207 525 5540
Neighbourhoods Fund 2015/16 awards	160 Tooley Street, London SE1 2QH	Pauline Bonner 0207 525 1019

### APPENDICES

No.	Title
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### AUDIT TRAIL

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All community councils and all wards applications

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558316	David Idowu Foundation	David Idowu Foundation Youth_Ink	<p>Our pilot Project, YOUTH_INK, aims to engage with young people through peer-led youth participation within the community and the criminal justice system to up-skill and inspire young people to participate in their own learning through peer-led personal and social development linked to our Youth_Ink ETL model.</p> <p>The Foundation and Southwark Youth Offending Services will work together to empower people to tell their own story, in their own way and with their own lived experience. The process of doing so will: be peer lead participation, and empowering people with lived experience to share their own story; offer new insight into the lives of people experiencing multiple disadvantages, as well as on the systemic issues that affect them; and communicate clearly and efficiently.</p> <p>Benefits from our work</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Children, Young People in the Community &amp; criminal justice systems</li> <li>•Improved emotional well being</li> <li>•Improved social and leadership skills</li> <li>•Increased learning understanding of life style and anti-social behaviour</li> <li>•Increased social support and involvement in communities</li> <li>•Reducing crime and anti-social behaviour</li> <li>•Increased inclusion of young people within the community and the Criminal justice system</li> <li>•Empathy and understanding of issues faced by vulnerable young people within the community and the Criminal justice system</li> <li>•Increased understanding between the community generations</li> <li>•Increased participation of young people in the community</li> </ul> <p>Local area already has active participation schemes for young people. However feedback we have received from the sector is that excluded and marginalised young people find it difficult to engage and participate in these schemes.</p> <p>The project is divided into 3 key phases:</p> <p>Consultation – 1st May-1st August 2016/Mobilisation – 1st August – 31st March 2017/Through the YOS - 1st August - 31st March 2017</p>	£25,470 (£5,094 each CC area)

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558794	Faces in Focus	Counselling and Self-advocacy for Young People 11-25	<p>Face in Focus provides an extremely valuable service for Southwark young people aged 11-25 who would not be eligible to access NHS or other talking therapy services and we receive referrals from every ward in the borough. As well as continuing to provide counselling, we also wish to launch a young people's self-advocacy group or groups, the aim of which will be to provide a welcoming space in which young people can come together and discuss issues such as knife crime, forced marriage, sex, health, sexual health and any other matters on their minds or of concern to them. The groups will explore and attempt to overcome the barriers that inhibit young people across the borough from reaching their full potential. The service and the proposed groups are needed because they offer routes to empowerment and improved self-confidence and also act as a preventative and diversionary measure. Counselling and group sessions will take place weekly. The groups will involve the planning of activities and outings away from the area to provide tasters of activities not normally available to the young people involved. They may also involve art and drama, meetings with officials and even elected Members to facilitate an understanding of the democratic process. They may also plan visits to local community agencies where there may be relevant volunteering or work opportunities. With the groups it is the intention that the content, planning and resulting activities will be decided and led by the young people, facilitated by a sessional employee experienced in working with young people to ensure the groups are focused and have clear outcomes. The results of both the counselling and the groups will be greater engagement of the young people with their local community, a facilitation of understanding between different cultures and generations and less antisocial behaviour.</p>	£25,000 (£5,000 each CC area)



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558479	Health Wealth	Health Wealth Community	<p>Health Wealth is a Social Enterprise that has quality of life at the heart of its agenda. The objective is to improve the lifestyles of the infirm, carers, the elderly and lone parents with young children. Health Wealth will liaise with GP Practices in the Southwark area, who have a community gardening scheme in place or can see the value of its patients being involved with one. We will take these referrals and bridge the gap that supports them becoming part of a local community garden and a best life advocate. Isolation and low self-esteem can be the malaise of the long term ill, the elderly and those isolated by an 'at home' existence. This can develop because of ongoing illness and seclusion and simply not having an age appropriate peer group to communicate with. Through Health Wealth we will educate and support our members with a series of e short courses, practical and informative cookery demonstrations and food product design and prototyping. We are developing a framework through which to monitor and evaluate the impact of the project on the health and well being of beneficiaries and the ability of services to become economically self-sustaining.</p>	£7,830 (£1,566 each CC area)

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558412	London Bubble Theatre	Rotherhithe Shed: social & creative activities for older ppl	<p>Rotherhithe Shed addresses the social isolation and loneliness of older people and vulnerable adults, problems that are demonstrated to have a serious, long-term and detrimental impact upon their health and wellbeing. Based on the successful Australian Men's Shed movement, it operates out of a well-equipped workshop space with participants working together on a range of making, mending activities, supported by a trained artist/maker. It offers a chance to make new friends, to experience the camaraderie of working with other people or simply putting practical skills to good use. The Shed has been running successfully for over a year at Bubble HQ, and so far has targeted residents of North Southwark and Rotherhithe. We now want to widen the offer across Bermondsey and Rotherhithe and include other wards (particularly Camberwell Green, Peckham and Livesey which have the highest registered population aged 65+ and rate high on the deprivation index). We will connect with agencies working with isolated people by holding launch events in partnership with organisations such as The Black Elderly group and Age UK in Peckham. Rotherhithe Shed directly addresses the adult priorities of Southwark's (2013) Health and Wellbeing Strategy: Building healthier and more resilient communities and tackling the root causes of ill health. Local housing scheme residents report that they often live lonely socially isolated lives, either through poor health, disability or lack of friends and support networks. The project also fits with central government agenda to maintain independence of older people, and chimes with national campaigns such as the Campaign to End Loneliness (2013) that targets loneliness in older people. Over 40 weekly sessions, Rotherhithe Shed will offer a safe creative and social space for 40-50 isolated Southwark residents. Skilled artists and technical experts will be available to support the participants, and participants' ideas will be strongly encouraged.</p>	£6,135 (£1,227 each CC area)

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558430	Millwall Community Trust	Girls & Women's Music to Football Programme	<p>Millwall Community Trust has a proven track record of delivering successful social inclusion activities for young people throughout Southwark and Lewisham. Our current and more recent delivery of the Premier League Kicks programme which provides opportunities for young people aged 12-18 has seen Millwall achieve the highest engagement levels for 14 plus year olds nationally. Millwall Community Trust is proud to also have the most sustained young people at this age group, also on a nationally level. In recent month, the partners involved in Premier League Kicks which includes the Metropolitan Police, local youth services and youth offending services and of course the Premier League, have highlighted the need to provide more opportunities for young females to access. There is also a growing concern for young females being targeted into gang related activities both on a national and local level. The idea for the proposed "Girls and Women's Music to Football programme" is to continue working with our current partners and also develop new partnerships with other local agencies to provide structured fun activities on a weekly basis throughout the year which local young females can access for free. The Music to Football activities which is also known as Soccer Size, has recently been developed by the Football League's Female Football Development team where a number of FA qualified female coaches from Millwall Community Trust have been trained. In addition to these activities, a number of educational awareness workshops will be provided to the young females engaged in the programme which include; gender related violence, personal safety, gang related awareness, child exploitation and sexual health.</p>	£5,000 (each CC area)

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558650	Peckham Pride Basketball Club	Basketball for everyone	<p>Southwark has a high level of childhood obesity, with 44% of children in year six being classed as overweight or obese. It has also been argued that Southwark has an increasing level of obesity and excess weight in adults, with the Evening Standard recently highlighting Southwark as having the 'worst obesity levels in London'. Unfortunately, the number of people in Southwark being physically active is also decreasing with only 36.0% of adults aged 16+ participating 1 x 30 minutes of physical activity a week. In addition Southwark has a high level of deprivation, with several Lower Super Output Areas fitting into the top 10% most deprived wards in the country. We are looking to run programmes for young people aged 5-21. We run a programme for everyone, with boys sessions, girl's sessions and disability sessions – catering for all abilities, backgrounds and ages. We use Basketball as the vehicle to engage young people into a positive activity. They learn discipline, leadership skills and team work skills, while getting active and healthy. Our programme aims to impact on key local issues, whether it's reducing the levels of childhood obesity by giving young people an accessible and affordable activity, or reducing anti-social behaviour by giving young people a diversionary activity that appeals to marginalised and hard to reach young people, or giving disabled children a chance to play, compete and be involved in an inclusive activity. We believe that basketball can significantly impact on local issues, providing young people with much needed training and development opportunities.</p>	£5,000 (£1,000 each CC area)

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556868	Southwark Explorers Club	Southwark Explorers' Club	<p>We organise weekly visits by Southwark Pensioners to places of cultural, artistic and historic interest at affordable cost. We aim to share a wide variety of interesting activities with older people in Southwark. We have no paid staff so that the planning, coordination and delivery of our activities is entirely done by unpaid members. Our members come from a wide range of social, cultural, religious and ethnic backgrounds.</p> <p>Our project is valued by older people who live alone and particularly by those who have been recently bereaved. Our members make friends with each other and visit places in a group which they would never think of visiting on their own. A member of the Committee leads each outing to provide support and make sure members get to the right place. Some people have mobility problems and are very elderly so it is important to pace ourselves accordingly. There is little doubt that our activities contribute to improved emotional and physical health for our members.</p> <p>Most of our visits take us outside Southwark but I have marked the wards above within Southwark which we have visited in the last year.</p>	£4,500 (£900 per CC area)
558392	Southwark Neighbourhood Watch Association	Finding Solutions: Anti Social Behaviour	<p>Antisocial Behaviour and especially noise nuisance is a high volume crime and one of the most issues reported to SNHW, the police, Southwark anti-social behaviour Unit, Ward Panels, Councillors, Southwark Safer Neighbourhood Board affecting very estate and neighbourhood in Southwark. It affects cohesion, seriously damages the social fabric of communities in Southwark and degrades quality of life. How to tackle it and encourage the community to report it remains an important issue. This conference will focus purely on Anti -Social Behaviour and will explore how it can be addressed with "low tech" community solutions in light of radical budgetary cuts to the Council, Police and Social Services. It will bring together all sections of the community - residents from estates and neighborhoods in Southwark, community organisations, TRAs, TMOs, Councillors, Police and Ward Panel representatives from Livesey Ward and North Southwark Wards Southwark Safer Neighbour Board and seek and offer solutions to this problem.</p>	£2150 each CC event

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539876	Southwark Playhouse	Elders Company	<p>Weekly drama workshops at Southwark Playhouse, led by a professional facilitator, these will develop participants' skills, confidence and abilities, and provide them with an opportunity to meet others with similar interests. Across the year, we would hope to engage 40 – 60 people, recruiting on a rolling basis. We will predominantly advertise in Southwark, and will also seek referrals from local organisations such as the Blackfriars Settlement and Pembroke House.</p> <p>In 2016, performances will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Devised pieces, taking a theme and utilising stories and memories.</li> <li>- A piece by Shakespeare, or inspired by him.</li> <li>- A collaboration with our Young Company.</li> </ul> <p>We would also look at performing in local schools, as part of a project looking at perceptions of age.</p> <p>The work we create will all be developed out of ideas from group members.</p> <p>The project will not be focused on age. The members will be 65 and over, but the focus will very much be on creating theatre and taking part in fun, enjoyable workshops.</p> <p>As well as all of the activity, we hope to continue to build upon the strong group friendships forged thus far.</p>	£2,700 (£540 each CC area )

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558468	Walworth Amateur Sport Programme	Supporting Community Sport Clubs	<p>Walworth Amateur Sport Programme's (Walworth ASP) purpose is to help local sport clubs, from across the central wards of Southwark, in developing their capacity to provide strong, sustainable and cohesive community programmes which will improve the life chances of children and young people through sport. Walworth ASP's objective is to assist more clubs to make sporting opportunities more accessible to children and young people across the central wards of Southwark. It is common knowledge that most community programmes are delivered by local volunteers who are passionate and want to make a difference in their communities and the lives of the young people. However, through lack of information, not having relevant training and qualifications, and limited resources – time, people, financial –, these community champions find it very challenging to continue providing their much needed services in their local communities and eventually stop providing the opportunities for children and young people to participate in organised sport. To be awarded funding by the Community Councils will enable Walworth ASP to continue offering its expert services of establishing and sustaining community clubs, both newly created and/or fledgling organisation which are in need of support and operational guidance. The organisation is currently working with two local clubs, one based in the Newington Ward (Mighty Royals Football Club formed in 2015) and the other in Faraday Ward (Walworth Knights Football Club formed in 2013). Walworth ASP has helped Walworth Knights become a registered club with the London Football Association (FA), have policies and operating procedures installed, and helped create a football development plan which is monitored using the FA's activity management system named UPSHOT. Walworth ASP provides its services free of charge to clubs and all funds received will be used to help community clubs make sport more accessible to more local residents in Southwark.</p>	£3,518 (£703.6 each CC area)

