FBC – Capital Bid 2021/22

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Scheme Title: 2. Ashton gardens lighting Improvements and additions

Description of Scheme:

Ashton Gardens is lit by a range of lighting units located throughout the Gardens. The majority of the lighting units are columns with the main drive, war memorial and St George's Road Lodge House illuminated by underground uplighters. Bollard lighting was originally installed as part of the Restoration of Ashton Gardens in 2011 and these have been subsequently vandalised on numerous occasions.

A detailed survey of the park lighting was undertaken and as a result the following work is proposed -

Location/Description		Total
		£
21 Lighting Columns	Installation of new internal wiring and cut-	6,000
	outs to the lighting columns	
17 Uplighters	Excavation of the in-ground up lights,	8,000
	isolation, IR testing and renewal if faulty	
10 Bollard Lights	Renewal of vandalised bollards with a	3,000
	more robust vandal resistant bollard	
Rose Garden	Introduction of new lighting to rose	4,500
	garden	
St Georges Sq. side	Install new lighting to the footpath	3,000
	Contingencies	500
	Total Scheme Cost:	£25.000

Outputs (i.e. details of what the investment will specifically deliver):

- To improve the lighting to Ashton gardens
- To meet statutory electrical health and safety and safeguarding requirements

Contribution to corporate objectives (i.e. how does the project achieve or help deliver priorities within the corporate plan):

- Environment Create clean, safe and healthy communities
- Environment Reduce anti-social behaviour, disorder and crime
- Environment Implement energy efficient initiatives

Budget Resou	urce Requireme	ents						
Breakdown o	f initial capital c	osts and future	e revenue in	plications				
Estimated Total Capital costs of bid:				£ 25,000				
Annual additional Revenue costs arising from the bid: OR				£ NIL				
Future Annual Revenue Savings achievable as a result of the bid: £								
Please provide any further details of revenue savings below:								
Value and phasing of bid:								
2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25					
£25,000	£000	£000	£000	bid)				
Existing resources in the Capital Programme relating to this scheme:								
2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25					
£000	£000	£000	£000	Programme				
	Estimated timescales for the bid:							
Start Date April 2021				Completion Date October 2021				

Project Risks (outline any risks to delivery of the project and how these will be mitigated)							
Risk	Impact	Mitigating Action					
Inclement weather and heavy ground frustrates contract	Increase cost and disturbance	Excavation work planned for spring months					
Foot falls affect and subsequent claims	Increased costs	Initial relamping / rewiring works to be planned first, to light up existing dark areas.					

