

## **COMMUNITY GRANTS POLICY**

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See also:			

The Communities Committee shall meet twice each year for the purpose of considering applications from community organisations for grants from the Council.

The Communities Committee shall, when considering applications give recognition to funds already approved, including base funding, minor grants and rates funding before making allocations from the funding pool.

All decisions on grant allocations are the delegated responsibility of the Communities Committee. That sub-committee may seek comments and recommendations from the Community Board or from other members of the Council should it be deemed necessary.

### **Information required to accompany grant applications**

That applications to the Communities Committee be accompanied by a copy of a current financial statement and that the formal status of the organising body be declared prior to the allocation of grants.