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557694	16th Bermondsey Scouts	Million Hands	We would hope for it to cover all ages Beavers aged 6-8 Cubs aged 8-11 Scouts 11 – 14 and possibly Explorers 14-18. Education. We would hope for all of these young people to have some visits from people, children, speakers, parents by way of both education/ information on disabilities/ special needs etc. Awareness. We might all be involved in doing a survey of local shops, transport, facilities etc to assess access for wheelchairs etc. and present this to the public and authorities. Presentation. We would hope to make this information available to the public/ council/ transport for London via a video, maps, etc. Involvement. We would hope for our young people to meet and do stuff with a small number of young people with a disability on a weekly basis and perhaps run a camp/s, activity day locally with a mixed ability group. The overall Aim of the project would be to make a permanent change in the lives and understanding of both our young people and the disabled young people we meet, and to make a permanent change in our local community.	£1,000 in total
567351	Clir Proposal	Bermondsey In Bloom	This is an annual project that will inspire and encourage the community, schools and pubs to do their gardens in all six categories. this will keep the place not only beautiful and clean but also prevent ASB. School children will learn how to do the garden (planting flowers and vegetables). keep people engaged in activities and healthy also promote wellbeing and engaging with fellow members of the community. we normally allocate five thousands pounds. if all six wards participate then each can contribute £1000 totalling into £6000. This project is carried out by youth from Salmon Youth Centre. Front Gardens, Balcony gardens, Community Gardens, School Gardens, Pub Gardens, Nomination to be sent in June and July 2016 Displayed all nominations at September Community Council for the Community to vote Prizes ( 1,2 &3) will be given in the next B&R Community Council. all participants will receive a certificate	£6,000 in total
558402	City Hope Church	Bermondsey World Cup	Riding on the success of the Rotherhithe World Cup which took place last year and attracted over 100 people, we would like to run a football tournament that will take place over the month of June that will create a place for local people, living in Bermondsey, from different backgrounds to share a great experience. We would love to see people who may feel disconnected from the community to establish friendships with people in the local area. This project will have the added benefit of promoting a healthy lifestyle! Bermondsey is a complex community. Many people have moved into the area over the last few years. We aim to provide an opportunity for people who to meet and enjoy a common passion. The project we ran last year proves that Football has a unifying effect that brings people from different, backgrounds and ages together. We hope that the Bermondsey World Cup will play it's part in making Bermondsey a Community made up Of many communities!	£1,090 in total



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558094	Surrey Docks Farm Provident Society	Green Mentor for Bermondsey & Rotherhithe	<p>We want to build on the success of 'Blooming Southwark' funded by CGS in 2013/14 by getting sufficient funding in place to engage a 2.5 days/week Green Mentor for a year to work in partnership with TRAs, community groups &amp; residents of all ages in Bermondsey and Rotherhithe &amp; to provide materials, equipment &amp; training to make ongoing 'green' improvements to the area and enhance residents' health &amp; wellbeing. We are currently using the £5,000 Neighbourhoods Fund grant for 2015/16 to run a series of workshops on greening, growing &amp; cooking as a lead up to bringing a Green Mentor into post by May (for which we are requesting partial funding from the Neighbourhood Fund) who will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Support residents in developing window boxes, balconies, gardens &amp; under-used open spaces.</li> <li>(ii) Develop edible gardens &amp; outdoor cooking areas and support other food growing &amp; diet initiatives</li> <li>(iii) Advise residents &amp; community groups on growing, gardening, health &amp; safety, land ownership, soil contamination, insurance &amp; funding.</li> <li>(iv) Give cooking demonstrations with a portable kitchen and at the Farm on its Outdoor Kitchen fuelled from our bio-digester for free community use.</li> <li>(v) Encourage the involvement of children and young people on estates in 'growing and greening' initiatives and expanding the Green Fingers Growing Club at the Farm, to include 'Come Dine with Me Outdoors' events - with young people inviting their local councillors to dine.</li> <li>(vi) Providing a range of training workshops both on and off site to assist residents in making permanent green improvements and additions to their homes and community - viz bee-keeping; building your own green roof; container growing; processing home grown produce.</li> <li>(vii) Taking groups of residents – who haven't so far visited – on a walk to the Farm</li> <li>(viii) Running a Green Network – newsletter, twitter &amp; Farm events</li> </ul>	£5,000 in total

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556452	The Friends of Southwark Park	It Was Twenty Year Ago Today' - The Friends of Southwark Park	<p>To celebrate 20 years of The Friends of Southwark Park a programme of 20 activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2 x Sunday bandstand concerts on weekend of public holidays – 29th May and 28th August</li> <li>2 x Caryatides acoustic music shows –23rd April (St. George's Day) and 1st May (May Day)</li> <li>5 x guided walks/tours in Southwark Park on – trees and plants; Ada Salter Garden; birds and wildlife; general history, and an evening bat walk. Dates to be confirmed</li> <li>1 x guided visit to West Lane Memorial Gardens – date to be confirmed</li> <li>1 x guided tour of King George's Field – date to be confirmed</li> <li>1 x Bee Experience day at Southwark Park – date to be confirmed</li> <li>4 x Bee workshops for children, including candle-making – dates to be confirmed</li> <li>1 x adult creative writing project about Southwark Park – spring and summer</li> <li>1 x Bermondsey Carnival Tennis Day in Southwark Park for adults and children - July</li> <li>1 x annual Bobby Abel Memorial Cricket Cup match in Southwark Park between Southwark Park C.C. and Burgess Park C.C. - August</li> <li>1 x Youth Volunteer Action Day in Southwark Park – September</li> </ul> <p>All of the above activities to be free of charge in order to encourage the community to enjoy and gained knowledge about their local parks.</p>	£4,995 in total

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**GRANGE WARD**

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558318	Alwaysz Kreative	Keeping our Kreativitiy Alive (K.O.K.A)	The project aims to offer young people a safe space where they can engage in creative arts and videography. Activities include painting, drama, film and music. Activities are based around creative expression with a process designed to achieve therapeutic goals. Through therapeutic creative activities, we aim to equipped young people with a greater sense of self-awareness, improvement of self-esteem, enhancement of expressiveness, better communication and give them a better understanding of conflict resolution. The project will function as a 7 week workshop using creative activities as stimulus to provoke thought, emotion and action. Creative activities are lively and experimental and also help to create an environment where both those participating and the workshop leaders can express themselves without the fear of being judged. The project is needed for various reasons; Young people all have very different situations that cause them to over think, stress or worry, these might include present circumstances of bereavement, separation, or other major life transitions. It could be experiences from the recent past, or distance past such as in childhood trauma. There might be other psychological or behavioural traits which cause young people to think less of themselves, we aim to address this through creative therapy along with, compulsive thoughts or difficulties relating to people due to depression or anxiety. Some young people are just searching for a place where they can create meaning in their lives by undertaking personal and creative development in a safe and supportive environment. Our activities are designed to encourage stress relief and positive personality change, reduce negative thinking, enhance quality of life, promote adaptive functioning in public places/work/school and relationships, increase the likelihood of making healthy life choices which will enable the young person to be more equipped and ready to deal with the world around them.	£5,000.00
552647	ARTISTPAGE	Women in the Arts	A series of events involving talks and live music focusing on Women in the Arts. Events include a speaker presenting a talk on related subjects and live music. The series addresses an important issue within arts industries; that women are under-represented in some areas, including visibility and promotion. Our goal is providing platforms for discussion on surrounding issues and creating welcoming opportunities for SE1 community engagement. We have produced talks and live music events with encouraging results including local community and student attendance, and positive feedback about the opportunity to meet people and the friendly and open environment created.	£4,260.00

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557440	Bermondsey Street Area Partnership	Sculpture Project	<p>To hold open and free stone sculpture workshops in a public space where participants will create their own stone sculptures for public exhibition. - foster social cohesion by providing an open-minded opportunity for people to engage collectively &amp; artistically- nurture the connection between people, place &amp; materials through the process of artistic &amp; creative intervention upon materials &amp; environment - demonstrate the strength of the collective voice as expressed through the process of collaborative art making</p> <p>By bringing people together to make and exhibit art, social gaps are bridged and inter-cultural exchanges flourish. Success will be seen as social gain and as physical entities in the sculptures which embody the collective individual expressions of the community.</p> <p>why it is needed</p> <p>BSAP members, local residents, business owners and previous Sculpture Project participants have all clearly stated a need for this uniquely inclusive, engaging Sculpture Project.</p> <p>Our community is potentially very divided by socio-economic realities. It is necessary to offer free, enjoyable, creative processes for everybody to engage in, in order for the community to feel equally involved, important, connected and part of a greater whole.</p>	£5,250.00
558495	Bermondsey Street Area Partnership	Heritage Lives - London Bridge, Shad Thames & Bermondsey St	<p>To engage young adults (our wards have more 25-34 year olds than the average) with our local heritage across all three neighbouring areas, London Bridge, Shad Thames and Bermondsey St. In terms of heritage our areas are richly endowed, and people like it, but somehow only a few manage to engage with it. This project will provide motivation and opportunities for young adults to engage with our history. These adventure trails have been designed in partnership with outdoor arts organisation Fantasy High Street who have delivered a number of similar activities throughout the borough for More London, Broadgate Estates and Nunhead Festivals. They will create 2 different trails to cater to the needs and interests of this particular age group which we are finding it difficult to engage:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Photography Scavenger Hunt – working in teams of 3-6 people, participants will follow clues and orienteering maps to discover some of the historic and architectural features of the area, taking photographs when found. This adventure-style competitive event will culminate in a slide show presentation at the end of the day with small prizes for best images, and encouragement to share images on social media to spread interest of the area further amongst their age group.</li> <li>2. Food &amp; Drink Adventure Trail – following clues to various pubs and eateries in the areas, audience groups will meet performers along the way who animate each location and explore playful new methods to enjoy fare from local participating businesses.</li> </ol>	£4,850.00

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558057	Bermondsey Street Festival Association	Bermondsey Street Festival	<p>The Bermondsey Street Festival is a not for profit free community festival run entirely by the community for the community.</p> <p>Our aim for the Festival is to bring together people from our diverse community to enjoy together the activities and experiences to be found in our area that are reflected at the festival.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• to bring together people from our diverse community to enjoy together the activities and experiences to be found in our area</li> <li>• to develop community pride in their area</li> <li>• to help individuals, groups and organisations find ways in which they can contribute towards increasing community participation and cohesion</li> <li>• to increase the community's participation in arts</li> <li>• to develop the community's understanding and tolerance of people who may come from a different background</li> <li>• to add to the knowledge base of the community</li> <li>• to provide pathways to developing leisure pursuits and fostering talents</li> <li>• to provide charities and clubs and societies with a wider public profile to attract volunteers, participants and sponsors</li> <li>• to provide an outlet for artists to show their talents and enjoy the appreciation of large audiences</li> <li>• to develop and enhance the community spirit</li> </ul> <p>We are very committed to building on the work of the many local groups and involving them in our community project. We cover an area in the North from Borough to Rotherhithe and south from Elephant and Castle to South Bermondsey.</p>	£10,000.00

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558531	Bermondsey Street Festival Association	Bermondsey Street Festival	<p>The Bermondsey Street Festival is a not for profit free community festival run entirely by volunteers. Our aim for the Festival is to bring together people from our diverse community to enjoy together the activities and experiences to be found in our area (which is inclusive of all people in the surrounding area of Bermondsey Street regardless of ward boundary) that are reflected at the festival.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• to develop community pride in their area</li> <li>• to help individuals, groups and organisations find ways in which they can contribute towards increasing community participation and cohesion</li> <li>• to increase the community's participation in arts</li> <li>• to develop the community's understanding and tolerance of people who may come from a different background</li> <li>• to add to the knowledge base of the community</li> <li>• to provide pathways to developing leisure pursuits and fostering talents</li> <li>• to provide charities and clubs and societies with a wider public profile to attract volunteers, participants and sponsors</li> <li>• to provide an outlet for artists to show their talents and enjoy the appreciation of large audiences</li> <li>• to develop and enhance the community spirit</li> </ul>	£4,500.00
558299	Bermondsey Street Residents Association (BSRA)	Capoeira Angola Community	<p>We will run 27 weekly Capoeira classes for young people and adults, creating a space for local residents to manifest their energy into positive channels, by nurturing a sense of belonging and bringing people together. A blend of game, dance, acrobatics, martial art and music, Capoeira Angola (CA) is a form of education, rigorous exercise and personal development suitable for all ages and fitness levels. By offering free classes, we aim to encourage and nurture family/community relationships through the regular practice of this culturally rich art form. Our neighbourhood is disparate in many ways due to the diversity of cultural and economic backgrounds people come from. Our classes offer an activity where people from all backgrounds can come together to learn, get fit and have fun together.</p>	£2,080.00

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558296	Bethel Christian Development Centre(Outreach Team)	Christmas Winter Project	The Project is to benefit the homeless and the less privileged in the community, we have been providing food to the homeless in the neighbourhood. We provide and cater for them on weekly basis on Sunday morning. Christmas time is a lonely period that is why we focus on providing the project on yearly basis.	£9,800.00
558104	British School of Osteopathy	Clinic for people who are homeless	<p>There can be no more vulnerable people in our society than those who have no home to sleep in. The physical pain that can result from a life that involves sleeping rough is something that the BSO is committed to addressing.</p> <p>The BSO has a long tradition of providing free osteopathy for people who are homeless, and has run a weekly clinic on Wednesdays at the Manna Centre since 1998 - a warm and lively day centre near London Bridge which is attended by up to 220 homeless people each day. The BSO's free osteopathic clinic for homeless people in pain provides help to rough sleepers from across the Bankside area and beyond.</p> <p>The conditions seen in the clinic relate to the difficult lifestyle of people who are homeless – including pain from tense, defensive postures caused by trying to protect themselves and their belongings while rough sleeping; foot injuries from spending so much time walking around London's streets; and musculoskeletal pain in the neck and spine caused by sleeping on hard ground with their bags for pillows.</p> <p>An important aspect of the care provided is the time that the team take to talk to patients who have lifestyle/social problems – and providing referral to other services and healthcare that might be able to provide long term help.</p> <p>The annual cost of running the clinic is £15,000, and the School is dependent on donations and grants to sustain it. A grant of £5,000 would help us pay for the expert tuition and supervision of two qualified and experienced osteopaths for half a day each week, leading a team of students in the Manna Centre as part of their clinical programme. It would also support costs related to the clinic, such as administration and hygiene resources.</p>	£5,000.00

