

<b>Committee:</b>	Cabinet	<b>Date:</b>	Thursday, 2 September 2021
<b>Title:</b>	Allocation of Grant Funding (Sports Provision Major Projects)		
<b>Portfolio Holder:</b>	Councillor Armstrong, Portfolio Holder for Sports, Leisure, Education and the Arts		
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## Summary

1. Cabinet is asked to consider three grant applications recommended by the grants panel considered against the recommended Councils Grant Allocation Policy (Sports Provision-Major Projects)

## Recommendations

That Cabinet awards grants totalling £51,871.55 to the applications received and recommended by the Grants Panel

## Financial Implications

2. There is budget provision of £150,000 for the current year which can be allocated to support enhanced sport facility provision. Any underspend can be allocated to budget provision for year 22-23.

## Background Papers

3. The following papers were referred to by the author in the preparation of this report and further application papers are available for inspection from the author of the report.
  - Application form of Stansted Tennis Club
  - Application form of Thaxted Youth Club
  - Application form of Wendon Cricket Club

## Impact

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Communication/Consultation	Grant availability was advertised on the UDC website and open to applicants throughout the Uttlesford District.
Community Safety	Sports participation improves pro-social behaviour and reduces crime and anti

	social behaviour.
Equalities	The allocation is open to all residents/sports facilities throughout the district
Health and Safety	No impact
Human Rights/Legal Implications	The Council has the powers to award grants to organisations using its general power of competence in section 1 of the Localism Act 2011
Sustainability	No impact
Ward-specific impacts	All
Workforce/Workplace	Communities Team

## Situation

Recommended applicants detailed at the end of report.

## Risk Analysis

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Risk	Likelihood	Impact	Mitigating actions
Allocation of grants to projects does not secure their implementation	2	2	A grant will be subject to grant conditions in accordance with the major sports grant policy.

1 = Little or no risk or impact

2 = Some risk or impact – action may be necessary.

3 = Significant risk or impact – action required

4 = Near certainty of risk occurring, catastrophic effect or failure of project.