

INDIVIDUAL CABINET MEMBER DECISION-MAKING

RECORD OF DECISION

PART A

DETAILS OF REPORT <i>(Officers to complete this section prior to issuing to cabinet member)</i>	
Title of report	Culture Together Grants and Cultural Celebrations Fund Grants 2024/25 Funding Award Recommendations
Decision-maker	Cabinet Member for Communities, Democracy and Finance
Earliest date when decision can be taken	18 March 2024
Key decision – Yes/No?	Yes
Date published on forward plan	November 2023
Date sent to cabinet member	8 March 2024
Recommendation	That the Cabinet Member for Cabinet Member for Communities, Democracy and Finance review and approve the recommendations for Culture Together Grants and Cultural Celebrations Fund Grants for 2024/25 to 27 organisations as set out in paragraphs 40 and 53, to a total of £241,604.

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PART B

(Cabinet member to complete this section)

DECISION(S)

As in report

REASONS FOR DECISION

As in report

ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED

As in report

REPRESENTATIONS RECEIVED

We received two representations:

- Southwark Park Galleries expressing disappointment in the recommendations.
- Elimhouse Community Association Southwark (ECAS) expressing disappointment in the recommendations and asking for further consideration to be given to the application.

ADDITIONAL ADVICE RECEIVED

- Officers have communicated with Southwark Park Galleries and the concerns have now been resolved.
- Officers have provided ECAS with detailed feedback behind the decision made and offering the opportunity to speak about ECAS' plans for the coming year and potential opportunities on the horizon.

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.

None

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~~)

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Signed

Dated 21/03/2024

Cabinet Member

Please return completed hard copy of the form to Constitutional Team, 160 Tooley Street, PO BOX 64529, London, SE1P 5LX – tel: 020 7525 7187.

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.