



NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

GRANT APPROVAL FORM

1. Committee: **Southern Rural Area Committee**2. Date: **10 Sept 2015**3. Summary of application: **Repairs to Children's Play Area Equipment and Access Road**Name of organisation: **Ickleford Parish Council**Sum requested: **£1,190**Total project cost: **£2,379**

Brief details:

The Parish Council is seeking financial support in addressing essential repair works to various items of existing equipment within the Children's Play Area and critical repairs to the surface of the Sports Club overflow car park, which also serves as the access road to the burial ground.

The latter has several areas which currently cause problems during periods of heavy rain and are extremely dangerous to any young children passing, particularly as that section leads on to the play area.

A recent safety / condition survey has indicated rectification works to the Play Area Equipment is £1,219 plus vat and the repairs to the access road being £1,160 plus vat.

Matched / linked funding: **£670**Funders: **Parish Council Funds**

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Funder:

Comments from Development Officer:

Members of the Committee are minded to consider making an award from available grant budgets perhaps in the region of 50% of the overall rectification works.

The Area Committee may wish to note that the Parish Council is a precepting body which has the power to raise funds for such projects in its own right.

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.

Amount recommended: **£1,190**

4. Comments from Ward Members:

I support / do not support this application

Name:

Signed:

Date:

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Name:

Signed:

Date: