

CGF8. Application for Financial Assistance, Archaeology Scotland

The committee considered a report from Director of Corporate and Housing Services for financial assistance from Archaeology Scotland for funding towards creating a replica Roman milestone at Callendar House.

As part of its 75th anniversary celebrations Archaeology Scotland was holding a Family oriented event, the Scottish Living History Festival, in and around Callendar Park. Funding was sought to provide a replica Roman/Celtic standing stone upon which young people will be able to try out stone carving under supervision. The finished stone would be a legacy from the weekend, based in the grounds of Callendar House. The total cost of the standing stone was £1500. The application was for £800 to cover the installation/erection of the stone.

Decision

The Committee agreed in principle to award £800 from the Falkirk Common Good Fund towards the cost of creating a replica Roman milestone to be carved at the Scottish Living History Festival being held at Callendar House on 1 September 2019, subject to the receipt of satisfactory assurances in regard to

- 1) The location of the stone;**
- 2) The installation/erection of the stone;**
- 3) Future maintenance and ownership arrangements; and**
- 4) Insurance liability.**