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557804	Create (Arts) Limited	More Creative ~ Bede (More Creative)	<p>More Creative is a creative arts project helping to break down barriers, develop shared understanding and encourage social interaction. It addresses the need for positive integration of people with learning disabilities, bringing together 10 participants from Bede House (BH) and 10 children from Grange Primary School (GPS) in Bermondsey, Southwark (20+ total). Create is unaware of similar projects in Southwark.</p> <p>In spring 2017, Create will deliver 8 weekly full-day workshops in an artform/s chosen by BH/GPS (eg dance/film-making/music), facilitated by Create's professional artists. Under the guidance of Create's artists, participants will work in mixed groups to express themselves creatively, while developing group cohesion, peer support, and trust. It will culminate in a sharing of the participants' work.</p> <p>Project need: Disabled people are often socially excluded and 8/10 are bullied. According to the 2015 Index of Multiple Deprivation, Southwark is the 9th most deprived Borough in London. Previous projects with GPS have worked with children entitled to Free School Meals (a key poverty indicator) and those who speak English as an additional language. Children from low-income families often forgo events such as school trips, outings and extracurricular activities. More Creative is tailored to suit the needs and interests of the participants, ensuring maximum impact.</p> <p>Community benefit: Participants will have developed skills that they can take back into their homes, schools, and communities: confidence; empathy; care; positive social interaction; teamwork; communication; new and trusting relationships; shared understanding. It will have given the participants a chance to share their ideas, interact together and perform/exhibit their work to friends, family and invited guests, helping them to feel valued and proud of their achievements. Furthermore, BH/GPS's programme of activities will have been enhanced and enriched by the inclusion of More Creative.</p>	£5,000.00
554960	Leathermarket JMB parents group	Family cultural trips	<p>Our community is situated in the heart of a city known for its arts and culture. Unfortunately few of our residents ever get an opportunity to access what London has to offer. This is because admission is too expensive (especially if you have children); they perceive institutions as unwelcoming or they are unaware of what's on offer. We would like to take a group of (mainly youngsters ) to see a child friendly ballet at Sadlers Wells and a trip to see a Shakespeare play at the Globe .</p>	£1,000.00



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558362	London School of Osteopathy	Youth back care	<p>Our objective is to help younger members of our local community to healthier and happier lives by reducing a principle cause of chronic pain and disability: back pain. Back pain is extremely prevalent and yet most people do not think about caring for their back until things go wrong. Children spend significant amounts of time hunched over desks, laptops and playstations. If they do have interests in sport, they may well have sustained injuries along the way. As they move into adulthood, there is currently no screening program to pick up minor issues which may be resolved quite simply by an osteopathic intervention and some postural, exercise &amp;/or lifestyle advice. Once patterns become entrenched through early adulthood, they become increasingly difficult to resolve. We want to reach out to young people (16-19 yr olds) and offer them an opportunity to have their musculo-skeletal health screened. One follow up appointment would be available; for those who do not need this, the appointment will be given over to someone else who has more need. The intention is to try and reach those who would not normally consider asking for treatment. In discussions with parents, we find they often do not take teenage posture or back pain seriously – or consider that osteopathy might have something to offer. Also, in an area of social deprivation, it is likely not considered to be a priority.</p> <p>The project would enable 210 young people to be screened and treated. Recruitment would take place via local schools, colleges and youth centres in June / July, and be conducted in July – September to minimise disruption to study or work.</p> <p>Not only would these early interventions potentially change long term health outcomes, it would give people an understanding about self-care and increase awareness of the benefit of early intervention.</p>	£12,475.00

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558444	London School of Osteopathy	Life change: chronic back pain and the unemployed	<p>An intensive intervention package for chronic back pain in the long term unemployed. Research confirms that people with chronic pain are more likely to struggle to sustain employment. The unemployed are more likely to suffer from depression and chronic pain. Whilst there is much debate over which elements are causative and which are the resultant effect, we know that single interventions are largely unsuccessful.</p> <p>This project would provide intensive physical and mental intervention strategies over a twelve week period, to try and turn around the lives of those stuck in the chronic pain / unemployed cycle. 10 participants per cycle could be accommodated.</p> <p>Each week the participant would receive an individual osteopathic treatment, and participate in two 1 hour group classes. One of these classes would be body / fitness orientated; the other would be mind / relaxation / communication orientated. In addition, each participant would have three 1 hour individual sessions around behavioural change and motivation, with the explicit goal of returning to work / gaining employment embedded.</p> <p>Encouragement would be given for the group to start to form their own 'support network', which could continue to provide peer support and interaction beyond the direct scope of the project.</p> <p>Whilst this programme could be considered expensive in terms of personnel costs, the cost savings in terms of reduced visits to other healthcare providers, medication, and peripheral support costs could be significant. The impact on the individual person's life, and that of their families, could also be very significant. Re-engaging people in their local community may have a positive impact not just on themselves, but on the wider community.</p>	£12,410.00

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558438	Make-it-to-the-mat	Community yoga classes for Elderly, Children and Post-natal	<p>I live on Setchell estate and would like to provide affordable community yoga classes in our hall for the following 3 groups of people.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) "Young at Heart" yoga for people aged 55-80 years.</li> <li>2) Postnatal class for Mum's with children aged between 6 weeks and 4 years.</li> <li>3) Yoga for children aged 4 - 10 years.</li> </ol> <p>1) "Young at Heart" yoga is already up and running on Mondays at the Setchell and Longfield TRA Hall. Those attending are between 35-70 years. The younger group have taken up yoga - at the recommendation of their Doctor's - for specific health problems. The charge is £2 for the class and it is proving popular amongst a diverse group of people. Setchell TRA pay for the class, and can do so only for a limited period, hence this application for funding.</p> <p>2) Postnatal yoga:</p> <p>A class intended to counter the onset of Post-natal depression. Regular yoga practice calms the mind, tones the body and improves overall wellbeing.</p> <p>This would be a family friendly class for Mum's where babies are welcome and can be attended to by their parents when the need for a feed or simply a cuddle arises.</p> <p>I have 3 children myself and know how isolating it can be, and your own health gets sidelined when attending to babies needs.</p> <p>3) Children's yoga:</p> <p>Classes are particularly beneficial for children with Attention deficit disorder, or who are highly strung. Details about what the session involves can be found at <a href="http://www.make-it-to-the-mat.co.uk">www.make-it-to-the-mat.co.uk</a>. Ideally the classes would run back to back on a week day morning / afternoon when the hall is otherwise empty.</p> <p>Example of a Schedule: 9.30 to 10.30 Postnatal yoga 10.30 to 11.15 is tea and sharing child rearing tips. 11.30 to 12.30 Young at heart yoga 16.15-17.15 Story time yoga</p>	£2,920.00

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558462	OBC Youth Club	OBC Youth Summer Outreach Programme	<p>The purpose of this grant would be to provide a wide spread of estate based summer youth activities across the Grange &amp; South Bermondsey wards of the Community Council Area for young people 7-19+yrs throughout the 6 weeks summer holidays between 25th July to 1st September 2016.</p> <p>The programme will offer young people a holiday provision of 'Positive Diversions Activities' aimed at preventing antisocial behaviour and reducing the risk of young people falling into negative behaviour patterns and reducing the barriers to participation in coordinated service provision.</p> <p>The OBC Youth Club provides youth provision under a Local Authority core grant for 45 weeks of the year. Summer youth provision is additional to this service however is extremely important in order to prevent young people falling into negative pastimes during the school holiday period and to sustain relationships built during term time provision. OBC staff will work in partnership with local T&amp;RA's and young people to coordinate outreach activities from a number of estates within the Grange &amp; South Bermondsey Wards. Targeted outreach will be undertaken to encourage participation within the activities programme which will include; Physical wellbeing - Coordinated Sports Activities facilitating enjoyment through exercise.</p> <p>In house and externally coordinated competitive activities will be arranged aimed at reducing the barriers to participation and facilitating personal achievement. In-house activities will include Vocational Skills Development opportunities to gain accreditation in Digital Music Production, Rap/Vocals and Lyric Writing. Targeted issue based information Advice &amp; Guidance incorporating groupwork and 1 to 1 support on issues relevant to the needs of young people.</p> <p>The OBC programme fulfils the every child matters outcomes framework of :</p> <p>BE HEALTHY / STAY SAFE / ENJOY &amp; ACHIEVE / ACHIEVE ECONOMIC WELLBEING and MAKING A POSITIVE CONTRIBUTION.</p>	£3,704.00

**LIVESEY NORTH WARD**

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553055	Bede Youth Adventure Project	Buzz on the B&B and the Blue 2	<p>The Bede Youth Adventure Project will provide out of school activities, personal, social and educational developmental opportunities for children and young people aged 11 to 19 years, with a strong emphasis on safety and community. This project aims to continue to engage young people who live on or near the Boname and Bramcote estate. Some of these young people may be involved in antisocial behaviour or criminal activity on the estate and also on the Blue Market. The youth workers will continue to work with the young people on the streets, in clubs and settings outside of Bermondsey, in both discussion and diversionary activities, to address their current views, antisocial attitudes and behaviour. With previous funding we were able to work intensively with 10/15 young people to help change attitudes and reduce antisocial behaviour, thereby improving life for families on the estate. We are an established youth project with good local connections and are able to start work immediately. The project is still needed as there are still continued worries about bullying and drug dealing amongst parents. Educational attainment is low and aspirational expectations continue to be low. Our aim is to cement our work in the changing the attitudes of core groups of young people who can then inspire future generations to aim higher.</p>	£14,674.00

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558042	Bermondsey Community Kitchen	Bermondsey Community Kitchen	<p>Bermondsey Community Kitchen is a community led project which operates a free training facility providing a Level 1 and 2 City and Guilds Professional Cookery qualification, for long term unemployed 16 to 24 year olds who are not in any other training or education, this includes single parent's, young offenders and young people with both physical and mental disabilities. Our project will provide our students with work experience, work placements and supporting them into employment once qualified. Our support of the students will not end once they have achieved the qualifications they need as we believe that qualifications only form the basics of helping people back into employment. The project will also focus around providing the students with boosting their confidence, enhancing their communication and life skills and building CV's and enhancing interview skills. Our training facility has capacity for 32 students at any one time. Training officially began in September 2015 and the first Level 1 students are expected to qualify by March 2016. This would then allow for more students to join the course and therefore we need funding for these students. The Neighborhood Funding, if provided, would cover the costs of two students from Liversey ward to participate in our program, there training would begin in April and would be completed within 6 to 7 months. There is a clear opportunity for this type of project as there is no longer a college nearby that meets these needs as Southwark College Bermondsey was shut down. This project will link up with both the South Bermondsey Partnership and the Business Improvement District (B.I.D) both of which are aiming to improve the area of Bermondsey and greatly support our project.</p>	£5,000.00
559149	Bonamy/Bramcote	St.George's Day	<p>In 2016 we will be celebrating our 11th yr. It is an event that attracts over 400 people and is looked forward to. It brings together young and old various religions and nationalities. We hope to encourage people to take part in the community to feel they belong and to be proud of living in the area we are in. Many people help on the day and other estates often join us. The Mayor of Southwark usually opens the event and our local councillors always attend. The local football team Millwall join in with a beat the goalie competition. The fire brigade come with an engine for the children to enjoy. We have entertainment and food and we all have a good time and feel we have happily achieved our goal.</p>	£2,180.00

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558153	MPLOYME	The Business Enterprise Fair	<p>The Business Enterprise Fair to achieve the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Building strong employability networks for local people</li> <li>- Community cohesion for the vulnerable and socially isolated unemployed and low income residents</li> <li>- Partnerships with local businesses/services</li> <li>- Contribute to reducing Southwark's high unemployment rate</li> <li>- Support participants to start up their own businesses</li> <li>- Help local residents access jobs directly with the employer</li> </ul> <p>This fair is needed as the benefits system prepares to go through a massive overhaul in 2015, thousands of resident's lives will be negatively impacted. We understand that anti-social behaviour, mental health challenges, substance misuse, being previously incarcerated and pending eviction court cases all contribute to local people finding it difficult to get back into work.</p> <p>We had 153 participants attend our fair in 2015 and we would like to bring it back to our borough and support the local residents of Southwark as this is our office base. Our research indicates 13 million people live below the poverty line in the UK. Interest rates are not rising at the same rate as the cost of living. 18 – 24 year olds are the highest the group that face unemployment. From our previous feedback forms attendees have stated how comfortable they felt and how welcoming our team was, this made it easy for them to access advice on employability and business start-up.</p> <p>The benefits to the local community will be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Accessibility to services that can secure them jobs</li> <li>- Advice and guidance on business start up which can enable them to sign off job seekers allowance</li> <li>- Improved CV for those attending our CV Clinic</li> <li>- Increased confidence and self-esteem for job interviews via our master classes</li> <li>- Improved project Management skills obtained in our masterclass</li> <li>- Create a safe space and forum to express career concerns</li> </ul>	£4,995.00
557210	St Helena and Oldfield TRA	Tai Chi Sessions	<p>This is a continuation of Tai Chi sessions to make classes available to as many people as possible for holistic benefit of their mental and physical health. Studies have been done on how the mind affects the body and Tai Chi benefits both. We currently run a class once a week with the last funds we received and its about to run out which means the classes would have to stop and we have a core group who attend regularly who have all benefited in come way from these exercises . We also want to extend this core group and will be delivering leaflets within the community.</p>	£1,400.00

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557306	St Helena and Oldfield TRA	Silwood Family Hub (Stay and Play)	<p>The project aims to provide a safe environment for children, young people and their families to play, learn and socialise. This funding application is to enable the project to continue to run the following workshops:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Healthy living (exploring food around the world representing the diversity of families attending our sessions).</li> <li>2) Story telling (representing the diversity of families attending our sessions.</li> <li>3) Arts and Crafts</li> </ol> <p>We offer a unique service as it provides an open door, stay an play on the boundary of two boroughs. The project aims to provide activities to address and identified needs of the local community to improve their life chances. We aim to act as a resource for the local community providing a service which would otherwise be unavailable to them.</p>	£5,000.00
557526	St Katharines Community Projects at Silwood	Silwood Music Project	<p>We are encouraging members of the community to learn to play at least one musical instrument in a fun way as playing musical instruments has many benefits and can bring joy to the players and also everyone around them. We will help our children and young people to experience the benefit of boosting their team skills, teach them perseverance, enhance their coordination, increase their reading and comprehension skills and also improve their mathematical abilities. For the older people in the community, the music sessions will improve their memory capacity and refines their time management and organisational skills. Together, whether it's young or old, the sessions will give them a sense of appreciation and pride for music.</p>	£3,280.00



**RIVERSIDE WARD**

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558400	Activities 4 U	Ball 4 All	<p>This project is aims to reduce barriers and improve access for individuals that are classified as disabled, to have equal opportunities to participate in sport. Our objective is to give participants a positive experience within a physical activity setting. Many of the individuals that we are targeting have been isolated from sport, due to non accessible facilities, coaches that understand their disability or not having the correct equipment. Our aim is to ensure that we deliver a program that is fun, engaging and improves health and mental well-being, in a relaxed welcoming atmosphere.</p> <p>Wheelchair Basketball is a inclusive sport that is played by disabled and non disabled athletes. This project is aiming to increase opportunities for all, regardless of their disability or ability. This project can bring many families together, especially individuals that have a family member that is disabled or is unable to play any contact sport due to injuries. As a sport that is inclusive, it ensures that there are no limitations and boundaries. This can not only have a positive effect on community relationships but can also help reduce obesity or other health related illnesses.</p>	£4,875.00

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558046	Bermondsey Community Kitchen	Bermondsey Community Kitchen	<p>Bermondsey Community Kitchen is a community led project which operates a free training facility providing a Level 1 and 2 City and Guilds Professional Cookery qualification, for long term unemployed 16 to 24 year olds who are not in any other training or education, this includes single parent's, young offenders and young people with both physical and mental disabilities. Our project will provide our students with work experience, work placements and supporting them into employment once qualified. Our support of the students will not end once they have achieved the qualifications they need as we believe that qualifications only form the basics of helping people back into employment. The project will also focus around providing the students with boosting their confidence, enhancing their communication and life skills and building CV's and enhancing interview skills. Our training facility has capacity for 32 students at any one time. Training officially began in September 2015 and the first Level 1 students are expected to qualify by March 2016. This would then allow for more students to join the course and therefore we need funding for these students. The Neighborhood Funding, if provided, would cover the costs of two students from Riverside ward to participate in our program, there training would begin in April and would be completed within 6 to 7 months. There is a clear opportunity for this type of project as there is no longer a college nearby that meets these needs as Southwark College Bermondsey was shut down.</p> <p>This project will link up with both the South Bermondsey Partnership and the Business Improvement District (B.I.D) both of which are aiming to improve the area of Bermondsey and greatly support our project.</p>	£5,000.00

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558495	Bermondsey Street Area Partnership	Heritage Lives - London Bridge, Shad Thames & Bermondsey St	<p>To engage young adults (our wards have more 25-34 year olds than the average) with our local heritage across all three neighbouring areas, London Bridge, Shad Thames and Bermondsey St. In terms of heritage our areas are richly endowed, and people like it, but somehow only a few manage to engage with it. This project will provide motivation and opportunities for young adults to engage with our history. These adventure trails have been designed in partnership with outdoor arts organisation Fantasy High Street who have delivered a number of similar activities throughout the borough for More London, Broadgate Estates and Nunhead Festivals. They will create 2 different trails to cater to the needs and interests of this particular age group which we are finding it difficult to engage:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Photography Scavenger Hunt – working in teams of 3-6 people, participants will follow clues and orienteering maps to discover some of the historic and architectural features of the area, taking photographs when found. This adventure-style competitive event will culminate in a slide show presentation at the end of the day with small prizes for best images, and encouragement to share images on social media to spread interest of the area further amongst their age group.</li> <li>2. Food &amp; Drink Adventure Trail – following clues to various pubs and eateries in the areas, audience groups will meet performers along the way who animate each location and explore playful new methods to enjoy fare from local participating businesses.</li> </ol>	£4,850.00

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552718	Caryl Jenner Productions Ltd	Unicorn Play Club (UP Club)	<p>UP Clubs were founded in as a means of inviting the local community into the building at no cost to them, encouraging creativity and play between members, friends and other participants. They were designed to encourage local families to feel ownership of the building, to get to know the staff and the foyer space and encourage repeat visits. UP Clubs run every Saturday from midday, between September and July, and offer a varied diet of creative activities, including painting, puppet making and drama workshops often linked to a theme from one of our productions.</p> <p>In the first two years, the UP Club mailing list has attracted over 3,200 members (translating to at least 3,200 parents or carers and 3,200 children) with many more local residents taking part in the clubs informally. The greatest proportion of the mailing list (a minimum of 800 participants) are Southwark residents, with the remainder coming from across London. In addition to local families, community groups from local Southwark estates who work on projects throughout the year with the Unicorn via our Community Projects' Director attend UP Clubs which encourage these groups into the theatre and introduce the young residents to the facilities available at the Unicorn.</p> <p>Our aim for UP club in 2016, with the help of increased marketing activities and improved sessions, is to increase the uptake from key groups in our immediate community as well as securing repeat visits from established attendees. We also aim to work with our Community Projects' Director to encourage local community groups working with the Unicorn on other projects to attend UP clubs at weekends, cementing the notion that the Unicorn is a place for members of the local community to enjoy and interact with other Southwark families as well as families from further afield.</p>	£4,248.00

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558032	Construction Industry Trust for Youth	Southwark Budding Builders	<p>We help young people facing barriers to enter construction training/employment. Our staff will run a one year project from our Bermondsey training facility with 6 local young people aged 16-30. We work with local partners (eg Peabody, Southwark Works) to identify suitable participants. From April-Aug 2016 participants will undertake 40 hours of guided learning with our qualified Construction Trainer:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-practical skills, eg carpentry, plastering, constructing a brick wall</li> <li>-Health &amp; Safety</li> <li>-job readiness coaching (literacy, numeracy, English language, CV help, interview practice)</li> <li>-interaction with construction professionals and visits to active construction sites</li> </ul> <p>Participants will create items needed by Surrey Docks Farm in Southwark. This community contribution promotes respect and consideration for other local residents and gives participants the opportunity to improve their local area.</p> <p>Participants who successfully complete the course will gain recognised qualifications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Level 1 Health &amp; Safety in the Construction Environment accredited by the Open College Network</li> <li>-a Construction Skills Certification Scheme (CSCS) Health &amp; Safety card (a requirement for employment on a construction site)</li> </ul> <p>From Sept 2016-Mar 2017 and beyond, our Project Co-ordinator will provide ongoing support, brokering work placements with our construction company partners and helping participants move into further training/employment, creating long-term sustainable outcomes.</p>	£4,939.00

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557660	Riverside Parents & Carers Association	Soft Play	<p>Our group provides a safe environment for under 5s to play and get much needed exercise as well as fosters connections and combats isolation for parents.</p> <p>Many of the families in the area live in flats with limited play areas and no outdoor space. Our sessions provide young children with a unique opportunity to run and play in a large, safe indoor environment.</p> <p>Held in a full-sized gymnasium set up with soft play equipment, our sessions provide a space where under-5's can exercise and explore in an unrestrained environment, regardless of the weather. Children can develop their gross motor skills through the climbing frames, kicking balls, stepping stones, hula hoops, running etc</p> <p>Southwark has a poor record for childhood obesity and our sessions play a part in helping young children get important exercise three times per week.</p> <p>Babies benefit from improved motor skills and happier connected parents. Toddlers also develop social skills and learn to respect others. By having a mix of ages at the sessions (babies, toddlers, &amp; pre-schoolers) children as well as parents learn how to interact with others in a respectful way.</p> <p>Parents overcome isolation by building their own local support group; networking takes place at every session. Parents also learn from guest speakers about health, nutrition, financial and education issues. The sessions have also provided an example of positive parenting for families who lack parenting skills and who have been directed to soft play by social services.</p> <p>Our Special events sessions help further with community engagement and harmonization by combining fun, health and activity. The Sport, NHS Oral Health and Nutrition weeks each provide a focus on healthy habits for children to develop. Our Halloween and Christmas parties have been very popular (with over 100 children/party) bringing great fun for both kids and adults.</p>	£9,530.00
556655	Shad Thames Residents Association	Cleaner Shad Thames	<p>To continue work with the Council's cleaning department to improve the overall cleaning of Shad Thames and the surrounding streets by delivering more cleaning (at weekends and evenings) with better monitoring and management.</p>	£7,930.82

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558489	Shared Intense Support Service	SIS Social & Business Academy	<p>SIS would like to improve the social behaviour and increase the numbers of women in employment within Southwark. Working with high risk women, SIS would like to expand our business and social school across Southwark so we are able to reach more women. We aim to run 18 weeks of intensive workshops, that will address 24 key areas including education, ICT, business etiquette, employability skills, living skills etc.</p>	£4,200.00
558298	Southwark Park Cricket Club	Community Cricket Coaching & Development	<p>Southwark Park Cricket Club's aim is to bring cricket back to the park and to get local people playing in the Park and beyond. In 2014, as part of the park's 150th Anniversary celebrations, Friends of Southwark Park sponsored the inaugural 'Guvnors Cup' match in honour of Blue Plaque holder Bobby Abel's memory. This is an annual fixture between SPCC and our neighbour Burgess Park Cricket Club. SPCC became a constituted organisation in 2014 and has its first full season in 2015, playing matches against other Southwark teams. See <a href="http://www.southwarkpark.cc/results">http://www.southwarkpark.cc/results</a> for details. SPCC has a mailing list of 35 people and over 150 Twitter followers. The majority of our team are Southwark residents or Southwark council staff.</p> <p>Our aim is to get more of the community involved in playing sport and to improve the facilities available for them to do so. We are working with FOSP and the park manager on improving the ground and we will promote SPCC at the Rotherhithe Festival. Our application is to fund three members to undertake a Level 2 coaching course run by Surrey Cricket Club, which would enable them to be qualified to teach young people to play and enjoy the game. In 2016 we will run regular public training sessions in the park throughout the summer. We will also use the funds to buy basic equipment for the club to enable more people to participate safely.</p>	£2,400.00
556651	STAMP (Shad Thames Area Management Partnership)	Shad Thames Trail: Points of View	<p>STAMP has been operating effectively for nearly 2 years. It has held regular, well-attended events and has established a reputation for bringing the Shad Thames area to life. This project will build on our success and offer the local community more opportunities to celebrate and get involved in Shad Thames. There will be interactive activities and walks with a focus on the industrial heritage. We aim to link up again with London Festival of Architecture (LFA theme for June 2016 is Community) and with Totally Thames (September 2016). We will also continue to work with Team London Bridge and Bermondsey Street Area Partnership on joint heritage projects. This approach will give our events greater impact, widen the number of people we reach and increase awareness of Shad Thames within a wider context. STAMP events will bring together a range of local people and encourage them to explore and enjoy Shad Thames, whatever their backgrounds and interests.</p>	£1,965.00

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557861	The Salmon Youth Centre	Leap into Life Project	<p>The Leap Into Life project will engage 400 disadvantaged young people, including disabled young people who are under-achieving in school and have little parental support, in accessible non-traditional adventure based activities to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Improve their levels of confidence, motivation and engagement in other activities •Achieve physical challenges and quick youth work outcomes without much prior skill or ability</li> <li>•Develop skills around communication, team-working, safe risk-taking</li> <li>•Share unique experiences that strengthen relationships and improve self-esteem.</li> </ul> <p>There will be 7 adventure sessions per week, at least one running every evening, starting from April 2015. An experienced adventure worker will run the sessions and provide additional training to staff/volunteer leaders, to maintain our 100% safety record. Young people can gain accreditation/certification in each of the adventure activities, and eventually work towards an AQA award in climbing/abseiling if interested. These activities are often inaccessible to low-income families in Bermondsey because of the inner city location and the cost of accessing adventure activities privately outside of the borough. As a result, adventure activities are perceived as exciting and adventurous. They also provide an alternative healthy activity for those young people who are generally not interested in traditional team sports, such as football, because of levels of physical dexterity and general fitness levels and provide the opportunity and space for key one-to-one conversations with young people (which are more difficult in team sport activities). This type of youth work is particularly effective because it is accessible to all abilities and requires different types of skill and mental ability from traditional sports, with some quick/straightforward gains in terms of achievements and outcomes.</p>	£10,000.00



**ROTHERHITHE WARD**

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557222	Albion Street Steering Group (ASSG)	Scandi street markets	To continue to build on the huge success of the past 4, 3 day Scandi Christmas Street markets which have significantly helped local traders and stakeholders and endorsed Policy 30 CWAAP regarding the regeneration of Albion St. and promoting scandinavian links. Delays in the development of the former library site continue to have a negative impact on the street's overall appearance, footfall and viability of the local businesses. The 3 day market provides an enormous boost to normal daily takings of the traders.	£6,000.00
558232	Art At Albion	Art at Albion proposes a Scandi Art event	Art at Albion(AaA) is proposing to link up with the neighbouring Norwegian and Finnish Missions' Art Groups to host a Scandinavian themed art event over a 5 weeks period. AaA believe that such a themed exhibitions has enormous potentials. It would endorse the long term Scandi vision for the street. By involving the neighbouring Missions, their staff and wider communities we aim to foster more community engagement and cultural cohesion.	£1,500.00
552823	Bede Youth Adventure Project	Funday@Bede2016	This funday, supported by the BRCC, has been bringing the community together for 8 years. It is the only event on this estate that brings everyone out of their houses and into the green. It brings people of all faiths and ages and abilities together. Participating in this inclusive event will increase community bonds and resilience. The event in 2015 was attended by around 150 local residents, young people, people with disabilities, local business's and people from neighbouring estates	£1,021.00

