REPORT TO: COMMUNITIES COMMITTEE - 10 JANUARY 2005

REPORT ON: DUNDEE COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP - DUNDEE COMMUNITY

SAFETY AWARD GRANT V (COMMISSIONED SERVICES)

REPORT BY: HEAD OF COMMUNITIES

REPORT NO: 4-2005

1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 The report makes a recommendation of a commissioned grant award from the Community Safety Award 2004-2005.

2.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1 It is recommended that the Committee approve a commissioned grant award of £20,000.

3.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

3.1 The grant award will be met from external funding from the Scottish Executive under the Community Safety Award Programme 2004-2005.

4.0 LOCAL AGENDA 21 IMPLICATIONS

4.1 The award seeks to promote the building of strong, safe and attractive communities, a key community planning objective.

5.0 EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES IMPLICATIONS

5.1 The various dimensions of the Council's Equality Schemes will continue to receive specific attention by the Dundee Community Safety Partnership.

6.0 BACKGROUND

6.1 At its meeting on 8 December 2003 the Committee approved the criteria and procedures for the Dundee Community Safety Partnership bid for external funding from the Scottish Executive under the Community Safety Award Programme 2004-2005. The bid was successful and these awards have been recommended by the Partnership Executive as commissioned activities.

6.2 The application is detailed below:

Ref No	Applicant	Purpose of Application	Total Cost £	Award Requested £	Award Recommended £
CSG (c) 18/04	Domestic Target Hardening Initiative – Non Regeneration Areas	Support materials costs for the provision of target hardening for domestic property at higher risk from intruder entry or post intruder entry.	40,000	20,000	20,000

- 6.3 The application meets the Partnerships strategic objectives under the current approved action plan for 2004-2005.
- 6.4 The initiative is funded for similar provision with designated community regeneration areas.

7.0 CONSULTATION

7.1 Consultation has taken place with the Chief Executive, Depute Chief Executives (Finance) and (Support Services), Assistant Chief Executive (Community Planning) and the Dundee Community Safety Partnership (Executive) under delegated authority.

8.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

8.1 None.

Signed: Stewart Murdoch

Head of Communities Date: 17 December 2004