



**Note of the meeting of the Neighbourhood CIL for Bath Working Group  
held on Friday, 23rd March, 2018  
in Dome Room - Guildhall, Bath**

**Meeting Attendance**

<b>In Attendance</b>
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Councillor Rob Appleyard
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Roger Driver
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Mark Hayward
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Robin Kerr
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Councillor Lin Patterson
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Councillor June Player
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<b>Apologies Received from</b>
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Councillor Colin Blackburn
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David Dixon
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**1. Alice Park Path**

**Application:** Alice Park Footpaths (Alice Park Trust)

**Applicant:** Cllr Rob Appleyard

**Summary:**

To join up two sections of pathway totalling 320 metres at Alice Park, to enable users to benefit from all areas of the park and to provide a safe circular walk for all, if delivered will proved huge improvement to the user experience of the park. The Park will be well used by the new residents of the McCarthy & Stone assisted living facility, and the many current users of the Park who come from a wider areas including new development in Ensleigh. In a recent survey of park users and wider participation the lack of suitable pathways around the park was strongly identified.

**Project Cost: £43,200**

**Funding Requested: £43,200**

**Outcome:**

The working group felt that further information was provided and were in favour of proceeding with this project:

- Parks have been consulted around the joining up of pavement and showed no real concerns.

- This park is predominantly used by families and the inclusion of works by Highways in providing a safe entrance was welcomed.
- The movement of this park to the management of Alice Park Trust resulted in a lack of investment in recent times. Increased future usage in this parks Tennis and Skate Park Facilities will be greatly helped by the works proposed.

## **2. Community Engagement Sessions by Bath Carnival**

**Application:** Community Engagement by Bath Carnival 2018-2020

**Applicant:** Stuart Matson – Bath Carnival

### **Summary:**

Offering communal activities for anyone in the city to engage, Bath Carnival helps integrate people into the areas they live. In many instances this can literally result in neighbours being introduced for the first time and ultimately having the opportunity to establish relationships and connections with one another. This project is designed to provide links to localities, by working with community leaders, schools and local charities.

**Project Cost: £364,270**

**Funding Requested: £60,273 over three years (2018-2020)**

### **Outcome:**

The working group still needs to have several points clarified before making a final commitment to this project.

- A clearer understanding of how any CIL contribution fits within the overall budget for the event.
- What specific outcomes and objectives for each year are to be met by any CIL contribution?
- What locations will be used for the community engagement sessions?
- What numbers of people are expected to be involved in the engagement sessions?

The working group decided that once completely satisfied funding would be agreed but initially only provided for the first year (2018) **£19,500**. A report would need to be completed following this year's event and a monitoring report would need to further satisfy the working group before the further two years funds would be agreed (2019 and 2020).

## **3. Forest of Imagination**

**Application:** Forest of Imagination

**Applicant:** Penny Hay 5x5x5=creativity

**Project Cost: £92,000**

**Funding Requested: £15,000**

### **Outcome:**

The working group felt this project could not be agreed and that further information would be required. The application form did not contain a full explanation of links to demands of development.