

NEATH PORT TALBOT COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

Streetscene & Engineering Cabinet Board 5th July 2019

Report of the Head of Engineering & Transport D. W. Griffiths

Matter for Information

Wards Affected: All Wards

Summary of Welsh Government Grant Approvals received for Highways and Transport 2019/2020

Purpose of the Report:

To inform Members of Welsh Government grant approvals received for Highway and Transport related schemes for the financial year 2019/2020.

Executive Summary:

To inform Members of the Welsh Government grant allocation for Highway and Transport related schemes for 2019/2020.

Background:

On 16th May 2019, the Welsh Government announced grant approvals received for Highway and Transport related schemes for the financial year 2018/2019 to the total value of £1,615,400.

The funding is allocated as follows:-

Safe routes in Communities (SRiC) of up to £333,000 Local Transport Fund (LTF) of up to £150,000 Active Travel Fund (ATF) of up to £319,000 Local Transport Network Fund (LTNF) of up to £330,000 Road Safety Capital (RSC) of up to £407,000 Road Safety Revenue (RSR) of up to £76,400

The schemes covered by the grants are shown in the table in Appendix A.

The grant has been accepted by the Director of Finance and the Director of Environment, who have Delegated Powers for this purpose.

Financial Impacts:

All of the funding has to be claimed in full by 30th April 2020, otherwise any unclaimed funding will no longer be available.

Integrated Impact Assessment:

There is no requirement to undertake an Integrated Impact Assessment as this report is for information purposes.

Valleys Communities Impacts:

No implications.

Workforce Impacts:

The works will be delivered using the in-house engineering design teams. There are no adverse impacts on the workforce.

Legal Impacts:

No implications.

Risk Management Impacts:

All the funding has to be claimed in full by 30th April 2020, otherwise any unclaimed funding will no longer be available.

Consultation:

There is no requirement for external consultation on this item.

It should be noted that the LTF and LTNF projects feature in the approved Local Transport Plan 2015-2020.

It should be noted that the Active Travel Routes have been identified in the Integrated Network Map.

Appendices:

Appendix A - Schemes covered by the Grants.

List of Background Papers:

None

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Appendix A

		Bid	Allocation	
LOCAL TRANSPORT FUND	1		1	
Neath Integrated Transport Hub	£´	1,920,000		-
Cadoxton Highway Improvements – Phase 2	£	150,000	£	150,000
EV Charging Infrastructure	£	310,000		-
LOCAL TRANSPORT NETWORK FUND				
NPT Junction Improvements Neath – Phase 2	£	330,000	£	330,000
ACTIVE TRAVEL FUND	1		1	
Active Travel Design Development		-	£	319,000
Vale Of Neath Integrated Active Travel Route – Phase 1	£´	1,337,000		-
Local – Pontardawe	£	785,000		-
Taibach To Bryn – Phase 1	£	920,000		-
ROAD SAFETY CAPITAL			1	
A48 – Margam J38 To County Boundary	£	198,000		-
A474 Cwmgors To Pontardawe	£	185,000	£	185,000
20mph Zone in the Melyn road safety measures at Old Road, Dan-Y-Graig & Hillside, Neath	£	222,000	£	222,000
ROAD SAFETY REVENUE				
Road Safety Revenue	£	76,400	£	76,400
SAFE ROUTES IN COMMUNITIES	1			
Ystalyfera Community Scheme	£	333,000	£	333,000
	£	6,766,400	£	1,615,400