

**NORTH LINCOLNSHIRE COUNCIL**

**CUSTOMER SERVICES, SPORT AND LEISURE  
ASSETS, CULTURE AND HOUSING,  
AND  
CHILDREN'S SERVICES  
CABINET MEMBERS**

**COMMUNITY GRANT FUND APPLICATIONS**

**1. OBJECT AND KEY POINTS IN THIS REPORT**

- 1.1 North Lincolnshire Council has set aside £25,000 to help communities celebrate the Queen's 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday.
- 1.2 One request for support has been received.
- 1.3 To consider this request for financial assistance.
- 1.4 The matter is urgent as funding needs to be confirmed and in place prior to all necessary arrangements being made.

**2. BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

- 2.1 The Queen celebrates her 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday this year and many communities plan to mark this occasion. The council has indicatively allocated £25,000 to help communities in North Lincolnshire celebrate this event.
- 2.2 The initiatives requesting financial support range from large celebrations, street parties and small community events, to marking the occasion by planting a tree.
- 2.3 Many requests are from town and parish councils, but other community groups and even individuals have asked for support.

**3. OPTIONS FOR CONSIDERATION**

- 3.1 A summary of the application received is set out in Appendix One.
- 3.2 Option 1 - decide whether to approve the request and what level of financial assistance should be provided.

**4. ANALYSIS OF OPTIONS**

- 4.1 The request is to hold village picnic.

**5. RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS (FINANCIAL, STAFFING, PROPERTY, IT)**

5.1 Financial

5.1.1 The birthday celebrations grant budget is £25,000. To date, a total of £13,286 has been committed leaving £11,514 available to allocate.

5.1.2 The amount requested in this report is £110.

5.2 Staffing, Property and IT

5.2.1 There are no issues for staffing, property or IT.

6. **OUTCOMES OF INTEGRATED IMPACT ASSESSMENT (IF APPLICABLE)**

6.1 Not applicable.

7. **OUTCOMES OF CONSULTATION AND CONFLICTS OF INTERESTS DECLARED**

7.1 None.

8. **RECOMMENDATIONS**

8.1 That the Cabinet Members decide which requests to approve and the amount for financial support to provide.

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**Background Papers used in the preparation of this report**

Requests for financial assistance

**QUEEN'S 90<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY GRANT REQUEST**

<b>Applicant</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Cost of activity</b>	<b>Amount applied for</b>	<b>Cabinet Members agreed amount</b>
East Lound Christmas Lights Committee and Friends	East Lound Community Picnic on Sunday 12 June	£140	£110	£110