



NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

AREA COMMITTEE DEVELOPMENT GRANT APPROVAL FORM

1. Committee: **Royston Area Committee**2. Date: **14 Sep 2016**3. Summary of application: **Funding support to assist with costs for putting on a community concert**Name of organisation: **Royston Choral Society**Sum requested: **£500**Total project cost: **£5,100**

Brief details:

Royston Choral Society are seeking funding support from the Royston & District Area Committee to assist with the costs for putting on a community concert at Royston Parish Church in November. The group will be performing Handels Messiah,

Matched / linked funding: **£3,000**Funder: **Ticket Sales**Matched /linked funding : **£1,000**
or DRRFunder: **Brian Racher Trust**

Comments from Development Officer:

The Royston Choral Society has been putting on concerts for the people of Royston since 1974. The aim of the group is to to promote public education in and appreciation of choral music by the presentation of public choral concerts. The group is a registered charity which consists of 10 committee members, 1 part time paid employee and 50 volunteers. The funding requested is to assist with publicity costs including posters, flyers, tickets and programmes and venue hire fees. The application is criteria compliant. Under the new grants policy, members may award up to 70% of the total project cost. The applicant is requesting £500.

Amount recommended: **£500**