



NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

AREA COMMITTEE DEVELOPMENT GRANT APPROVAL FORM

1. Committee: **Letchworth Area Committee**

2. Date: **9 Sep 2015**

3. Summary of application: **Community Sing Day**

Name of organisation: **City Chorus**

Sum requested: **£1,000**

Total project cost: **£1,550**

Brief details:

The Letchworth City Chorus are requesting £1,000 grant funding towards the cost of running a free Community sing day on 12th September in the Free Church. The funding is required to cover the cost of bringing in an internationally renowned Choir master and musical director, his assistant musical director and live musicians for the day of free workshops aimed at anyone aged 18 and above. The day will culminate in a performance of the pieces worked on during the day to which friends and family will be invited to take part as an audience.

Matched / linked funding: **£550**

Funder: **Donation from City Chorus researves**

Matched /linked funding : **£0**
or DRR
Funding in place:

Funder:

Comments from Development Officer:

**Singing is well known for its positive effects on overall health and wellbeing. Regular participation in group singing has been shown to have positive effects on lung function, posture, blood pressure, anxiety and stress.
City Chorus will be funding the cost of venue hire, publicity and refreshments from their own reserves.**

The Community Development Officer has examined this application against the Authority's Area Grants Policy, the organisation's accounts and grant history, and considers it an eligible application to put before the Committee.

Amount recommended: **£1,000**

4. Comments from Ward Members:

I support / do not support this application

Name:

Signed:

Date:

I support / do not support this application

Name:

Signed:

Date: