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Cultural Compact Fund - Award Summary*

Organisation	Charity or Company No. (If Applicable)	Project overview	UKSPF award
RB Music Management	Not Applicable	Basingstoke Music Initiative: Delivered in partnership with Proteus Theatre Company, the project aims to develop the local grassroots music scene by providing performance opportunities, mentoring and professional development to local bands and performers. The project is being delivered in phases over three years.	£ 43,782.00
Hampshire Cultural Trust	1158583	Summer studio: The project comprised a series of visual arts workshops enabling local residents to take part in a range of art forms including painting, ceramics, and sculpture. The workshops were led by local artists and gave participants the opportunity to create bespoke pieces of arts that were then exhibited at the Willis Museum.	£ 10,800.00
Whitchurch Silk Mill Trust	900621	Riches to Ribbons: In Regency times, silk ribbons played a key part in demonstrating a person's role in society and status. To celebrate Jane Austen's connections to the borough, the project saw the creation of weaved silk ribbons inspired by the life of the famous author. Visitors to the Silk Mill had the opportunity to witness the ribbons being created and to find out more about their significance and role in society as part of a physical and digital exhibition.	£ 5,080.00
That Gallery	Not Applicable	Urban sketchers: Delivered by That Gallery, a local visual artist collective, the project enabled local residents to take part in outdoor sketching workshops. The workshops took place in different settings across the borough and participants had the opportunity to try sketching for the first time or for those not new to sketching to develop their artistic skills.	£ 5,500.00
Scratch Built Theatre CIC	14640342	YB Creative: The project aims to give young people aged 16 to 25 a unique opportunity to gain practical experience in a creative industry and to learn essential hard skills such as costume design, set building, and marketing, as well as developing crucial soft skills like teamwork, communication, and time management. The work experience programme will help participants gain valuable insights into the industry and build a strong universal foundation for future education and employment.	£ 14,838.00
Proteus Theatre Company	291718	Michael and Roberta: Delivered in partnership with Hampshire Cultural Trust and Anvil Arts, the project celebrates a little know part of Basingstoke's history and the first UK gender confirmation operations carried out by Sir Harold Gillies at Rookdown hospital. The project creates an interactive digital and physical archive, a podcast series celebrating Michael and Roberta and delivers a programme of participatory work to create a digital 'Story Hub'.	£ 20,000.00
Total grant funding awarded			£ 100,000.00

*Cultural Compact projects were part-funded by UKSPF and council funding. In total, £100,000 of UKSPF funding was allocated to Cultural Compact projects in 2023/24 and 2024/25 and this table provides the amount of UKSPF funding awarded to each project.