



NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

AREA COMMITTEE DEVELOPMENT GRANT APPROVAL FORM

1. Committee: **Southern Rural Committee (Hitchwood, Offa & Hoo)**

2. Date: **17 Jun 2010**

3. Summary of application: **Support costs for setting up a Parish Web Site**

Name of organisation: **Kings Walden Parish Council**

Sum requested: **£500**

Total project cost: **£2,011**

Brief details:

The application has set out a project for setting up a new Parish Web Site. At present parish activity is centred on Breachwood Green which has 6 parish councillors to the detriment of the rest of the parish which covers 8,000 acres, yet only has 2 parish councillors. Residents live in outlying pockets, many of whom are isolated and cut off from each other and the parish activities through lack of communication. On the basis that most households have computers, such a web site properly managed would be an inexpensive way of integrating/communicating with these outlying residents.

Matched / linked funding: **£0**

Funder:

Discretionary rate relief: **£0**

Funder:

Comments from Development Officer:

The project is eligible under the 'General Community Activities' grants criteria which states "Grants are available for a range of general community activities and may be supported up to a maximum of 100% of the cost with an upper limit of £500". Members should note that as this is purely a guideline, they are able at their discretion to support the full project costs as outlined, should they be so mindful. Kings Walden Parish Council are currently implementing many new projects/initiatives to ensure it provides an extensive service to its community in the parish.

Amount recommended: **£500**

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: