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Appendix 1

**Central Dudley Area Committee - 15th March 2011**

**Report of the Area Liaison Officer**

**Capital Allocations – Recommendations**

**Summary of New Applications By Ward**

**Castle & Priory**

1. **None**

**Netherton Woodside & St Andrews**

2. **Friends of Netherton Park**

Netherton, Dudley,

Grant Value Requested - £2,558.78

Grant Value Recommended - £2,558.78

Purpose – Provision of secure storage unit and equipment including table and chairs to further the groups work in running the Netherton Park Fun Day.

3. **St Augustine's Lunch Club**

Hallchurch Road, Holly Hall, Dudley, DY2 0TG

Grant Value Requested - £1,340.57

Grant Value Recommended - £1,340.57

Purpose – Provision of new range cooker and water boiler for the Lunch Club group to provide hot meals and a place to meet friends which is open to all members of the community.

This recommendation sees a contribution from Netherton Woodside and St Andrews of £610.03 and from St James of £730.54 making the total sum approved £1,340.57.

4. **Holly Hall & Woodside TRA**

Holly Hall, DY2 0SP

Grant Value Requested- £1,654.30

Grant Value Recommended - £500.00

Purpose – Contribution towards the cost of 2 laptop computers, printer / scanner and projector to improve communication between the committee and the membership

**Quarry Bank & Dudley Wood**

5. **5<sup>th</sup> Cradley Heath Brownies**

Netherbrook Primary School, Chester Road, Netherton DY2 9RZ

Grant Value Requested- £406.71

Grant Value Recommended - £406.71

Purpose – Provision of a lockable storage cupboard, catering urn and mini oven along with various toys and games to promote physical activity and life skills

**St James's**

6. None at this meeting

**St Thomas's**

7. **Friends and Residents of Buffery Park**

Sons of Rest, Paradise Road, Dudley, DY2 8NB

Grant Value Requested - £4,946.40

Grant Value Recommended - £2,159.83

Purpose – Contribution towards boiler and heating system within the Sons of Rest Building as part of the long term plan to bring the Sons of Rest Building back to viable use as a community facility.

**Consideration of Grant Offers To Be Withdrawn**

**Netherton Woodside and St Andrews**

8 **Woodside Community Association**

A Capital Allocation was offered to Woodside Community Association by Area Committee in January for £653.38 to as a contribution towards the

purchase of a sand/grit spreader and janitorial trolley.

The group have written to the Committee to explain that between applying for the capital allocation grant and the grant offer being made the group purchased the item from alternative funds and would no longer need to take up the offer from CDAC.

Recommendation - To withdraw the grant offer and enable the money to be redistributed within the ward.

### **Information To Note**

9. For all new Capital Allocation applications may we ask that all applications are returned by the 31<sup>st</sup> of March 2011