

CABINET MEMBER FOR REGENERATION, LEISURE, CULTURE AND TOURISM

WEDNESDAY, 17 May 2023

PRESENT: Councillor: G.H. John (Cabinet Member).

The following officers were in attendance:

A. Nicholas, Rural Regeneration Officer
M. E. Pemberton, Leader Programme Co-ordinator
K. Thomas, Democratic Services Officer

Virtual Meeting - 10.00 - 10.20 am

1. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of personal interest.

2. TO SIGN AS A CORRECT RECORD THE DECISION RECORD OF THE MEETING HELD ON THE 31ST MARCH 2023

RESOLVED that the decision record of the meeting held on the 31st March, 2023 be signed as a correct record.

3. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FROM THE FOLLOWING GRANT FUNDS: RURAL INNOVATION FUND

The Cabinet Member considered five applications received for financial assistance under the Rural Innovation Fund, which formed part of the Rural Anchor within the Communities and Place Intervention of Carmarthenshire's Shared Prosperity Fund. It was noted the applications had been assessed against the fund's criteria by both an officer panel and the Rural Innovation Fund and Sustainable Communities Assessment Panel, being part of the wider Regeneration Partnership, prior to their submission to the Cabinet Member for Regeneration, Leisure, Culture and Tourism for consideration.

RESOLVED

3.1 that the following applications received for assistance from the Rural Innovation Fund be approved subject to the usual terms and conditions and those specified within the report:

Applicant	Award
West Wales Rivers Trust	£44,845
Actif Communities – Carmarthenshire County Council	£45,000
Highways, Carmarthenshire County Council / Ramblers Cymru	£45,000
University of Wales Trinity Saint David – Carmarthen Business School	£45,000

3.2 that the application submitted by Menter Cwm Gwendraeth Elli be not supported on the basis it did not align with the fund's key criteria

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