## **EXTRACT FROM**

## REDDITCH TOWNS DEAL BOARD – 19<sup>tth</sup> JANUARY 2023 Notes of the Meeting

## 8. LOOK AHEAD

Peter updated the Board on the UK Shared Prosperity Fund and advised that we were waiting for final list to go through of approved projects for 22/23 and 24/25 with funding of £2.5m. This was massively over subscribed - £4m of projects were put forward. Georgina currently looking at the list and then to be approved.

Leigh asked for feedback on recent meeting. Julia stated that the information was well <u>presented</u> and conversations held about some projects being scaled down. Georgina to come back with a definitive list.

Peter Sugg reiterated Julia's comments and stated it was a strong robust process.

Muj stated there were a lot of viable projects proposed and having spoken to Georgina, addressing questions raised and awaiting to finalise reports. It was commented that year 3 was quite heavily overspent.

It was agreed that congratulations to go to Georgina on what was a massive amount of work.

Ruth advised because of time scales for year 1 spend, it would need agreement by email rather than at the next meeting. Peter agreed and email to be expected from Georgina that needed turning round quite quickly.

Georgina