

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Adult Social Care and Health
Date:	11 January 2021
Title:	Demand Management and Prevention Grants
Report From:	Director of Adults' Health and Care

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1. The decision:

1.1 That approval be given by the Executive Member for Adult Social Care and Health to award the following grants:

i) To award grants totalling £65,390 to cover a 2 year period between 1 February 2021 and 31 Jan 2023 as part of the Local Solutions Grant as detailed in Appendix 1.

ii) To award Age Concern Hampshire a grant totalling £20,000 to cover a twelve month period between 1 April 2021 and 31 March 2022 as part of the Rural Connections Grant.

iii) To award MHA a grant totalling £480,000 to cover a 2 year period between 1 April 2021 and 31 March 2023 as part of the Community Based Support Grant.

2. Reasons for the Decision

2.1 The Voluntary and Community Sector (VCS) contributes to improving people's quality of life. The grants programme is one of the ways in which the County Council supports the sector to support people to live fuller more independent lives.

2.2 The decision supports the aim of the Demand Management and Prevention Programme to reduce, delay and/or divert demand on Adults' Health and Care by supporting individuals on the cusp of care within their local communities in Hampshire so that they are able to lead healthy, happy independent lives for as long as possible

3. Other options considered and rejected:

3.1 Not to offer and award the grants contained within the report. This option was rejected because the grants programme is one of the ways in which the

County Council supports the sector to support people to live fuller more independent lives and to reduce the demand for County Council services.

4. Conflicts of interest

4.1 Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker: None

4.2 Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted: Not applicable

5. Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel: none.

6. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: not applicable.

7. Statement from the Decision Maker:

Approved by:

Date:

11 January 2021

**Executive Member for Adult Social Care and Health
Councillor Liz Fairhurst**