

Single Member Cabinet Decision

**Executive  
Forward Plan  
Reference**

**E 3605**

**CIL for Bath Advisory Board Recommendations Round Seventeen**

<b>Decision maker/s</b>	Cllr Kevin Guy, Leader of the Council
<b>The Issue</b>	To agree the recommendation from the CIL for Bath Advisory Board relating to the round seventeen allocation of funding (£) for one project from Bath's "neighbourhood portion" of the Community Infrastructure Levy.
<b>Decision Date</b>	3 <sup>rd</sup> March 2025
<b>The decision</b>	<p>The Cabinet Member agrees that</p> <p>The funding request of £49,905 for Ride to work by Bike, Transition Bath for implementation over a five-year timeframe.</p> <p>The initiative aims to motivate Bath residents to transition from car commuting to using electric bikes for their daily work journeys. This shift is intended to assist both commuters and local businesses in alleviating traffic congestion, reducing carbon emissions, and improving air quality.</p>
<b>Rationale for decision</b>	<p>In the absence of a Parish Council for Bath, the Bath and North East Somerset Council has a statutory responsibility to allocate the local portion of CIL.</p> <p>To agree the recommendations from the CIL for Bath Advisory Board relating to the seventeenth allocation of funding for one project from Bath's "neighbourhood portion" of the Community Infrastructure Levy.</p>
<b>Financial and budget implications</b>	<p>All projects are costed through the receipts that Bath Neighbourhood CiL that has already received.</p> <p>The applicants will complete a funding grant agreement which will be signed and returned before payment is made. Where projects are being funded through multiple payments. After the initial payment has been made, the applicant must return a monitoring report that covers the previous year's spend and outcomes. Only on completion will the next payment be made.</p> <p>Once the agreed payments are completed there will be no additional ongoing funding.</p>

<b>Issues considered</b>	Social Inclusion; Customer Focus; Equality (age, race, disability, religion/belief, gender, sexual orientation)
<b>Consultation undertaken</b>	Ward Councillor; Residents of Bath; Section 151 Finance Officer; Monitoring Officer
<b>How consultation was carried out</b>	An online public consultation was held from 14 October 2024 until 04 November 2024 on the Council's website inviting members of the public to comment on the three eligible applications. A total of 102 submissions were received. The public offered feedback on the projects and provided detailed comments regarding the applications.
<b>Other options considered</b>	The CIL for Bath Advisory Board has considered three applications that requested support from the Bath CIL neighbourhood portion, one application was recommended for funding.
<b>Declaration of interest by Cabinet Member(s) for decision:</b>	None
<b>Any conflict of interest declared by anyone who is consulted by a Member taking the decision:</b>	None

<b>Name and Signature of Decision Maker/s</b>	Cllr Kevin Guy Leader of the Council
<b>Date of Signature</b>	3/03/25

**Subject to Call-in until 5 Working days have elapsed following publication of the decision**