

REPORT TO: POLICY & RESOURCES COMMITTEE – 8 June 2015

REPORT ON: RELIEF OF RATES - CHARITY RELIEF

REPORT BY: DIRECTOR OF CORPORATE SERVICES

REPORT NO: 220 - 2015

1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

The purpose of this report is to seek approval from Committee on the requests received for Charity Relief on Non-Domestic properties in respect of the applications outlined in appendix 1.

2.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Council agrees to recommendations as outlined in appendix 1. This report makes recommendations based on the Council's agreed policies.

3.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

This Council directly incurs the cost of 25% of the amount granted as Discretionary Relief apart from that which is granted to Sports Clubs which is 100% funded from the Non-Domestic Rates pool.

4.0 MAIN TEXT

The Council's policy on granting Charity Relief on Non-Domestic properties have been set and amended in line with the reports noted below:-

- Article II of the Minute of Meeting of the Finance Committee of 10th June 1996. Report No 149-1996 refers.
- Article IV of the Minute of Meeting of the Policy and Resources Committee of 9th February 2004. Report no 117-2004 refers.
- Article II of the Minute of Meeting of the Policy and Resources committee of 14th August 2006. Report no 468-2006 refers.

5.0 POLICY IMPLICATIONS

This report has been screened for any policy implications in respect of Sustainability, Strategic Environmental Assessment, Anti Poverty, Risk Management and Equality Impact Assessment. The Equality Impact Assessment has been carried out. Article IV of the Minute of Meeting of the Policy and Resources Committee of 13th September, 2010, Report No 433-2010 refers.

6.0 CONSULTATION

The Chief Executive and the Head of Democratic Legal Services have been consulted in the preparation of this report.

7.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

None

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APPENDIX 1

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SUBJECT: RELIEF OF RATES

APPLICANT	SUBJECTS	UNIFIED BUSINESS RATE PAYABLE £	REMARKS	RECOMMENDATION	ANNUAL COST TO COUNCIL £
St Francis Amateur Boxing & Sporting Club Per James Marr, Liff House, 1 South Drive, Liff, Dundee, DD2 5SJ	Club Beechwood Park, King's Cross Road, Dundee, DD2 3PU	7536.00 (01.04.15-31.03.15)	The club participate in amateur boxing, coaching people of all ages in boxing skills. Competing in boxing events all over Scotland. The club is affiliated to Amateur Boxing Scotland Ltd	Grant 100% sports club relief	