






# TILBURY TOWNS FUND

Accelerated Funds Update

June 2021


<b>Tilbury Youth Centre</b>	
Project Description:	Provision of essential equipment required by the youth services to continue to provide support to youth in Tilbury whilst in their temporary accommodation following their permanent site being deemed uninhabitable
Funding	Original allocation - £40,000 Spent – All
Progress Update:	Completed. All items have been purchased for the Youth Centre as requested. High speed broadband has been installed and CCTV.
Images:	
	
Comments:	All items have been purchased and installed. There is a delay with the CCTV being made active and IT are resolving some issues with Wi-Fi connection.


<b>Tilbury Old Fire Station Demolition</b>	
Project Description:	Demolition of the Tilbury Old Fire Station ahead of the development of the Tilbury Integrated Medical Centre
Funding	Towns Fund Allocation - £150,000 Council Match Funding - £150,000
Progress Update:	Works on site, completion end July
Pictures	
	
Comments:	Building substantially demolished, some remediation work to be completed.

<b>Outdoor Gym King George's Fields aka Daisy Fields</b>	
Project Description:	Installation of Outdoor Gym equipment at locations across the park.
Funding:	Allocation - £45,000
	Committed - £39,018
Progress Update:	Completed
Images	
	
Comments:	The Parkour equipment was vandalised (arson) in June 2021 shortly after opening. Officers are investigating whether budget is available to repair the damage.

<b>Park Run King George's Fields aka Daisy Fields</b>	
Project Description:	Parkrun is a scheme to encourage increased activity amongst residents where they are motivated to attend events at local parks. Parkrun co-fund and will invest an additional £3k
Funding:	Original Allocation - £7300
	Cost Incorporated into Street Tag
Progress Update:	Activities commissioned and will commence shortly.

<b>Street Tag King George's Fields aka Daisy Fields</b>	
Project Description:	To run street cricket sessions and other various street sports activities in Tilbury as part of the Tilbury Town Accelerator Fund.
Funding:	Original Allocation £32,000
	New Allocation - £36,000
Progress Update:	Activities commissioned and will commence shortly.

<b>Fitness Trail King George's Fields aka Daisy Fields</b>	
Project Description:	1k, 3k and 5k (Total 8k) Tilbury Trails that can also be used for exercise
Funding:	Original Allocation £45,000
	New Allocation £67,166
Progress Update:	Completed
Images	
	

<b>Tilbury Towns Fund Hub</b>	
Project Description:	Use and fit out of vacant unit to provide accessible location for community engagement and information on Towns Fund.
Funding	Original Allocation - £75,000
Progress Update:	Create a Town Fund Hub to be a focus for engagement and community activity (current site being considered GF Centurian House, Civic Square) This scheme will be up to £75k. The unit is of sufficient size to accommodate 1-2-1 sessions to assist locals in getting help back into employment. The office will also house Town Boards engagement activity including exhibitions, information and facility for informal engagement based on the 'front room' approach which suits some forms of engagement better than formalised surveys.
Images	
	
Comments:	Currently waiting on response from the landowner on the proposed scheme and planning review.

<b>Tilbury Shop front Scheme</b>	
Project Description:	Support match for CLLD shopfront improvement or business support schemes. Renew shop fronts in Tilbury with the match bid funding from the CLLD
Funding	Original allocation - £70,000
	CLLD Match Funding - £30,000
Progress Update:	The Economic Development team is relaunching the Tilbury Shop Front Scheme. This scheme in conjunction with the Tilbury Towns Fund will be provide business owners with greater support by providing further match funding reducing their contributions. As part of the Covid Recovery shops taking up the scheme will benefit from some contributions to making their business Covid secure.