Update on Area Working Budgets for Little Lever and Darcy Lever – 1st July 2025 – 30th September 2025

As at the 1st July 2025, the Area Working Discretionary Budget available to Little Lever and Darcy Lever was £8,545.48.

There was also a Growing the Good Work Budget of £7,830.50 and a One-Off budget allocation of £108,166.00.

Since then, the following schemes have been approved under the Council's Scheme of Delegation.

Area Working Discretionary Budget: £8,545.48

No approvals, budget remaining to be allocated £8,545.48.

Social Value Budget - Growing the Good Work - £7,830.50

Scheme	Amount	Date
Payment to Beechcroft Village Art for	£2,610.00	July 2025
Wellness Group, Darcy Lever for Acrylic		
Painting classes		
Payment to Manchester, Bury and	£2,000.00	Sept 2025
Bolton Canal Society towards a 2-year		
Community Development programme		
with Groundwork, Canal & Rivers Trust,		
Bolton at Home and others as part of		
the redevelopment of the Darcy Lever		
section of the canal		
Payment to Pillars of Forza Committee	£3,000.00	Sept 2025
for the Forza Dance Studio in Little		
Lever for a new dance floor		
Total	£7,610.00	

Budget remaining to be allocated £220.50.00.

One-Off Allocation - £108,166.00

Scheme	Amount	Date
Payment to Bolton Play & Youth Service	£440.00	Aug 2025
to cover room hire costs at St Matthew's		
Church room in Little Lever for play and		

youth sessions for summer, October, February 2026 and Easter 2026		
Payment to the Karmic Collective CIC to fund a Family Wellbeing event at St Matthew's Church Hall Little Lever on November 22nd	£2,087.00	Sept 2025
Total	£2,527.00	

Budget remaining to be allocated £105,639.00.