## EX60. BIG LOTTERY FUNDING - SUPPORTING WELFARE REFORM

The Executive considered a report by the Director of Corporate and Neighbourhood Services recommending utilisation of £15,000 from the Fairer Falkirk Fund to meet a shortfall in funding for a project to support welfare reform.

Funding, had been secured from the Big Lottery fund to support a project to allow the local Citizens Advice Bureaux to provide a quick response approach to people who have been directly impacted by welfare reform and who need advice and guidance. The project cost was £349,489.75 and funding of £334,489.75 had been secured. A shortfall of £15,000 remained.

## Decision

The Executive agreed to allocate £15,000 from the Fairer Falkirk Fund to meet the funding shortfall set out in the report.