



DERBY CITY COUNCIL

**COUNCIL CABINET**  
**17 MAY 2005**

Report of the Director of Corporate Services

## **Twinning Grant – Derby City Football League**

### **RECOMMENDATION**

1. To approve a twinning grant of £1,100 to Derby City Football League who are visiting their counterparts in Osnabrück in May 2005.

### **REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION**

2. The visit is eligible for assistance under the Council's Scheme.

### **SUPPORTING INFORMATION**

- 3.1 The Council's Scheme of Assistance for eligible youth groups taking part in twinning arrangements, provides for an allowance towards travel costs of £35 per person, subject to a maximum of £1,100 and towards out of pocket expenses an allowance of £2.50 per day per person, subject to a maximum of £750. To be eligible, groups have to be made up of at least 75% of people living in Derby and the purpose of the visit has to be sporting, educational, cultural or recreational.
- 3.2 Derby City Football League intend to take a group of sixteen young people and six adult helpers to play against their counterparts, Blau Weiss Schinkel, and to take part in a local football tournament in Osnabrück.
- 3.3 The group is entitled to:

Travel	22 x £35	=	£ 770
Out of pocket	22 x £2.50 x 6 days	=	330
Total		=	<u>1100</u>

### **OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED**

4. None

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#### **Background papers:**

Application form dated 27 April 2005

#### **List of appendices:**

Appendix 1 – Implications

<b>IMPLICATIONS</b>
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**Financial**

1. The grant can be contained in the Twinning Grant budget for 2005/06.

**Legal**

2. None.

**Personnel**

3. None.

**Equalities impact**

4. None.

**Corporate objectives and priorities for change**

5. None directly arising.