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558460	Bizzie Bodies cic	Rotherhithe children music festival	<p>Rotherhithe children music Festival will be a fantastic music destination that embraces artistic and cultural inspiration through exploration, collaboration and creation that intentionally integrates education and performance.</p> <p>The aim will be to start with a day festival and introduce music classes in the local area with the collaboration of Southwark music hub and other partnerships who will be confirm at a later stage.</p> <p>In partnership with local community groups, local parents and music organisations to provide diverse live workshops for the children to access musical theory and practice, through workshops lead by professionals from the industry within a day.</p> <p>A fantastic opportunity to enrich the cultural and educational method of learning that creates a sense of discovery and community.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- To develop knowledge and skills using the different category of musical instruments, which are: wing, string, electronic and percussion.</li> <li>- To develop knowledge and skills through writing, composing and performing.</li> <li>- To enhance the learning of music</li> </ul> <p>The festival itself will bring a maximum of 510 children where they will attend workshops during a day in July on a ready access site of music, teachers and also the possibility to enrol for future music classes accessible for 30 children per week for a minimum of a year at an affordable price or for free (tbc).</p>	£4,900.00

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557472	Brunel Museum	Brunel Museum Summer Play scheme	<p>This free play scheme will directly benefit 40 local children, 40-80 parents/carers, and over five thousand local people will enjoy the gardens created by the children. Schools, head teachers, Tenants Associations, parents and children have expressed a need for holiday activities for young children. Time &amp; Talents' survey 'A Divided Community' identified a lack of provision locally. School play schemes are expensive and Brunel's is the only free scheme in the area. Local teachers run the scheme and organise workshops in garden sculpture, clay modelling, sports, games, dance, drama and music. At the end of each week the children prepare an inspiring performance for their parents/carers.</p> <p>Children work in new friendship groups in rehearsals and learn valuable life skills like working together. They are also making a new garden: a few years ago the area around the museum was a grot spot, daubed with graffiti and used only by dog owners. Each year the children help make an attractive garden for local people.</p> <p>In this way we aim to: Provide local children with healthy activities that are educational as well as fun. Create a garden &amp; public amenity on this heritage site. Engage our local community in a performance and celebration of the history of the area.</p>	£1,000.00
559046	Canada Estate TRA	Canada Estate Fund Day	<p>To bring together all the community on the Canada Estate, which is a multicultural estate so it is good to get the tenants together. It helps build a community spirit. We did this last year and it went so well. We had tenants who have never been out of the borough going for a great day out which forges friendship and a sense of belonging to the community. It strengthens the belonging to the TRA.</p>	£1,000.00

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557764	Citizens Advice Southwark	Ageing Well in Southwark	<p>To mark the International Day of Older People we propose an event to celebrate the recognition of Southwark by the World Health Organisation as part of the Global Network of Age-friendly Cities and Communities. We are proposing a morning workshop aimed at reviewing progress to date with creating an age friendly borough and the challenges ahead.</p> <p>We propose inviting the Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Financial Inclusion to open the workshop with a discussion of the Boroughs achievements to date and future plans to be followed by discussion of feedback from the summer's community conversation. Together with colleague organisations in the Forum for Equalities and Human Rights in Southwark with and interest in older people and Public Health we propose arranging a programme of speakers and discussions on aspects of ageing well such as keeping fit, managing on a limited budget, healthy eating etc.</p> <p>We also propose to invite relevant organisations to man stalls to promote aspects of ageing well and advice and services available such how to save by switching energy supplier, healthy eating dementia services. Time would be available for participants to visit stalls. We would aim to finish the workshop with a healthy lunch. By the end of the day we expect participants to leave better informed about the ageing well agenda and about how they can make their own lifestyle changes.</p> <p>Jessica Leech from Southwark Council attended a recent meeting of the Forum for Equalities and Human Rights in Southwark to discuss achievement of Ageing Well City Status and the Forum is keen to support Southwark's achievement and the workshop would tie in with wider activities planned for the year ahead</p>	£600.00

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557804	Create (Arts) Limited	More Creative ~ Bede (More Creative)	<p>More Creative is a creative arts project helping to break down barriers, develop shared understanding and encourage social interaction. It addresses the need for positive integration of people with learning disabilities, bringing together 10 participants from Bede House (BH) and 10 children from Grange Primary School (GPS) in Bermondsey, Southwark (20+ total). Create is unaware of similar projects in Southwark.</p> <p>In spring 2017, Create will deliver 8 weekly full-day workshops in an artform/s chosen by BH/GPS (eg dance/film-making/music), facilitated by Create's professional artists. Under the guidance of Create's artists, participants will work in mixed groups to express themselves creatively, while developing group cohesion, peer support, and trust. It will culminate in a sharing of the participants' work.</p> <p>Project need: Disabled people are often socially excluded and 8/10 are bullied. According to the 2015 Index of Multiple Deprivation, Southwark is the 9th most deprived Borough in London. Previous projects with GPS have worked with children entitled to Free School Meals (a key poverty indicator) and those who speak English as an additional language. Children from low-income families often forgo events such as school trips, outings and extracurricular activities. More Creative is tailored to suit the needs and interests of the participants, ensuring maximum impact.</p> <p>Community benefit: Participants will have developed skills that they can take back into their homes, schools, and communities: confidence; empathy; care; positive social interaction; teamwork; communication; new and trusting relationships; shared understanding. It will have given the participants a chance to share their ideas, interact together and perform/exhibit their work to friends, family and invited guests, helping them to feel valued and proud of their achievements. Furthermore, BH/GPS's programme of activities will have been enhanced and enriched by the inclusion of More Creative.</p>	£5,000.00
557274	Hawkstone Tenants Association	Plants for Jarman House	Plants to go outside Jarman House to enhance the flats now that they have been refurbished	£5,800.00

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548444	Rainbow Arts and Crafts Group	Saving Senior Art Group	We are a local Community Art Group offering older people the opportunity to develop their creative talents and to engage with other parts of their community in a non threatening social atmosphere. Exploring different aspects of Painting, Drawing and Craftwork provides a platform for creative expression helping improve both physical and mental ability..	£1,600.00
555411	Rotherhithe Festival Group	Rotherhithe Festival 2016	To produce a yearly one day intergenerational community event to be held in King George's Fields, Rotherhithe. The festival is aimed at all members of the community and will provide stalls from local community groups, property developers, Southwark Council, borough wide community groups and NHS providers. The festival will have a main music stage providing different genres such as easy listening, blues and popular classics. We will also have a free face painting and free fairground rides for children. This makes a unique free day out for both the local and wider communities of Bermondsey and Rotherhithe.	£5,000.00
558298	Southwark Park Cricket Club	Community Cricket Coaching & Development	Southwark Park Cricket Club's aim is to bring cricket back to the park and to get local people playing in the Park and beyond. In 2014, as part of the park's 150th Anniversary celebrations, Friends of Southwark Park sponsored the inaugural 'Gunvors Cup' match in honour of Blue Plaque holder Bobby Abel's memory. This is an annual fixture between SPCC and our neighbour Burgess Park Cricket Club. SPCC became a constituted organisation in 2014 and has its first full season in 2015, playing matches against other Southwark teams. See <a href="http://www.southwarkpark.cc/results">http://www.southwarkpark.cc/results</a> for details. SPCC has a mailing list of 35 people and over 150 Twitter followers. The majority of our team are Southwark residents or Southwark council staff.  Our aim is to get more of the community involved in playing sport and to improve the facilities available for them to do so. We are working with FOSP and the park manager on improving the ground and we will promote SPCC at the Rotherhithe Festival. Our application is to fund three members to undertake a Level 2 coaching course run by Surrey Cricket Club, which would enable them to be qualified to teach young people to play and enjoy the game. In 2016 we will run regular public training sessions in the park throughout the summer. We will also use the funds to buy basic equipment for the club to enable more people to participate safely.	£2,400.00

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557210	St Helena and Oldfield TRA	Tai Chi Sessions	<p>This is a continuation of Tai Chi sessions to make classes available to as many people as possible for holistic benefit of their mental and physical health. Studies have been done on how the mind affects the body and Tai Chi benefits both. We currently run a class once a week with the last funds we received and its about to run out which means the classes would have to stop and we have a core group who attend regularly who have all benefited in come way from these exercises . We also want to extend this core group and will be delivering leaflets within the community.</p> <p>The project aims to provide a safe environment for children, young people and their families to play, learn and socialise. This funding application is to enable the project to continue to run th following workshops:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Healthy living (exploring food around the world representing the diversity of families attending our sessions).</li> <li>2) Story telling (representing the diversity of families attending our sessions).</li> <li>3) Arts and Crafts</li> </ol> <p>We offer a unique service as it provides an open door, stay an play on the boundary of two boroughs. The project aims to provide activities to address and identified needs of the local community to improve their life chances. We aim to act as a resource for the local community providing a service which would otherwise be unavailable to them.</p>	£1,400.00
557306	St Helena and Oldfield TRA	Silwood Family Hub (Stay and Play)	<p>We are encouraging members of the community to learn to play at least one musical instrument in a fun way as playing musical instruments has many benefits and can bring joy to the players and also everyone around them. We will help our children and young people to experience the benefit of boosting their team skills, teach them perseverance, enhance their coordination, increase their reading and comprehension skills and also improve their mathematical abilities. For the older people in the community, the music sessions will improve their memory capacity and refines their time management and organisational skills. Together, whether it's young or old, the sessions will give them a sense of appreciation and pride for music.</p>	£3,280.00
5585b8	The Mayflower TRA	Tennis for under 12	Tennis classes for young children in the local area up to 12 places every Friday.	£2,000.00

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558508	The Mayflower TRA	Rotherhithe children music festival workshops	Collaborating with Bizzie Bodies for the music children festival happening in July at the Dockland Settlements to raise awareness about music which will lead to an introduction to musical workshops in the local area.	£1,940.00
543327	three4all theatre	Politic Man	The final stage of development of a major writing project on the life of Dr Alfred Salter and his wife Ada. Using actors, musician, director and film maker and rehearsing entirely in Bermondsey, the project will invite participation from Schools and Bermondsey Residents to share their "ownership" of the Salters' legacy. This will take the form of open rehearsals, discussion, workshops and Q and A with cast and writer. The play will then tour non theatre spaces in London. The Salters are admired by many in the area as can be seen by the huge fundraising effort for the new statues unveiled on November 30th 2014. Their history is an important part of the lives of the Community and the company is aiming to reach a wide audience to share, celebrate and learn from their achievements.	£1,500.00
558395	Time & Talents	T&T Gardening: Pitch-Ins and Teach-Ins	Building on/ learning from our previous award-winning B&R gardening work, T&T Pitch-Ins will comprise open-access, drop-in volunteer gardening on local estates, encouraging people to regularly 'pitch-in' on estate green spaces. T&T has created outstanding and award-winning community gardening 'leaders' with high levels of commitment/ skill; however, other community members say time availability, skills and confidence (which differ across class, culture, age, physical ability) form barriers to taking a 'leadership' role. Also, as residents change, leaders can be lost. Residents report difficulty subsequently continuing activities, and request greater accountability/ organisational leadership for community gardening to maintain momentum/ participation. T&T will provide more sustainable leadership and continuity, with a paid Community Gardening Lead heading up a volunteer task-force to hold 'Pitch-Ins'. Leading volunteers developed in previous T&T activities, (and new members), more 'open' activities will bring 100 people from *all* parts of the community together whatever their ability, time commitment or confidence, contributing in ad-hoc, day-to-day ways. By running Pitch-Ins regularly, door knocking, and meet ups, the CGL will be the friendly face everyone knows, helping to build community capacity/ social capital, creating new friendships/ relationships as a 'host' as well as a teacher/ leader. Additionally, we'll curate a range of outreach 'Teach-Ins' including with our partner New Leaf to provide a diverse programme building gardening interests, alongside fostering socialisation in outside spaces. A 90% outreach, estate-based gardening programme, it will offer 35 Pitch-Ins (seasonal), 10 Teach-Ins, community engagement activity (door knocking etc) and year-round coaching for volunteers. The programme will continue strong relationships with LBS services eg. Squadron, Tenants/Residents officers, and integrate with their work.	£5,337.00



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558456	TunedIn.London	Tuned In London Music Performances for Children	<p>To provide a chance for local young children &amp; their parents/carers to attend high quality music performances designed for children. The aim is to provide 6 shows in the year, in the cinema at Sands Films, (capacity about 65, more when children can sit on their parents' laps). Potentially 400 children/parents could benefit. Although this weekend morning programme would be put together with children in mind, this would also be for adults. Many parents with young children cannot attend midweek evening performances due to prohibitive babysitting costs.</p> <p>One of these shows could be part of a one day music event being proposed by Emilie Mendy of Bizzie Bodies. If another SE16 Arts Festival is organised (subsequent to the upcoming festival Feb 2016), one of these concerts could be part of it.</p> <p>Currently TunedIn.London brings top musicians to Rotherhithe. This is made possible through much passion and just enough ticket sales. Children's shows cannot be financed through ticket sales alone. Music is an important part of children's development. This is not about offering music in a classroom, but about exposing local children to the environment of a professional performance in an accessible, intimate &amp; inspiring venue.</p> <p>Attending the current programme regularly is a way to discover the world. Some of the musicians I collaborate with have shows specifically designed for a younger audience. I myself heard an Andean band perform when aged 12/13. I went on to study Spanish and travel widely: it was a key moment. I hope others can have this type of opportunity from an early age.</p> <p>10 days' work is needed and I propose to give much of my time to make it possible, as I currently do for the main TunedIn.London programme. I have been bringing musicians to the local community for over 4 years now.</p>	£2,870.00
559284	What's On in Rotherhithe Group	Reprint of the Rotherhithe Map	<p>The map, begun in 2008 as an inclusive community project has had several updates &amp; reprints funded by Southwark. It is very successful and we want to continue to make it available to local residents as well at national and international visitors. A small reprint will keep us going until the next major revision to co-incide with Canada Water completion and Mayflower 2020 celebrations</p>	£500.00

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555802	What's On in Rotherhithe Group (WORG)	Mayflower 2020 Information Boards	The 400th anniversary of the sailing of the Mayflower from Rotherhithe in 2020 is being celebrated internationally, nationally & locally. Visitors to the area will be able to appreciate the significance of the various sites.	£7,500.00

**SOUTH BERMONDSEY WARD**

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558203	(Markaz) MAN UK	Sport Day/A day family event	<p>To organise sport activity for 300-350 peoples. The activities will include football, 100m race, 50m race, face paints, bouncing castle, sack race, egg and spoon, 3 legged race.</p> <p>The project will achieve the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Building confidence.</li> <li>- Enhance community cohesion.</li> <li>- Having sense of improvement and accomplishment.</li> <li>- Sharing love.</li> <li>- Enriching the social wellbeing of the community.</li> </ul>	£5,850.00
557591	Astley & Coopers Road TRA	Astley & Coopers Road Estate Fun Day	<p>We would like to hold a fun day in Late July for the people of our estate. We would like this event to bring our community together and build on what we have already started in building bridges between the different cultures.</p> <p>The fun day is needed because we need to continue to break down barriers between the different age groups in the area. To do this at the fun day we will be encouraging the elderly and the young kids to work together to make the day a success. This will benefit our community as the neighbours will get to know one another and build a better community.</p>	£2,000.00
558376	Avondale Community Events	Picnic on the Green	<p>This project is aimed at bringing the diverse community of Avondale Estate and surrounding estates together. We will share food and laughter as a common ground. We will ask the community to bring food to share with others in the community giving everyone the chance to try food from each others cultures, share recipes and learn more about each other. Intergenerational activities will be available allowing those of different ages to enjoy one another's company and help to bridge the generation gap. We wish to run this event during the Queen Elizabeth's 90th Birthday celebrations as this would be an ideal opportunity for us to show case British values of working together and having and respect and tolerance for all backgrounds. We feel it is important to come together as a community at every given opportunity as this enables us take away the mystery/fear that often is created through the lack of knowledge of each others backgrounds. For all of the reasons given this type of event can only benefit the community we live in and share and will be of great benefit to the community as a whole as we get to know each other and our neighbours.</p>	£818.00

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553055	Bede Youth Adventure Project	Buzz on the B&B and the Blue 2	<p>The Bede Youth Adventure Project will provide out of school activities, personal, social and educational developmental opportunities for children and young people aged 11 to 19 years, with a strong emphasis on safety and community. This project aims to continue to engage young people who live on or near the Boname and Bramcote estate. Some of these young people may be involved in antisocial behaviour or criminal activity on the estate and also on the Blue Market. The youth workers will continue to work</p> <p>with the young people on the streets, in clubs and settings outside of Bermondsey, in both discussion and diversionary activities, to address their current views, antisocial attitudes and behaviour.</p> <p>With previous funding we were able to work intensively with 10/15 young people to help change attitudes and reduce antisocial behaviour, thereby improving life for families on the estate. We are an established youth project with good local connections and are able to start work immediately.</p> <p>The project is still needed as there are still continued worries about bullying and drug dealing amongst parents. Educational attainment is low and aspirational expectations continue to be low. Our aim is to cement our work in the changing the attitudes of core groups of young people who can then inspire future generations to aim higher.</p>	£14,674.00

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557952	Bermondsey Community Kitchen	Bermondsey Community Kitchen	<p>Bermondsey Community Kitchen is a community led project which operates a free training facility providing a Level 1 and 2 City and Guilds Professional Cookery qualification, for long term unemployed 16 to 24 year olds who are not in any other training or education, this includes single parent's, young offenders and young people with both physical and mental disabilities. Our project will provide our students with work experience, work placements and supporting them into employment once qualified. Our support of the students will not end once they have achieved the qualifications they need as we believe that qualifications only form the basics of helping people back into employment. The project will also focus around providing the students with boosting their confidence, enhancing their communication and life skills and building CV's and enhancing interview skills. Our training facility has capacity for 32 students at any one time. Training officially began in September 2015 and the first Level 1 students are expected to qualify by March 2016. This would then allow for more students to join the course and therefore we need funding for these students. The Neighborhood Funding, if provided, would cover the costs of two students from that ward to participate in our program, there training would begin in April and would be completed within 6 to 7 months. There is a clear opportunity for this type of project as there is no longer a college nearby that meets these needs as Southwark College Bermondsey was shut down. This project will link up with both the South Bermondsey Partnership and the Business Improvement District (B.I.D) both of which are aiming to improve the area of Bermondsey and greatly support our project.</p>	£5,000.00
559614	Bermondsey Community Kitchen Food Outreach Project	Bermondsey Community Kitchen Food Outreach Project	<p>Bermondsey Community Kitchen with this grant will provide free healthy meals to those who need it most through delivering to established food banks in the area. Our project has already made contact with local food banks such as City Hope Church and Bede House, both of which are in support of our idea and would love to be able to feed more people in need. Currently our project receives donations from a local restaurant supplier and therefore the food they supply that may not be needed for the students City and Guilds Professional Cookery Qualification is made up into healthy nutritious soups and meals. This therefore works towards eliminating waste in our local area on two levels. Our project will provide those who are most in need such as the homeless, those in hostels, sheltered or temporary accommodation, refugees, for people facing sudden crisis such as redundancy, benefit delay, illness or even an unexpected bill, vulnerable people and families such as domestic violence victims, and those on low incomes with free healthy, nutritious, hot meals. Our project wants to face the issue of every day parents skip meals to feed their children and people who are forced to choose between paying the rent or eating. Our project will tackle two urgent issues in Southwark, food poverty and food waste.</p>	£4,206.21

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558518	Blue Bermondsey BID	Blue car park	To put picture graphic on the security shutters in the car park to make it look better and also advertise businesses and council services	£3,955.00
558509	Carnaval del Pueblo Association	Salsa for all - Old Kent Road	<p>Salsa for All aims to introduce authentic Colombian salsa classes to the local community to achieve: encourage 20+ local people to come together in a shared past time inspired by the Latin American culture to stimulate participatory, intergenerational activity to create understanding and new friends amongst people with different back grounds to create an awareness of Latinos in the area and prepare to participate in and support its Burgess Park event</p> <p>Need identified:</p> <p>The Old Kent Road Community Forum and Southwark Council (Kevin Dykes) are aware of the growing number of Latin American businesses and their community in the Old Kent Road so aim to release their potential for contributing to the well being of the community. The project benefits include:</p> <p>Producing mutual interest and friendships with Latinos via the dance teachers and the wider community alike. It will begin to encourage communication and bring people together with Latinos, often marginalised and provide a platform for Latino teachers to shine via their cultural heritage and skills and get noticed locally and be valued and share their knowledge to uplift others. This need was identified by Carnaval at Old Kent Road Forum meetings where Latinos were not, represented, and Carnaval pointed out the presence of a popular Latin Night Club nearby only attracting Latinos.</p> <p>Links:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>with Las Congas Night Club (visit) and Cali Swing dance teachers (appoint)</li> </ul> <p>Time line for project:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>April: Recruit staff, agree SMART aims, agree timetable and marketing strategy and grant applications to do - recruit participants and enrol - begin classes</li> <li>May: Deliver classes, organise costumes, schedule Congas Night Club visit, capture evaluation information, stop reflect and make adjustments to keep project on track.</li> <li>June: Deliver classes, Las Congas visit, capture information, encourage wider look at Latino offer i Old Kent Road. Fund raise and submit End of Project report</li> </ul>	£5,000.00
556896	Longfield Tenants and Residents Association	Pensioners Afternoon Dance	To bring elderly people together and to make friends, with a general exercise in dancing on a Sunday afternoon as Sundays is a very lonely time for Pensioners.	£1,200.00

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546094	Millwall for All Trust	Girls Football Project (7-11)	<p>Millwall for All aim to deliver 2 two hour sessions for 80 girls who are aged between 7-11 years old only. The sessions will be delivered by female coaches from Millwall's female Centre of Excellence, Millwall Lionesses and Millwall for All Trust. This will ensure that all participants have a female role model who has progressed within football to an elite level. The sessions will also be geared to improving female participation in football and ensure that all participants are made aware of the opportunities available to female football players and coaches at grassroots and professional level of the game. The project will focus on engaging young girls from Astley Cooper, Avondale Square, Ledbury and Bromyard, Bonamy and Bramcote estates as well as the following schools such as Cobourg Primary, Ilderton Primary, St Francis School, Phoenix School and Camelot Primary Schools. By the end of this project we aim to have increased the participation levels of all young girls interested in playing football as well as ensure access to opportunity to girls wanting to develop in football.</p>	£13,440.00

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558462	OBC Youth Club	OBC Youth Summer Outreach Programme	<p>The purpose of this grant would be to provide a wide spread of estate based summer youth activities across the Grange &amp; South Bermondsey wards of the Community Council Area for young people 7-19-yrs throughout the 6 weeks summer holidays between 25th July to 1st September 2016. The programme will offer young people a holiday provision of 'Positive Diverstionary Activities' aimed at preventing antisocial behaviour and reducing the risk of young people falling into negative behaviour patterns and reducing the barriers to participation in coordinated service provision.</p> <p>The OBC Youth Club provides youth provision under a Local Authority core grant for 45 weeks of the year.</p> <p>Summer youth provision is additional to this service however is extremely important in order to prevent young people falling into negative pastimes during the school holiday period and to sustain relationships built during term time provision.</p> <p>OBC staff will work in partnership with local T&amp;RA's and young people to coordinate outreach activities from a number of estates within the Grange &amp; South Bermondsey Wards. Targeted outreach will be undertaken to encourage participation within the activities programme which will include;</p> <p>Physical wellbeing - Coordinated Sports Activities facilitating enjoyment through exercise.</p> <p>In house and externally coordinated competitive activities will be arranged aimed at reducing the barriers to participation and facilitating personal achievement.</p> <p>In-house activities will include Vocational Skills Development opportunities to gain accreditation in Digital Music Production, Rap/Vocals and Lyric Writing. Targetted issue based information Advice &amp; Guidance incorporating groupwork and 1 to 1 support on issues relevant to the needs of young people.</p> <p>The OBC programme fulfills the every child matters outcomes framework of :</p> <p>BE HEALTHY / STAY SAFE / ENJOY &amp; ACHIEVE / ACHIEVE ECONOMIC WELLBEING and MAKING A POSITIVE CONTRIBUTION.</p>	£3,704.00



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555432	South Bermondsey Community Choir	Community Choir 2015-16	<p>We are aiming for residents of all ages and nationalities from estates off the Old Kent Road to come together to produce choral music that they can perform to family, friends and other settings, and for the number of residents in the choir to rise from the current 20 to 40. The group gives a chance to meet new people of different cultural backgrounds eg Ghana, Sierra Leone, Nigeria, Bulgaria, as well as native English, to have fun practising and performing music together and to create community around the shared activity of singing.</p> <p>Our estate and those around it are among the 10% most deprived in England. In the past year, the choir has improved members' wellbeing and confidence, through working on rehearsing together each week then standing up in front of an audience. Members can rightly take pride in their performances, and audience members (eg the group sang to 100 at the Big Local Champions' Day, 40 at the Bede AGM, 30 at the local Sheltered Housing Christmas Party, 50 Christmas shoppers in ASDA, 40 at a carol concert in the Church) benefit from the pleasure of listening.</p> <p>Many choir members had never sung before, but now having been nervous but then enjoyed performing together in public, there is a strong desire for the group to continue and expand in numbers. There are other arts projects in the locality eg craft clubs, but currently no other choir. We hope to link up with the New Covenant Church choir when it reconvenes in the Spring.</p> <p>Choir members learn about different types of music, with repertoire chosen from different cultures, languages and musical genres. They learn about vocal technique and listening skills through singing in unison, harmony and by ear. Young people gain affirmation and encouragement from older members.</p>	£1,125.00
558111	Stevenson Crescent Estate TRA	Stevenson Crescent Summer outing	<p>A fun day at the seaside open to all residents of our community from different backgrounds and ages. This will allow the residents of our inner city estate to enjoy the seaside, talk to each other, socialise, children to play together, and for everyone to interact and have a good time. Some of the families living on the estate are on low income and do not have opportunities to go to the seaside. We recognise there is a need for such trips and for people to get to know each other and strengthen the community spirit.</p>	£1,150.00

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558381	The Quay Players	Half Term Youth Workshops	<p>Our project aims to make the performing arts accessible to children within the Southwark area by providing free workshops during half term and school holidays to those interested in developing a wide range of theatre skills. We seek funding to cover the costs associated with hosting such workshops throughout the year as we are passionate about providing quality theatre to all who are interested, without financial barriers.</p> <p>Our project will benefit children within the community as the skills learnt and developed at such workshops are highly transferable. Participants will have the opportunity to improve their communication skills, self esteem and confidence. Attending workshops will encourage self discipline, focus and commitment. We hope that participants will gain a real sense of achievement and empowerment from working together as a team. We enjoy working with children of all abilities and pride ourselves on creating a welcoming, friendly atmosphere for children to flourish in. The workshops give children the opportunity to make like minded friends and learn from talented workshop leaders who excel in their respective fields.</p> <p>Furthermore, the workshops can act as a taster for larger projects. If participants enjoy the workshops they are invited to take part in a larger production of Oliver! to be performed at the Greenwood Theatre in July 2016 or a pantomime to be performed at the same venue in December 2016.</p>	£1,940.00

**SURREY DOCKS WARD**

Reference	Name of your group	Name of your project or idea	Describe what the project is trying to achieve, why it is needed and how it is going to benefit the local community.	How much requesting [£]
558460	Bizzie Bodies cic	Rotherhithe children music festival	<p>Rotherhithe children music Festival will be a fantastic music destination that embraces artistic and cultural inspiration through exploration, collaboration and creation that intentionally integrates education and performance.</p> <p>The aim will be to start with a day festival and introduce music classes in the local area with the collaboration of Southwark music hub and other partnerships who will be confirm at a later stage.</p> <p>In partnership with local community groups, local parents and music organisations to provide diverse live workshops for the children to access musical theory and practice, through workshops lead by professionals from the industry within a day.</p> <p>A fantastic opportunity to enrich the cultural and educational method of learning that creates a sense of discovery and community.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- To develop knowledge and skills using the different category of musical instruments, which are: wing, string, electronic and percussion.</li> <li>- To develop knowledge and skills through writing, composing and performing.</li> <li>- To enhance the learning of music</li> </ul> <p>The festival itself will bring a maximum of 510 children where they will attend workshops during a day in July on a ready access site of music, teachers and also the possibility to enrol for future music classes accessible for 30 children per week for a minimum of a year at an affordable price or for free (tbc).</p>	£4,900.00
559181	Cllr Proposal	Repainting railings and clearing weed growth and rubbish	<p>Some of the railings are in need of repainting and/or clearing of rust and the pits beneath the old dock gate machinery are unkempt and collect rubbish. This is an important area both for local residents and tourists. The nearby residences are privately owned but the street cleaning etc. is normally carried out by the Council.</p>	£4,730.64

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557296	Dockland Settlements	Nellie's Flower Club	<p>"Nellie's has changed my life I never knew that I could be so creative"</p> <p>Weekly floristry tutorial delivered by Debbie Western, a qualified local florist. Our target participants are elderly/retired residents from Rotherhithe. The project aims include</p> <p>Tackling social isolation, learning new skills, increasing confidence and self-esteem, increasing feelings of usefulness and motivation, being more active citizens within the community and benefiting mental and physical health.</p> <p>Creating a Club that leads to creating friendships, day trips, support and more active citizens within the community.</p> <p>The club has 15 registered members. Prior to the Club's set up, members had visited the Dockland Settlement, where the club is housed requesting activities "for them" due to "not having much to do". Requests were for activities that would provide opportunities to learn new skills, be creative, feel useful and make friends. We responded to the need and Nellie's Flower Club was established in September 2015. The Club quickly reached its target group of 60+ years Rotherhithe residents and fulfilled optimum membership numbers within weeks of opening. We hope to secure funding to continue and develop this highly successful community resource.</p> <p>Development will be by "giving back" to the community. We have consulted within the group and the feedback is they would like to demonstrate their new skills to benefit the community. We have three sheltered housing schemes within the Club's vicinity. Some of our members are residents at one of the schemes. We will rotate between the schemes, donating free floral arrangements a month made at the Club. We will make links with the local library and donate floral arrangements to link in with key events: book week, themed events i.e. children's activities, "Meet the Author", "Adult Learners Week" etc.</p>	£3,792.00

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558365	Friends of Lavender Pond	Youth engagement at Lavender Pond	<p>We would like to increase the connection that local children have with the reserve, via events and activities run at weekends or during school holidays.</p> <p>Over recent years there has been a noticeable increase in the frequency of break-ins and vandalism at the reserve, it is hoped that by engaging more with local children, that they will develop a sense of ownership of the reserve, through activities and planting.</p> <p>There is a goal to have a volunteer in place at the reserve, whose role will be to engage with the local community and to run open days/activities, this project will help to fund the necessary materials for this, as well as provide training and support from TCV staff. As well as planning and implementing activities for children, this volunteer will also be working to increase general visitor numbers and run regular open days.</p>	£1,900.00

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553222	SOUNDCAMP	30 Years of Urban Ecology at Stave Hill in Docklands	<p>SHEP is effectively the world's first ecological park, the site of a 30 year community project that has transformed a bleak post-industrial area into a biodiversity hotspot and vital open space. There is almost no information available about these experiences. For the 30th anniversary in 2016, soundCamp propose a programme of collaborative research, training and public engagement to fill this gap.</p> <p>Programme - Central to this, we are seeking support for four seasonal workshops. Workshops will be enjoyable while enabling serious learning. They offer opportunities to work with international artists and experts, and practical training in oral history, archives, recording, birdsong, plant and insect identification, landscape and photography. Each workshop will lead to a seasonal walk, documented in booklets and online for future visitors to explore.</p> <p>Audience: We will work directly with 110 participants, 10 workshop assistants and 12 work experience students. 200 additional visitors will attend a May celebration event. We have letters of support from local CBO's, Southwark Ecology, MP Neil Coyle, Bacon's College, and are building more contacts via CAS. 80% of those involved will be local residents.</p> <p>Outcomes</p> <p>Participants will learn about SHEP's ecological heritage, by studying its wildlife and landscape.</p> <p>Training in oral history, archiving and recording will build local skills, allowing residents to collaborate in documenting the site's legacy, making it publicly available for the first time.</p> <p>New seasonal walks with printed and online guides will bring this material together for existing and future visitors.</p> <p>New people will discover the Park and existing users will engage with it differently, maybe as regular volunteers or Friends. These will include young people with relatively few points of contact with the Park.</p> <p>Together these activities will contribute to the Park's value as a community asset and its future security.</p>	£1,600.00

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558508	The Mayflower TRA	Rotherhithe children music festival	Collaborating with Bizzie Bodies for the music children festival happening in July at the Dockland Settlements to raise awareness about music which will lead to an introduction to musical workshops in the local area.	£1,940.00

<b>Item No.</b> 14.	<b>Classification:</b> Open	<b>Date:</b> 15 March 2016	<b>Meeting Name:</b> Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Council
<b>Report title:</b>		Local traffic and parking amendments	
<b>Ward(s) or groups affected:</b>		Rotherhithe	
<b>From:</b>		Head of Highways	

### RECOMMENDATION

1. It is recommended that the following local traffic and parking amendments, detailed in the appendices to this report, are approved for implementation subject to the outcome of any necessary statutory consultation and procedures:
  - 1.1 Middleton Drive – Install double yellow lines adjacent to junctions with Stanhope Close, Hawke Place and off street parking areas to improve traffic flow and access.
  - 1.2 Dockhead on Jacob Street - Relocate existing permit holders (G) bay and retain and extend existing 'keep clear' road markings to maintain access to the newly developed Fire Station / On Wolseley St retain and extend 'keep clear' road markings.

### BACKGROUND INFORMATION

2. Paragraph 15 of Part 3H of the Southwark constitution sets out that the community council will take decisions on the following local non-strategic matters:
  - the introduction of single traffic signs
  - the introduction of short lengths of waiting and loading restrictions
  - the introduction of road markings
  - the setting of consultation boundaries for consultation on traffic schemes
  - the introduction of destination disabled parking bays
  - statutory objections to origin disabled parking bays
  - determination of objections to traffic management orders that do not relate to strategic or borough-wide issues
3. This report gives recommendations for two local traffic and parking amendments, involving traffic signs, waiting restrictions and road markings and determination of objections to a proposed traffic management order.
4. The origins and reasons for the recommendations are discussed within the key issues section of this report.



## KEY ISSUES FOR CONSIDERATION

5. A local parking amendment (LPA) is a small project to change an existing parking restriction or to introduce a new one.
6. These tend to be carried out in locations where we have had a request to look at dangerous or obstructive parking and where small lengths of restrictions could provide a solution.
7. Local parking amendments are batched together and carried through a quarterly programme. During the third quarter of 2015-16, the council is proposing two LPAs as summarised in figure 1.
8. The rationale for each proposal is discussed in the associated appendix. A detailed design of the proposal is included.

Location	Proposal	Appendix
Middleton Drive	To Install double yellow lines adjacent to junctions with Stanhope Close, Hawke Place and off street parking areas to improve traffic flow and access.	1
Dockhead	To Relocate existing permit holders (G) bay and retain and extend existing keep clear road markings to maintain access to the newly developed Fire Station	2

**Figure 1**

### Policy implications

9. The recommendations contained within this report are consistent with the policies of the Transport Plan 2011,
  - Policy 1.1 – pursue overall traffic reduction
  - Policy 4.2 – create places that people can enjoy.
  - Policy 8.1 – seek to reduce overall levels of private motor vehicle traffic on our streets

### Community impact statement

10. The policies within the transport plan are upheld within this report have been subject to an equality impact assessment
11. The recommendations are area based and therefore will have greatest affect upon those people living working or traveling in the vicinity of the areas where the proposals are made.
12. All The introduction of yellow lines at junctions gives benefit to all road users through the improvement of inter-visibility and therefore road safety.
13. There is a risk that new restrictions may cause parking to be displaced and, indirectly, have an adverse impact upon road users and neighbouring properties at that location. However this cannot be entirely preempted until the recommendation have been implemented and observed.
14. With the exception of those benefits and risks identified above, the

recommendations are not considered to have a disproportionate effect on any other community or group.

15. The recommendations support the council's equalities and human rights policies and promote social inclusion by:
  - Providing improved access for key services such as emergency and refuse vehicles.
  - Improving road safety, in particular for vulnerable road users, on the public highway.

### **Resource implications**

16. All costs arising from implementing the recommendations will be fully contained within the existing public realm budgets

### **Legal implications**

17. Traffic management orders would be made under powers contained within the Road Traffic Regulation Act (RTRA) 1984.
18. Should the recommendations be approved the council will give notice of its intention to make a traffic order in accordance with the Local Authorities Traffic Order (Procedure) (England and Wales Regulations 1996).
19. These regulations also require the council to consider any representations received as a result of publishing the draft order for a period of 21 days following publication of the draft order.
20. Should any objections be received they must be properly considered in light of administrative law principles, human rights law and relevant statutory powers.
21. By virtue of section 122, the council must exercise its powers under the RTRA 1984 so as to secure the expeditious, convenient and safe movement of vehicular and other traffic including pedestrians, and provision of suitable and adequate parking facilities on and off the highway.
22. These powers must be exercised so far as practicable having regard to the following matters:
  - a) The desirability of securing and maintaining reasonable access to premises
  - b) The effect on the amenities of any locality affected including the regulation and restriction of heavy commercial traffic so as to preserve or improve amenity
  - c) The national air quality strategy
  - d) Facilitating the passage of public service vehicles and securing the safety and convenience of their passengers
  - e) Any other matters appearing to the council to be relevant.

### **Consultation**

23. For the recommendations in paragraph 1, the implementation of changes to parking requires the making of a traffic order. The procedures for making a traffic

order are defined by national Regulations which include statutory consultation and the consideration of any arising objections.

24. Should the recommendations be approved the council must follow the procedures contained with Part II and III of the Regulation which are supplemented by the council's own processes. This process is summarised as:
- a) publication of a proposal notice in a local newspaper (Southwark News)
  - b) publication of a proposal notice in the London Gazette
  - c) display of notices in roads affected by the orders
  - d) consultation with statutory authorities
  - e) making available for public inspection any associated documents (eg. plans, draft orders, statement of reasons) via the council's website or by appointment at 160 Tooley Street, SE1
  - f) a 21 day consultation period during which time any person may comment upon or object to the proposed order
25. Following publication of the proposal notice, any person wanting to object must make their objection in writing, state the grounds on which it is made and send to the address specified on the notice.
26. Should an objection be made that officers are unable to resolve so that it is withdrawn, it will be reported to the community council for determination. The community council will then consider whether to modify the proposal, accede to or reject the objection. The council will subsequently notify all objectors of the final decision.
27. For the recommendations in paragraph 2, this report is for the community council to determine an objection already received.

### **Programme Timeline**

28. If these item are approved by the community council they will be progressed in line with the below, approximate timeline:
- Traffic orders (statutory consultation) – May to June 2016
  - Implementation – July to August 2016

**BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS**



<b>Background Papers</b>	<b>Held At</b>	<b>Contact</b>
Transport Plan 2011	Southwark Council Environment and Leisure Network development Highways 160 Tooley Street London SE1 2QH  Online: <a href="http://www.southwark.gov.uk/info/200107/transport_policy/1947/southwark_transport_plan_2011">http://www.southwark.gov.uk/info/200107/transport_policy/1947/southwark_transport_plan_2011</a>	Leah Coburn 020 7525 4744

**APPENDICES**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Title</b>
Appendix 1	Rotherhithe Street – install double yellow lines
Appendix 2	Dockhead – relocate permit holders (G) bay and extend keep clear

**AUDIT TRAIL**

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<b>CONSULTATION WITH OTHER OFFICERS / DIRECTORATES / CABINET MEMBER</b>		
<b>Officer Title</b>	<b>Comments Sought</b>	<b>Comments Included</b>
Director of Law and Democracy	No	No
Strategic Director of Finance and Governance	No	No
<b>Cabinet Member</b>	No	No
<b>Date final report sent to Constitutional Team</b>		2 March 2016

		Local parking amendment	APPENDIX 1
Reference	14/15_Q4_002	<b>Location overview</b>	
Location	Middleton Drive		
Proposal	To Install double yellow lines adjacent to junctions with Stanhope Close, Hawke Place and two off street parking areas to improve traffic flow and access.		
Community council meeting	Bermondsey and Rotherhithe		
Community council date	15 March 2016		
Ward(s) affected	Rotherhithe		

### Local parking amendment

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### Request

On 14 December 2015 the council received a request from Cllr Cryan on behalf of one of a constituent's raising concerns about obstructive and dangerous parking on Middleton Drive.

In their correspondence, the resident stated "This is becoming an urgent issue, currently vehicles are parked in Middleton Drive blocking the access and exit to normal vehicles let alone emergency vehicles if needed".

An officer responded to the correspondence on 04 January 2016, explaining that their request had been logged and would be investigated as part of our LPA programme. This gave full detail of the LPA process and expected delivery dates.

### Location

Middleton Drive is public highway and is located in the north of the borough. Although the street is largely residential it is noted that it is within short walking distance to Canada Water underground station and Surrey Quays shopping area which makes the street an attractive parking location for non-residents.

### Investigation and conclusions

An officer visited the location on 5 January 2016 noted that there is a high parking demand in Middleton Drive. Due to the narrow carriageway width (varies between 5.5m and 5.8m), it is only possible to park on one side of the street. Site observations noted that vehicles were parked close to the junctions of Stanhope Close and Hawke Place and Timber Pond Road.

It was also noted that vehicles parking close to the junctions and on the bends had an impact on inter-visibility and access in the street.

The introduction of double yellow lines is deemed a sensible solution to prevent any inconsiderate parking and to improve vehicle access and visibility.



### Further rationale for double yellow lines on a road junction

- Ensuring adequate visibility between road users is important for safety. Visibility should be sufficient to allow road users to see potential conflicts or dangers in the advance of the distance in which they will be able to brake and come to a stop.
- Vehicles that are parked at a junction have the effect of substantially reducing visibility between road users and reducing stopping sight distances (SSD). This is the viewable distance required for a driver to see so that they can make a complete stop before colliding with something in the street, e.g. pedestrian, cyclist or a stopped vehicle.
- It is noted that almost two thirds of cyclist killed or seriously injured in 2013 were involved in collisions at, or near, a road junction, with “T” junctions being the most commonly involved.
- Children and those in wheelchairs (whose eyelevel is below the height of a parked car) are disproportionately affected by vehicles parked too close to a junction. The Guide Dogs for the Blind Association (Guide Dogs) strongly recommend that yellow lines are implemented at junctions as these are potentially more dangerous.
- The Highway Code makes it clear that motorists must not park within 10 metres of a junction, unless in a designated parking bay. However the council has no power to enforce this without the introduction of a traffic order and subsequent implementation of waiting restrictions (yellow lines).
- The proposal to install yellow lines at this junction is in accordance with the council’s adopted Southwark Streetscape Design Manual (SSDM) design standard on Highway Visibility (DS114 – Highway Visibility)



### Recommendation

Based on our investigation and conclusions, the council are recommending the introduction of double yellow lines on the south east and south west sides of Middleton Drive and at the junctions with Stanhope Close and Hawke Place.

It is not deemed that this recommendation is removing any safe parking. It is formalising the parking arrangements and improving vehicle visibility and access throughout Middleton Drive.

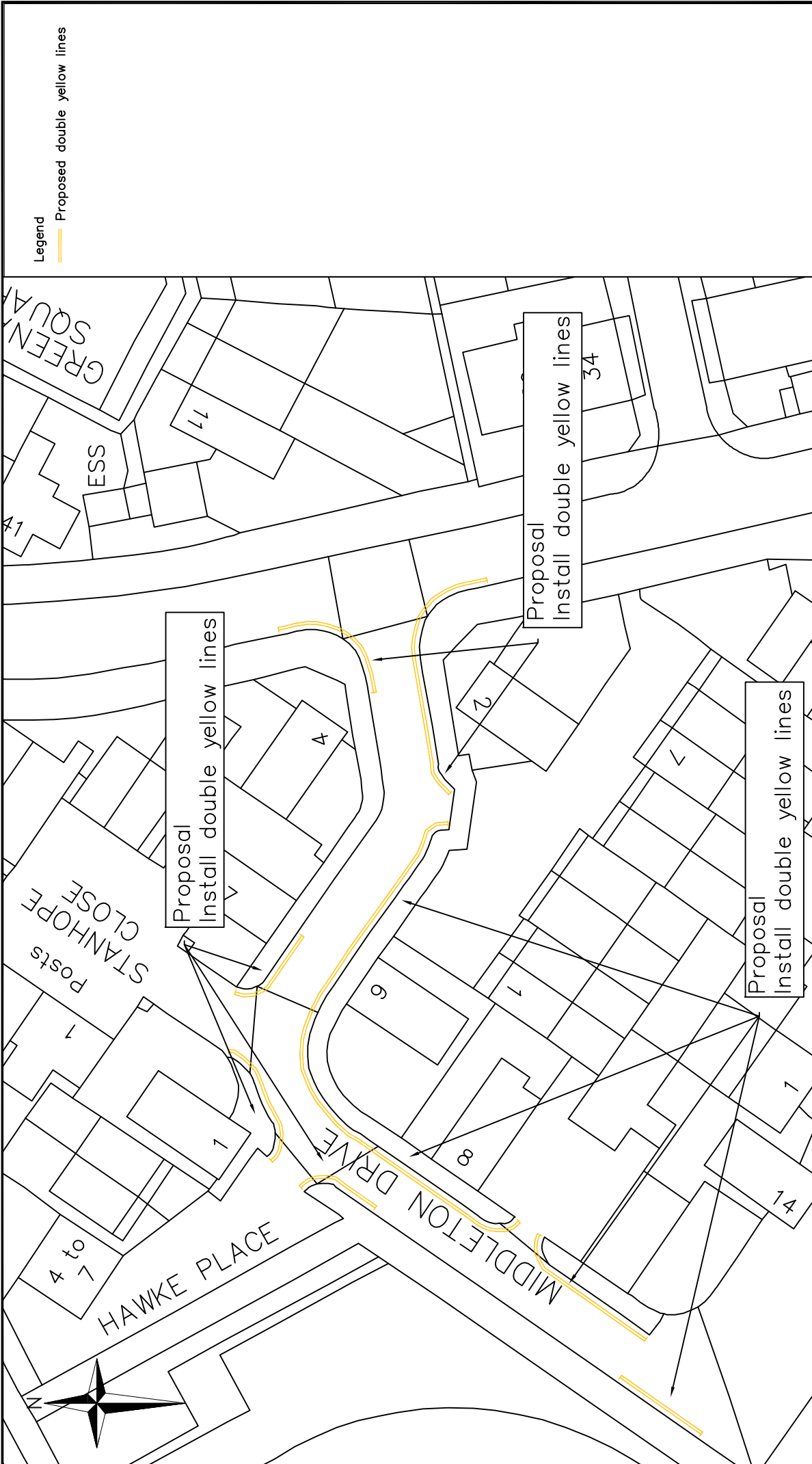
A detailed design drawing of the proposal is provided within this document.

### Next steps


Should the community council approve this local parking amendment, it is expected that statutory consultation will commence in May 2016.

Following the statutory consultation period, the council will make arrangements to install the restrictions (road marking and signage at the location).


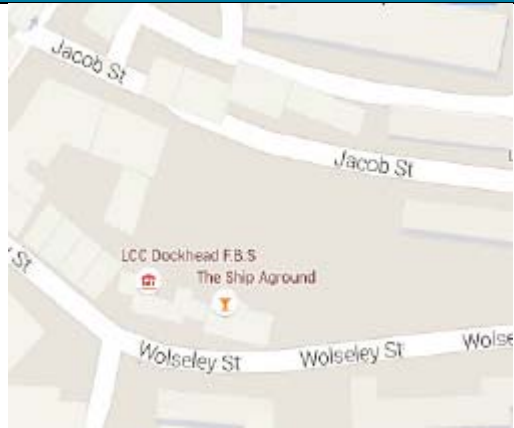
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Legend  
 Proposed double yellow lines

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		Local parking amendment	APPENDIX 2
<b>Reference</b>	Dockhead Fire Station	<b>Location overview</b>	
<b>Location</b>	Wolseley Street and Jacob Street		
<b>Proposal</b>	To Relocate existing permit holder (G) parking bay, retain and extend length of 'keep clear' road marking to maintain access to the newly developed Fire Station		
<b>Community council meeting</b>	Bermondsey and Rotherhithe		
<b>Community council date</b>	15 March 2016		
<b>Ward(s) affected</b>	Riverside		

Local parking amendment
<p>A local parking amendment (LPA) is small project to change an existing parking restriction or to introduce a new one.</p> <p>These tend to be carried out in locations where we have had a request to look at dangerous or obstructive parking and where small lengths of restrictions could provide a solution.</p>
<p><b>Request</b></p> <p>The developer was granted planning permission (12-AP-2976) on 23 January 2013 which allows a re-development of premises to provide a three storey fire station with associated covered wash down, drill tower, yard car parking and landscaping. This planning permission includes the relocation of vehicular access on Jacob Street and widening of existing vehicular access on Wolseley Road.</p> <p>Jacob Street</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• relocation of permit holder only bay</li> <li>• retain and extend length of 'keep clear' road marking</li> </ul> <p>Wolseley Street</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• retain and extend length of 'keep clear' road marking</li> </ul> <p>There will be no net loss in parking as a result of these proposals.</p>
<p><b>Location</b></p> <p>Wolseley Street and Jacob Street fall within Controlled Parking Zone G, the zone is operational Monday – Friday, 8.30am – 6.30pm and applies to a network of streets within the zone.</p> <p>The on-street parking in largely prioritised for zone (G) permit holders. There are sections on single yellow lines in the street, whilst these are controlled and enforced during the CPZ times, outside the day/hours, the restriction does not apply and any motorist is entitled to park on the yellow line.</p>
<p><b>Investigation and conclusions</b></p> <p>Relocation of one permit holder parking bay by approximately 65m to the west of its current location on Jacob Street. This would aid the turning and waiting of Fire Appliances at the entry into Jacob Street.</p> <p>By extending the 'keep clear' road markings alongside single and double yellow lines, there would be no loss of other parking bays.</p>
<p><b>Recommendation</b></p> <p>The council is recommending the retention and extension of the length of keep clear road marking (prohibition of stopping) and relocating a permit holder only bay.</p> <p>A detailed design drawing of the proposal is provided within this document.</p>



**Next steps**

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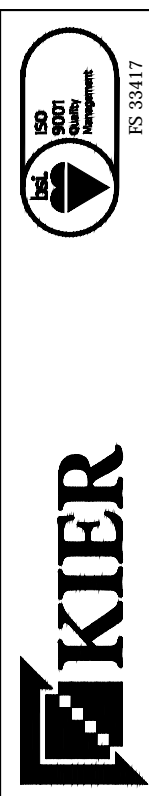
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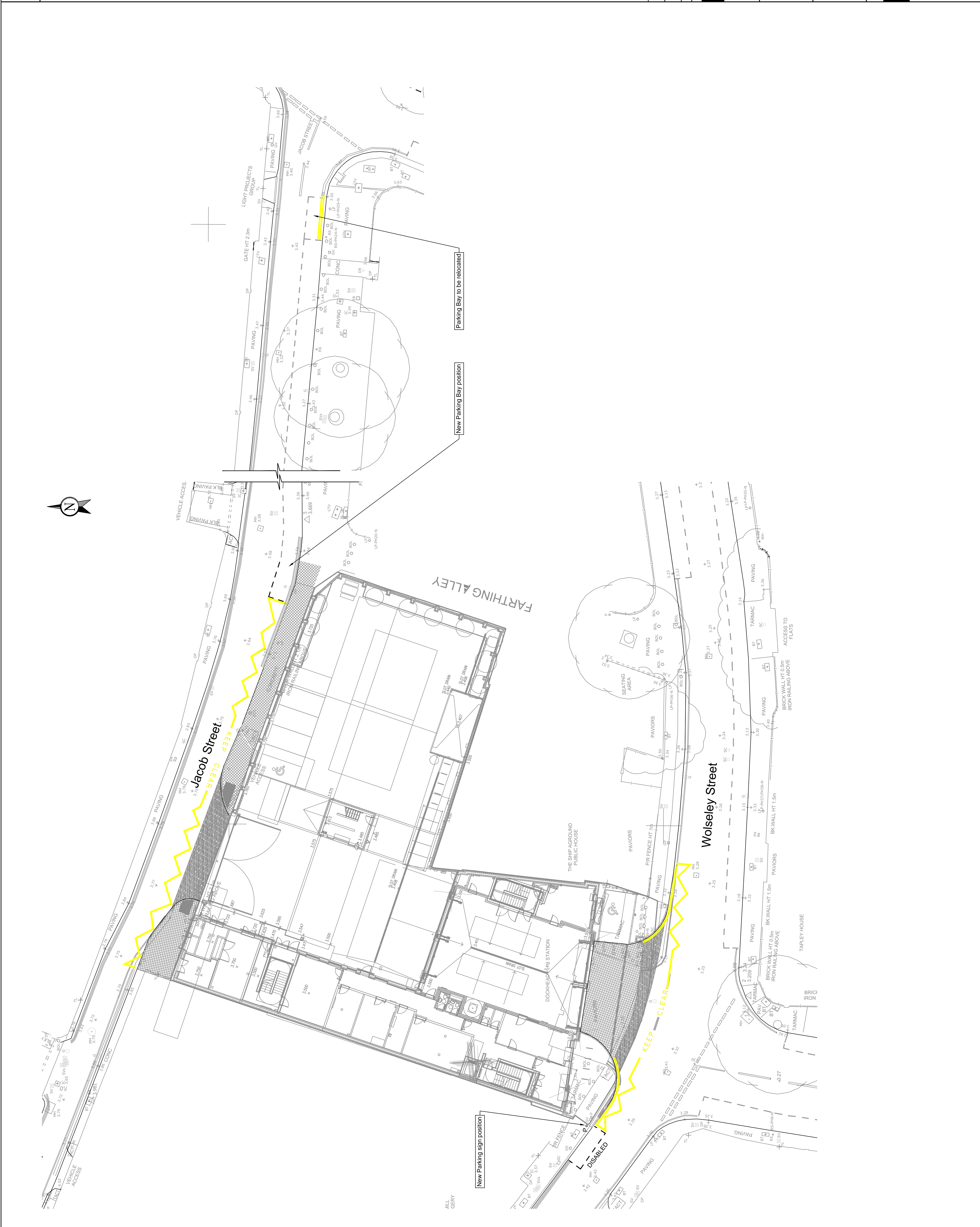
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