

**INDIVIDUAL CABINET MEMBER DECISION-MAKING**

**RECORD OF DECISION**

**PART A**

<b>DETAILS OF REPORT</b> <i>(Officers to complete this section prior to issuing to cabinet member)</i>	
<b>Title of report</b>	Cultural Celebrations Fund Grants 2022-23
<b>Decision-maker</b>	Cabinet Member for Equalities, Neighbourhoods & Leisure
<b>Earliest date when decision can be taken</b>	30 March 2022
<b>Key decision – Yes/No?</b>	No
<b>Date published on forward plan</b>	Not applicable
<b>Date sent to cabinet member</b>	24 March 2022
<b>Recommendations</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That the Cabinet Member for Equalities, Neighbourhoods &amp; Leisure approve the Cultural Celebrations Fund 2022-23 grant awards for £74,920 detailed in this report in paragraphs 33 - 34.</li> <li>2. That the Cabinet Member for Equalities, Neighbourhoods &amp; Leisure approve the approach outlined in paragraphs 39 - 44 of this report to seek a further three recommendations from the Cultural Celebrations Fund selection panel for grant awards to Black, Asian and minority ethnic event organisers to address their under-representation in the awards proposed in paragraph 1 above. This approach seeks to deliver on the council's Southwark Stands Together commitment to ensure that events funding is proportionately reflective of the demographic make-up of the borough.</li> </ol>

<b>ORIGINATING AUTHOR'S DETAILS</b> <i>(Officers to complete this section prior to issuing to cabinet member)</i>	
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**PART B**

*(Cabinet member to complete this section)*

**DECISION(S)**

As set out in report

**REASONS FOR DECISION**

As set out in report

**ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS  
CONSIDERED**

None

**REPRESENTATIONS RECEIVED**

Rotherhithe Festival

The Rotherhithe Festival raised objections to the recommendation of funding that was made to another event in the borough as they felt Rotherhithe Festival offers a better value community experience.

**ADDITIONAL ADVICE RECEIVED**

None

**ANY INTERESTS DECLARED**

*Note: If the decision-maker has a disclosable pecuniary interest in the matter the report must be referred to the full cabinet for decision.*

*Where a cabinet member may discharge a function alone and becomes aware of a disclosable pecuniary interest in a matter being dealt with or to be dealt with by her/him, the cabinet member must notify the monitoring officer of the interest within 28 days and must not take any steps or further steps in the matter.*

*If a member is unsure as to whether an interest is a disclosable pecuniary interest they should contact the governance team for advice.*

## DECLARATION

I approve/~~reject~~ the recommendations set out in the report.\*

*or*

I ~~approved an alternative course of action set out in Part B.\*~~

*or*

I ~~have referred this matter to the Full Cabinet for decision.\*~~

(\* - Please delete as appropriate)



Signed..... Dated.....05/04/2022.....

Cabinet Member for Equalities, Neighbourhoods & Leisure

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### Seeking advice

You should seek advice from the relevant officer on a number of occasions:

- (a) If you wish to consider alternative options
- (b) If you are considering rejecting the proposals

Otherwise it is at your discretion when you should seek further advice and you should do so when you consider it appropriate.