SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL LOCAL COMMITTEE IN GUILDFORD



PROPOSAL FOR EXPENDITURE OF LOCAL BUDGET

Name of Member:	Joint capital fund
Name of project:	BIG YOUTH NIGHT
Organisation responsible for carrying out the project?	St John's Church, Stoke (Guildford)
Description of Project: What outcomes are expected? What needs will it address? What geographical area will it cover? Who will benefit? How many people?	Youth club activities and café food + tuck shop. We are looking to attract young people to this monthly event, to build relationships with them, and to provide any relevant information (e.g. advice or leaflets) or to make onward referrals to relevant agencies/charities where appropriate. A safe and drug and alcohol free place for young people to meet and express themselves, learn new things and make new friends in Guildford (close to the town centre). We are looking specifically at working with young people from the Stoke and Bellfields area in Guildford. However we already attract young people from Woking, Gomshall, Godalming and all corners of Guildford, and will welcome anyone. 13-19 year olds. At the moment we are averaging 45-50 young people a night, but would like to expand.
Who has been consulted?	Local stakeholders & young people.
When will the project be started and completed? When will outcomes be seen?	It has already started & is ongoing.
What is the total cost of the project? Estimate/breakdown of costings.	Up to £7600 Lighting up to £3000 Audio Equipment £1500 Consoles/TV £2000 Pool Table/Table Tennis £600 Video camera £500
Amount and purpose of proposed Local Committee funding?	Up to £7600
What alternative funds have been sought	none

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or secured?	
Has any other part of Surrey County Council been approached for this funding?	One of our young people has applied for funding from the Youth Opportunity Fund / Youth Capital Fund at the end of January this year
Has the Local Committee given funding for this purpose in the past?	no
If this project will need funding in future, how will that be met?	Fundraising by the young people & possible grants from SCC & GBC.
Area Director's / SCC Service Manager's comments	The Area Director recommends consideration.
Date of Local Committee	22 nd March 2007