



NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

AREA COMMITTEE DEVELOPMENT GRANT APPROVAL FORM

1. Committee: **Royston Area Committee**

2. Date: **27 Jul 2011**

3. Summary of application: **the Kids Are OK project**

Name of organisation: **NHDC Internal Budgetary Support**

Sum requested: **£1,000**

Total project cost: **£3,000**

Brief details:

The project is to run a project over two months starting in October 2011 in which young people produce positive publicity about the fear of crime. A pilot project in Letchworth in 2010 reduced people's perception of the fear of crime by 80% according to a post-project survey. It's a partnership project between NHDC, NHH, The Royston Crow and Hertfordshire Constabulary. Approximately 15 young people will be involved in positive activities in their community, and the local press will publicise the successful outcomes. The activities in other projects have included running tea dances, gardening work for the elderly or running a charity cake stall. At the end of the project the young people and their parents will be invited to a presentation event to celebrate their work and thank them for their efforts.

The desired outcome is increased public confidence amongst Royston residents, and a greater

Matched / linked funding: **£250**

Funder: **High Sherriff of Hertfordshire**

Discretionary rate relief: **£1,750**

Funder: **NHH, Community Foundation applications pending.**

Comments from Development Officer:

Cost breakdown:

**Youth Consultant £1500
Activity materials £1200
Y Connexions worker £200
Misc, publicity etc. £100**

CDO fully supports.

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:

5. For officer use:

Amount awarded from Area Budget:

£0

Amount awarded from Dev't Budget

£0

Signed off by Head of Service

Signed:

Date: