EXECUTIVE DECISION RECORD SHEET

Name of decision maker:		Councillor Colette Wyatt-Lowe						
Portfolio:		Residents and Regulatory Services						
Date of Portfolio Holder Decision:								
Olympic / Paralympic / Cultural Grant Requests and Recommendations								
Recommendations made and reasons: To list grant requests made in the last quarter To note those applications that are refused								
Tring Park Cricket Club								
Requested: grant of £3,900								
Overall value of project: £8,300								
Purpose: To increase number of cricket pitches								
Recommendation: To award a grant of £3,900								
Reason: The project embodies the 2012 Olympic / Paralympic spirit								
Agree recommendation [Y] Request further information []								
Leverstock Green Tennis Club								
Requested: grant of £5,000								
Overall value of project: £33,300								
Purpose: Repair and refurbishment of tennis courts								
Recommendation: To refuse application as the amount quoted for work appears to be in excess of the costs as shown in LTA guidelines, this also shows what money should be put into sinking fund. The panel also felt that if the club were unsuccessful with their application to LSG Village Association then the work could not be undertaken.								
Agree recommendation [Y] Request further information []								
Hemel Hempstead Amateur Rugby League Football Club								
Requested: grant of	of £3,724							
Overall value of project: £4,655								
Purpose: Purchase of Multi-Use Maintenance Equipment & Storage Container								
Recommendation: To refuse application as the club has large reserves which are not restricted								
Agree recommendation [Y] Request further information []								
Financial Analysis								
Approving the recommendations as laid out in this report will have the following impact:								
	Noted in this report	Budget	Unallocated funds prior to these recommendations	% of budget committed to date (including these recommendations)				

	£3,900	£100,000	£65,370	36.0%

Reports Considered;

Individual grant applications

Officers/Councillors/Ward Councillors/Stakeholders Consulted:

Olympic / Paralympic Grants Panel

Monitoring Officer/Chief Financial Officer Comments:

Monitoring Officer – No further comments to add to this report

Section 151 Officer - There is sufficient funding available within the approved capital

programme to accommodate these payments

Risk Implications:

There are no specific risks identified that relate to the allocation of funding as described in this report

Value For Money:

The grant aid criteria looks to gain additional value from supporting community projects with a small amount of resource which yields maximum community benefit. It therefore provides good value for money.

Options Considered and reasons for rejection:

Tring Park Cricket Club – there was an option not to award the grant but this was rejected as the application met the Council's criteria.

Details of any interests declared and any dispensations given by the Standards Committee:

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Date Decision Record Sheet received from portfolio holder: 24 November 2010

Date Decision Published: 1 December 2010 Decision No: PH/071/10

Date of Expiry of Call-In Period: 8 December 2010

Date any Call-In received or decision implemented: