

**DEPUTATIONS REFERRED FROM THE MEETING OF FULL COUNCIL HELD ON
28 MARCH 2019**

Deputations received:

(i) Deputation: Grassroots Brighton & Hove

Grassroots Brighton & Hove is a new organisation. It is the city's core grassroots music venues coming together and making a collaborative association for the benefit of all. Its objective is to provide a focal point and facilities to foster greater local community activity and bring residents, the local business community, artists and smaller organisations together to improve the quality of life in Brighton & Hove. It offers strong working relationships with other local community services A base for outreach and signposting people to other local services.

Live music in Brighton generates an estimated £112m PA for the local economy and is an essential force in giving the city its dynamic and vibrant edge. This deputation is to make Councillors and council staff aware the unique and pivotal role that Grassroots Brighton & Hove undertakes, our important role as community hubs and what we will now bring to the city as a formal association. We want to explain what we can do for you and what help we are asking in return.

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