

<b>CONSENT TO URGENT DECISION</b>	<b>PART 1</b> (to be completed by the person seeking consent)	
<b>Proposed Decision Maker</b> <i>(please name person or body proposing to take decision, if an officer also state title)</i> Cllr John Horner, Portfolio Holder for Community Safety	<b>Date for Decision</b> 28/02/17	
<b>Title:</b> Approval for Submitting Grant Applications related to Domestic Violence and Abuse		
<b>Summary of matter</b>  Request for approval to submit bids for Domestic Violence and abuse funding from DCLG		

**Proposed Decision:** The Portfolio Holder for Community Safety approves the submission of grant funding bids on behalf of the County Council in connection with Domestic Violence and Abuse. One Grant Bid equates to one off funding of £99,000. A second grant is for funding for three years expected to be in the region of £200,000 per year.

**Reasons for urgency**

Officers were unaware due to an oversight of the need for Portfolio Holder approval prior to submitting bids for grant Funding. This matter has now been brought to the attention of Officers. The deadline for submitting the bid is 1<sup>st</sup> March 2017 hence the request for use of the 'urgency' procedure.

**Would the recommended decision be contrary to the Budget and Policy Framework?** *[please identify relevant plan/budget provision]*

No

**PART 2** (to be completed by the person giving consent)

<b>Name</b>	<b>Councillor: Philip Johnson</b>
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<b>Office Held</b>	<b>Chair of Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee</b>
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<b>Date consent is given</b>	<b>22 February 2017</b>
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