



Belfast City Council

Report to:	Parks and Leisure Committee
Subject:	Support for Sport Large and Small Development and Hospitality Grants
Date:	14 August 2008
Reporting Officer:	Andrew Hassard, Director of Parks and Leisure
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Relevant Background Information

To recommend appropriate levels of support for bids received through the Support for Sport scheme.

Members will be aware that delegated authority was given to the Director of Parks and Leisure for development applications requesting up to £1,000. The Director also has delegated authority to approve applications for hospitality.

The small development applications (delegated authority, June and July) are listed in Appendix 1 and 2 and the large development grants (£5,000) are listed in Appendix 3. The hospitality grants are listed in Appendix 4.

The assessment of the large development grants is a comprehensive process against a range of criteria which takes into account all aspects of the club and scoring on;

- the club's development plan;
- how the club's plan links to the sports governing body's plan;
- the sustainability of the initiative; and
- how it contributes to creating a healthy city, promoting good relations and improving services to children and young people.

Detailed applications are held in the Parks and Leisure Department and can be forwarded to Members on request.

A copy of each application will be available at Committee.

Resource Implications

Financial

The table below indicates the amounts allocated from the 2007/2008 budget.

Area	Total available	Allocated to date	Proposed allocation for July 2008	Remaining
Large Development	£ 60,000	£0	£60,000	£0
Development 08/09 (June/July)	£120,000	£38,070	£ 9,118 (June) £10,900 (July)	£61,912
Hospitality (08/09)	£ 31,000	£18,431	£ 850	£11,719

Key Issues

Recommendations

It is recommended that Members:

- note the content of this report with regard to Support for Sport small development applications and hospitality applications; and
- approve the 12 recommendations made by the Director for large development grants.

Documents Attached

Table of Recommendations

Appendix 1: Small Development Applications Table 25 May – 24th June 2008

Appendix 2: Small Development Applications Table 25 June -24 July 2008.

Appendix 3: Large Development Applications

Appendix 4: Hospitality Applications June/July 2008