

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

9 MAY 2011

S.137 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 - APPLICATIONS FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

1. The Town Council has received a request for financial assistance from St Just in Bloom.
2. St Just in Bloom is seeking further financial support from the Town Council towards the purchase of peat and new flowers for the amborels, three tier planters and tubs which will be used in and around the town this year as part of the annual floral display.
3. The Chairman of St Just in Bloom has indicated that it is likely that the support from Cornwall Council will be greatly reduced this year.
4. The Town Council has previously awarded the following grants to St Just in Bloom:-
 - £1500 May 2010
 - £1000 Apr 2009
 - £1000 Apr 2008
 - £750 June 2007
 - £500 Apr 2006
 - £500 Mar 2005
 - £250 Jan 2004
5. The Council's instructions on each of the requests are sought.

Elaine Baker
Town Clerk

Background papers: Letters from St Just in Bloom dated 24 April 2011.