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Outer South Community Committee

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Supplementary Information

Agenda Item 8 – Outer South Community Committee Delegated Budget
Report - South Leeds Archaeology Outreach Programme

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Project Title: South Leeds Archaeology Outreach Programme.

Name of Group or Organisation: South Leeds Archaeology

Total Project Cost: £478.16

Amount proposed from Wellbeing Funds (Small Grant) £478.16

Wards covered: Rothwell

Organisation Background Info:

South Leeds Archaeology has provided a focus for members of the community interested in archaeology since 2006. Activity was based widely upon practical archaeology working in partnership with other organisations. In 2015 as part of a relaunch of the group they broadened out the range of activities to include a wider range of community members, not just those wanting to pursue physically active investigations. They therefore organised a series of introductory classes about the wider aspects of community volunteer archaeology and had a very successful day conference for volunteers and professionals. The new venue at the Rothwell community hub will provide the base for continuing to outreach to the community but with more of a South Leeds focus.

Summary of project:

To facilitate a programme of speakers talking about local archaeology opportunities available for community volunteer archaeology and an introductory evening course on Community Based Archaeology. This is part of a wider programme of activities to promote membership of the group and a community interest.

The grant will be used to purchase a digital projector and screen to provide the facilities necessary to support guest speakers/courses and workshops.

See breakdown of funding required;

Digital projector	£275
Tripod Projection screen	£55.47
Carry Case	£33
Cable Matting	£35
VAT	£79.69
Total Costs	£478.16

Community Committee Plan Priorities: This proposal supports the Community Committee priority: ***“Best City for Communities- “Residents have the opportunity to become involved in culture; Communities are empowered and engaged; People get on well together; Have an asset base which is fit for purpose.***

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