

## **REPORT OF THE LEADER**

### **GIRLS BRIGADE – 125<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY EVENT**

#### **Purpose of the Report**

1. To seek approval for hospitality at an event at County Hall on Monday 10 December 2018 at 6.00 – 8.30 pm.

#### **Information**

2. The Girls Brigade national organisation is celebrating its 125<sup>th</sup> year of existence. It has operated in Nottinghamshire since 1926 with 8 groups currently having over 300 members.
3. The Chairman and Vice-Chairman have agreed to host a celebration event on 10<sup>th</sup> December at County Hall to showcase the positive work which the Girls Brigade has undertaken in the past and in this, the organisation's 125<sup>th</sup> year of existence. The celebrations this year have focussed on three simple themes, based around the organisation's overall aim to raise hope within communities:-
  - Give Hope – with groups encouraged to undertake a social action initiative that makes a difference
  - Build Hope – by launching new groups and expanding existing memberships
  - Celebrate Hope – by sharing the impact of the Girls Brigade in the past, present and future.
4. There will be 125 representatives (young people and adults) of the local groups attending the event from Nuthall, Arnold, Daybrook, Mapperley, Beeston, Stapleford, Kirkby-in-Ashfield and Lenton.
5. The Chairman and Vice-Chairman will host the event and it is proposed that the Chairman and Vice-Chairmen of Children and Young People's Committee be invited to attend. The various political Group Leaders will also be invited to attend or send a representative from their group.
6. It is proposed that refreshments, sandwiches and cakes be served at the event with the estimated costs being £620.

#### **Other Options Considered**

7. To not provide hospitality at this event.

**Reason/s for Recommendation/s**

8. To seek approval for expenditure from the Corporate Hospitality budget.

**Statutory and Policy Implications**

9. This report has been compiled after consideration of implications in respect of crime and disorder, data protection and information governance, finance, human resources, human rights, the NHS Constitution (public health services), the public sector equality duty, safeguarding of children and adults at risk, service users, smarter working, sustainability and the environment and where such implications are material they are described below. Appropriate consultation has been undertaken and advice sought on these issues as required.

**Financial Implications**

10. The estimated cost of holding the event will be £620.

**RECOMMENDATION/S**

1) That approval be given to provide hospitality at the Girls Brigade 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Event on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December at County Hall.

**COUNCILLOR MRS KAY CUTTS MBE**  
**Leader of the County Council**

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**Constitutional Comments (SLB 03/10/2018)**

11. Policy Committee is the appropriate body to consider the content of this report - TBC

**Financial Comments (SES 02/10/2018)**

12. The financial implications are set out in paragraph 10 of the report.

**Background Papers and Published Documents**

Except for previously published documents, which will be available elsewhere, the documents listed here will be available for inspection in accordance with Section 100D of the Local Government Act 1972.

- None

## **Electoral Division(s) and Member(s) Affected**

- All