

<b>Committee</b>	<b>Dated:</b>
City Bridge Trust	26 <sup>th</sup> September 2019
<b>Subject:</b> Applications recommended for rejection	<b>Public</b>
<b>Report of:</b> Chief Grants Officer & Director of City Bridge Trust (CGO)	<b>For Decision</b>
<b>Report author:</b> Scott Nixon, Head of Director's Office	

### Summary

This report and the accompanying schedule outlines a total of 10 grant applications that, for the reasons identified, are recommended for rejection. All of these applications were under Bridging Divides criteria.

### Recommendation

Members are asked to:

- Reject the grant applications detailed in the accompanying schedule

### Main Report

1. There are 10 applications recommended for rejection at this meeting. They are listed within categories in the accompanying schedule. In each case the "purpose" that is used to describe the application is that provided by the applicant organisation. All the recommendations are based on criteria set out in your Policy Guidance.
2. Copies of these application forms are available electronically. If any Committee Member wishes to query any of the recommendations, this can either be done at the meeting, in which case the decision may be deferred while full details are provided to the Member concerned, or by contacting the Trust office in advance of the meeting so that an explanation can be provided prior to or at the meeting.

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# CBT Main Grants Recommended for Rejection

## Summary of Recommendations for Rejection

Request Date	Ref & Organisation	Purpose	Reason for Recommendation for Rejection	Amount Requested	Fund. Man. & Area
<b><u>Advice and Support</u></b>					
March 2019	15380 Food for All	To deliver 5,000 free healthy meals to disadvantaged people in London, with the help of the business community from the City of London	The proposal is for funding towards vehicle costs, which is outside your criteria. Free reserves held would support the costs requested.	£118,500	CR City
<i>Total Advice and Support (1 item)</i>				£118,500	
<b><u>Connecting the Capital</u></b>					
March 2019 Brent	15377 Bright Future Organisation	To part fund the total cost of our "Alleviating Loneliness & Care Cover for Carers" project.	The case for funding has not been made and does not clearly address your priorities.  Free reserves are very low.	£25,000	SD
January 2019	15248 Governors for Schools	This funding will engage, place and train 1,200 volunteers from under-represented communities to increase diverse representation on school governing boards across London boroughs.	Although this is a worthy concept, the charity holds large free reserves of 900k+, with ample scope for this proposal to be self-funded, especially as a contribution to core costs.	£98,589	GP City
November 2018	15184 Tavistock Repertory Guarantors Limited trading as Tower Theatre Company	Draw up an audit to inform improved access to a three-storey 19th century building by installing full lift access to the building for all abilities.	An operating surplus of £33k was budgeted for the 18-19 financial year, indicating that the theatre is generating surpluses. The lift can be installed without interrupting the theatre's programme.	£5,000	JNM Hackney

Request Date	Ref & Organisation	Purpose	Reason for Recommendation for Rejection	Fund. Amount Requested & Man. Area
December 2018	15211 The Parochial Church Council of the Ecclesiastical Parish of Trent, Christ Church Cockfosters	To improve the facilities of our church building in order to make it more accessible for use by the church and wider community.	Community activities do not feature on the Church's activity programme and the examples of potential community use are all hires as opposed to programmed community activities. Access developments do not appear to be central to this development project.	£5,000 JNM Enfield
July 2019	15622 WRCDT Corpus Christi Maiden Lane	Installation of a chair lift which will provide building access to disabled and wheelchair users.	The application is for the capital cost of a single item (stair lift), but no independent access audit has been commissioned. The Church's website would suggest that the stair lift is already in place and needs repair - outside your funding criteria.	£3,770 CR Westminster
<i>Total Connecting the Capital (5 items)</i>				£137,359
<b><u>Positive Transitions</u></b>				
March 2019	15388 Best Beginnings	Vulnerable and disadvantaged Londoners are more resilient and empowered to make positive choices.	The proposed work is not sufficiently well-focused on migrants and refugees. It is unclear whether or how the applicant will be able to engage, except via community organisations who are unnamed in the application.	£134,230 TW Southwark
March 2019	15355 Hearing Dogs for Deaf People	To provide annual support over three years to at least 20 hearing dog partnerships living in Greater London.	The project only provides/focuses on individual benefit and, as such, is out of scope.	£152,261 SGB Outside London

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March 2019	15351 One King Ministries/Silver Links	To assist older people to break out of cycles of social exclusion and isolation so to improve mental and physical health and ultimately their sense of well being.	The charity has recorded and predicted deficits and dramatically falling income in the past two years; and virtually zero free reserves.	£60,000	SGB Havering
March 2019	15369 Well Grounded Jobs, Community Interest Company	To support WG's Speciality Barista Training project, providing training and personal development for NEET young people, those with mental health and complex needs, to achieve employment in the coffee sector.	The project provides employment training in Coffee Training Academies and, as such, does not meet your priorities.	£233,826	CR Tower Hamlets
<i>Total Positive Transitions (4 items)</i>				£580,317	
<b>Grand Total (10 items)</b>				<b>£836,176</b>	