THURSTON PARISH COUNCIL PAPER 6 - 02.03.22

## DONATIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31 MARCH 2022 USING THE GENERAL POWER OF COMPETENCE

| Recipient             | Reasoning for request for donation                                      | Requested        | Action    | Date     |
|-----------------------|---|------------------|-----------|----------|
| New Green Community   | Grant towards the New Green Open Spaces - since March 2020,             | £2,500.00        |           |          |
| Trust                 | trust has minimised expenditure but would like assistance to            | for a number of  | Approved  | 23.06.21 |
|                       | ensure the facility is maintained for all residents for their           | years have given | £1,500.00 |          |
|                       | daily exercise  | £1,500.00        |           |          |
| Thurston 1st Scouts   | Assistance with the purchase of two event shelters to allow them        | £500.00          | Approved  | 23.06.21 |
|                       | to meet new Covid guidelines  |                  | £500.00   |          |
| Thurston Village Hall | Assistance with maintenance of the exterior of the Village Hall as      | £500.00          | Approved  | 23.06.21 |
|                       | part of ongoing maintenance. Cost is £2,000 anticipated.                |                  | £500.00   |          |
| Headway Suffolk       | Grant to give support to people in Thurston who have a neurological     | £500.00          | Approved  | 01.12.21 |
|                       | condition and need help in their own homes or to access their community |                  | £500.00   |          |
| Mid Suffolk CAB       | Grant to enable advice and support to be given to the residents of      | £500.00          | Approved  | 01.12.21 |
|                       | Thurston Ireating to a number of issues                                 |                  | £500.00   |          |
| Team Altitude         | Grant for the purchase of materials to take part in the F1 in Schools   | £200.00          | Approved  | 01.12.21 |
| c/o TCC               | competition to design, creat and race scale F1 cars in schools          |                  | £200.00   |          |
| Fresh Start New       | Local children's charity offering a therapeutic service for children in | £500.00          | Approved  | 02.03.22 |
| Beginnings            | Suffolk and Norfolk who have disclosed sexual abuse.                    |                  | £500.00   |          |
| St Edmunsbury         | To continue to provide a weekly audit service to blind and partially    | £500.00          | Approved  | 02.03.22 |
| Newstalk              | blind sighted in the area of Bury St Edmunds and surrounding villages   |                  | £500.00   |          |

| SUBTOTAL OF EXPENDITURE INCURRED TO DATE                             |         |  |
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| COUNCIL BUDGET FOR YEAR (INCLUDES £2,000 CARRIED FORWARD FROM 20/21) |         |  |
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| TOTAL BUDGET AVAILABLE TO BE DISTRIBUTED by 31 MARCH 2022            | £500.00 |  |

<sup>\*</sup> The General Power of Competence (GPC) was introduced by the Localism Act 2011 and took effect in February 2012. At its Annual Parish Council Meeting of 8 May 2019 the Parish Council resolved that it fulfilled the eligibility criteria set by the SoS (Localism Act 2011 s8) and that it was enabled to use the General Power of Competence (GPC).