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**To:** Renfrew & Gallowhill Local Area Committee

**On:** 21 November 2017

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**Report by:** Director of Finance & Resources

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**Heading:** Application For Local Area Committee Grant Funding

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## **1. Summary**

1.1 The attached appendix details an application received for LAC grant funding.

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## **2. Recommendations**

2.1 That the application for Local Area Committee grant funding, as detailed in the appendix attached to this report, be considered.

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## **Implications of this report**

### **1. Financial Implications**

None.

### **2. HR and Organisational Development Implications**

None.

### **3. Community Plan/Council Plan Implications**

Children and Young  
People

- The provision of grants to local groups supports individuals and groups to develop skills to improve personal achievements.

Community Care, Health  
and Well-being

- The provision of grants to local groups and individuals to support social, cultural and recreational activities contributes to

improved health and well-being.

Empowering our  
Communities

- The provision of grants to local groups and individuals contributes to the development of local communities.

Greener

- The provision of grants to local groups and individuals support social, cultural and recreational activities contributes to local sustainability.

**4. Legal Implications**

Compliance with the Council's Condition of Grants

**5. Property/Assets Implications**

None.

**6. Information Technology Implications**

None.

**7. Equality and Human Rights Implications**

- (a) The Recommendations contained within this report have been assessed in relation to their impact on equalities and human rights. No negative impacts on equality groups or potential for infringement of individuals' human rights have been identified arising from the recommendations contained in the report because all grant applicants must submit valid constitutions containing equality statements. If required following implementation, the actual impact of the recommendations and the mitigating actions will be reviewed and monitored, and the results of the assessment will be published on the Council's website.

**8. Health and Safety Implications**

None.

**9. Procurement Implications**

None.

**10. Risk Implications**

None.

**11. Privacy Impact**

None.

**12. COSLA Policy Position**

None.

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**List of Background Papers**

None

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	Ref. No.	Name of Organisation	Amount Requested	Number of Members	Purpose of Grant	LACs applied to	Comments
			<b>RENFREW &amp; GALLOWHILL LAC APPLICATION</b>				
1	FR1307	Renfrew YMCA	£4,000	7 volunteers – 8 members	Urgent replacement of broken boiler to allow projects to continue.	Renfrew & Gallowhill	



## Grants Summary Sheet 2017-2018

Reference		FR1307	
Name of Organisation/Group	1.1	Renfrew YMCA SCIO	
How many members?	1.11	Full Time	2
		Part Time	6
		Volunteer	7
		Member	8
Address/based	1.3	3 Canal Lane, Renfrew, PA4 8QS	
What does your Organisation/Group do?	1.10	To organise provision of recreational facilities in order to provide a safe environment and to promote the acceptance of all people regardless of disability, ethnicity, religion/faith, culture, gender, sexual orientation or social class. To advance educational opportunities by organising programmes through activities and discussion either within the premises or externally	
If your group covers more than one Local Area Committee (LAC) area, and you are applying to more than one LAC, please tell us which LACs you are applying to	1.13	<p>Geographical Area: Renfrew &amp; Gallowhill</p> <p>LAC Applying to: Renfrew &amp; Gallowhill</p>	
How much grant funding are you seeking?	2.10	<b>£4,000.00</b>	
What will this grant be used for? Please provide a breakdown of the costs to be incurred. (Please use a separate sheet if required)	2.3  2.9	<p>Recently Renfrew YMCA's Boiler broke down, we contacted our local suppliers for support to come and check the boiler and fix the boiler. Upon the boiler being inspected they have told us we need a new one. One of our core values as an organisation is about creating safe spaces for young people. As we are approaching Winter it is vital we have a building that is safe and warm for our young people, with a boiler we cannot operate during the winter as this could be very dangerous for our young people. The purpose is to keep the building heated during our winter months with a working heater.</p> <p>The need for this new boiler developed when the old one was identified broken and obsolete. The advice given was that we need a new boiler because the fan of the current one overheats and the pressure switch doesn't come on automatically, we have been advised this could potentially be a fire hazard. What's happening now is when it overheats the whole boiler shuts down but we've been advised it could be a fire safety problem should the boiler not shut down after overheating. We wish to create spaces for young people to come and be able to interact, learn new skills and meet new people. We believe we have to have a heated building otherwise we cannot run our projects. It will keep our building heated and warm for the winter months, so our young people can continue to enjoy the benefits of our projects and be an active part of Renfrew YMCA. It will add the safe and fun environment that we try to create throughout all of our projects. The outcomes will be</p>	

		that young people will have space to learn new skills; they can use these skills to further their opportunities in life. Young people will have a safe space to meet new young people and grow their peer circles. Young people will have a safe warm space to plan and deliver their projects that they are involved in. Young people will be able to invite their friends in to a warm safe and fun space.		
What is your group's current bank balance?	1.14	20,260.93		
Are there any significant items of expenditure to be set against this bank balance?	1.14	Yes All is restricted for salaries and project expenses		
Have you applied for funding from any other sources? (This includes other Council grant sources as well as external grant providers such as Lottery funding)	2.12	Source of Funding	Secured/Not Secured	Timescale for Decision if not Secured
Please briefly explain the benefit for the Local Area Committee Area if you are awarded this grant	2.6	The outcomes will be that young people will have space to learn new skills, they can use these skills to further their opportunities in life. Young people will have a safe space to meet new young people and grow their peer circles. Young people will have a safe warm space to plan and deliver their projects that they are involved in. Young people will be able to invite their friends in to a warm safe and fun space.		
Previous local grant award history – previous 24 months (for office use only)	2.13	Youth Challenge Fund	6,613.14	Computer Classes
		Youth Challenge Fund	7,169.68	The Local Youth Drop-in
		Youth Challenge Fund	2,500.00	Computer Classes
Any Additional Information/ Documents Provided with Grant Application	3.00			
Please provide a breakdown of the total costs of the project and the amount requested from this grant source.	2.11	Boiler and boiler fitting	4,000.00	4,000.00
Appendix 4 Submitted (Out of School Care Providers Only)				
Lead Officer Recommendation (for office use only)				