



NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

AREA COMMITTEE DEVELOPMENT GRANT APPROVAL FORM

1. Committee: **Royston Area Committee**

2. Date: **4 March 2015**

3. Summary of application: **supporting families in stress or crisis**

Name of organisation: **Home Start Royston & S. Cambs.**

Sum requested: **£1,000**

Total project cost: **£9,808**

Brief details:

**Running a support group for families with young children experiencing stress or crisis, including Royston Family Support Group.**

Matched / linked funding: **£8,800**

Funder: **Grants**

Matched /linked funding : **£0**

Funder: **Donations**

or DRR

Funding in place:

Comments from Development Officer:

**Home Start Royston & South Cambs was set up in 1983. It is a registered charity which relies heavily on the support of volunteers. Home Start provides support and advice to families in need and holds sessions every Thursday during term time at Queens Road Methodist Church. Funding will be used to purchase materials (play equipment / activities) and to assist with costs for group outings during the year. The application is criteria complaint and the officer recommendation is £1000.**

**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: