

**CENTRAL DUDLEY AREA COMMITTEE**

**CAPITAL ALLOCATIONS WORKING GROUP**

**RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE AREA COMMITTEE – 31 March 2005**

**1.0 Summary of Deferred Applications by Ward**

***ST THOMAS'S WARD***

**1.1 Dudley Caribbean & Friends Association**

The recommendation is that this organization be awarded a capital grant of **£2,000.00** to contribute towards the purchase of IT equipment in the Learning Centre and refrigeration equipment for the meals preparation service.

**1.2 Dudley Asian Women's Centre**

The recommendation is that this organization be awarded a capital grant of **£2000.00** to contribute towards the purchase of new furniture and general repairs/redecoration for the Centre.

**1.3 Hellier Street Youth & Community Association**

The recommendation is that this organization be awarded a capital grant of **£2,000.00** for the purchase of a shower and kitchen facilities for the Youth Group.

**2.0 Summary of New Applications by Ward**

***CASTLE & PRIORY WARD***

**2.1 Priory Community Association**

The recommendation is that this organization be awarded a capital grant of **£2,000.00** to purchase security roll doors for the Local Action Centre, subject to any necessary planning permission being obtained.

**2.2 Neighbours News**

The recommendation is that this organization be awarded a capital grant of **£2,000.00** to contribute towards the purchase of a fax machine, a copier and

computer and digital cameras to support the development of services for young people.

### ***NETHERTON, WOODSIDE & ST ANDREW'S WARD***

#### **2.3 1<sup>st</sup> Primrose Hill Guides**

The recommendation is that this organization be awarded a capital grant of **£492.00** to purchase tables and benches to be used for meetings and activities.

#### **2.4 Netherton Woodside Partnership**

The recommendation is that this organization be awarded a capital grant of **£8,000.00** to contribute to the purchase of gardening equipment and transport for a gardening project across the Ward.

### ***QUARRY BANK & DUDLEY WOOD WARD***

#### **2.5 Directorate of the Urban Environment**

The recommendation is that DUE acting on behalf of the Committee be given a capital grant of **£8,000.00** to be used for the erection of a Youth Shelter at Dudley Wood Community Centre.

### ***ST JAMES'S WARD***

#### **2.6 St Thomas & St Luke Church (Top Church)**

The recommendation is that this church be awarded a capital grant of **£2,319.45** to purchase and install a new electronic clock mechanism for the public clock, as it is deemed to be a community facility.

### ***ALL WARDS***

#### **2.7 Dudley Town Centre Forum**

The recommendation is that this organization be awarded a capital grant of **£6,000** with an equal contribution of **£1,200** from each Ward to contribute towards the cost of installing the electrical infrastructure for Christmas Lights in the Town Centre in 2005.

This is subject to detailed information confirming the capital costs of the works, with guarantees that all the other necessary costs will be met.