East Lothian Council

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Please provide me with information on the total Common Good fund committed to projects during 2017, a break down of each project title purpose and value of funds provided by the Common Good Fund, also those committed during 2018, a break down of each project title purpose and value of funds provided by the Common Good Fund.

East Lothian Council (ELC) has four separate Common Good funds: Dunbar, Haddington, Musselburgh and North Berwick.

The total value of awards made by Common Good fund in 2017/18 were:

Dunbar £4,000 Haddington £51,000 Musselburgh £134,000 North Berwick £10,000

Please provide the council budget provided to the arts and entertainment services and what that budget is for, individual funds etc. In particular please state each council fund total for the public to apply for under the following stated on your web pages; Percent for art - Schools projects - East Lothian Youth Theatre classes for children and young people - Youth Dance - Youth Music - Activities for adults - Arts News - Summer Arts Activities -

The 2018/19 council budget provided for Arts Development is £692,000.

The public can apply for two grants:

Arts Awards Scheme

Total budget for year £1,500 Maximum award per individual £200

 Visual Arts and Craft Makers Awards Scheme (in partnership with Creative Scotland)

Total budget for year £6,000 Maximum award per individual £1,500