## List of proposed grants for 2003-04

# **Specific Grants Within Gross AEF**

| Name of Grant  | Statutory or other basis  | Amount<br>available to<br>local authorities<br>2002-03 | Amount available to local authorities 2003-04 | Comments  |
|--|---|--|---|---|
| Grants for<br>Educational<br>Support and<br>Training | s. 484 of the Education Act 1996: Education Standard Grant (Wales) regs In 2003-04 this will change to s14-18 of Education Act 2002 | £34.810<br>(including 0.5m<br>for disaffection)        | 33.8m   | 60% available to local authorities (as shown in figures). Other 40% to be distributed through RSG and is not hypothecated.                    |
| Grants for<br>Bilingual Education                    | Section 3 – Welsh<br>Language Act 1993  | 2.242m   | 2.312m  | For athrawon bro posts in local authorities.  |
| Grants for<br>Education of<br>Travellers Children    | Section 488 of the<br>Education Act 1996  | 0.65m  | 0.8m  | Demand led grant  |
| National Park<br>Grant                               | S72 Environment Act<br>1995   | 8.529m   | 9.529m  | Available direct to<br>National Parks, not Local<br>Authorities (National Park<br>Revenue)  |
| National Childcare<br>Strategy                       | Employment and<br>Training Act 1973   | 16.875m  | In Cymorth for 2003-04                        |   |
| Training Support for Personal Social Services        | S28b(I) of the NHS<br>Act 1977  | 3.25m  | 3.75m   | Split for individual authorities not yet assessed   |
| Waste<br>Management                                  | Section 85 of<br>Government Wales<br>Act  | 11m  | 22m   | Formula grant for<br>Sustainable Waste<br>Management  |
| Early Years  | S126-7 Housing<br>grants, Construction<br>and Regeneration<br>Act 1996  | 6.2m   | 16m   | To provide places in<br>Nursery education for 3 yr<br>olds. Scheme to rolled<br>into RSG from 2005-06<br>(Funding for revenue and<br>capital) |

## **Special Grants Within Gross AEF**

| Name of Grant                                | Statutory or other basis            | Amount available<br>to local<br>authorities 2002-<br>03  | Amount available to local authorities | Comments  |
|--|-------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|---|
| Additional<br>Revenue funding<br>for schools | S88b Local Govt<br>Finance Act 1998 | £25m for junior<br>class sizes, KS3<br>and<br>underperforming<br>schools; £2m for<br>rural and small<br>schools; £0.5m for<br>projects to tackle<br>disaffection | £36m                                  | Reducing junior class sizes, improving attainment at KS3, assisting underperforming schools (£32m); support for rural schools (£3.5m); tackling disaffection (£0.5m) NB distribution between individual purposes yet to be confirmed. |

## **Specific and Special Grants Outside AEF**

### **Health and Personal Social Services**

| Name of Grant  | Statutory or other basis   | Amount available to local authorities 2002-03 | Amount available to local authorities | Comments   |
|--|--|---|---------------------------------------|--|
| 1. Children First                                      | Section 28a of NHS Act 1977 as substituted by section 1 of the Health and Social Services and Social Security Adjudication Act 1983. | £15.7m  | 24.6m                                 | Grant based on children's SSA Formula            |
| 2. Six weeks free home care on discharge from hospital | S28b NHS Act 1977  | 3m  | 3m                                    | By formula – under<br>review. May go into<br>RSG |

| 3a. Learning Disabilities: Support for community based Services  3b. Learning Disabilities — Resettlement | S28b of the NHS Act<br>1977 as amended  | 28.920m   | 29.180m  | Amounts for 2003-04 are estimates and liable to change.  |
|---|---|---|----------|--|
|   |   | 23.157m   |          |  |
|   |   |   | 26.463m  |  |
|   |   | 52.007  | 55.643   |  |
|   |   | 52.007  | 33.043   |  |
| 4. Delayed Transfer of<br>Care and Support of<br>Care Home sector   | S28b NHS Act 1977   | 12m   | 12m      | May go into RSG  |
| 5. Cymorth  |   | 30.575m for<br>Sure Start and<br>CYP – see<br>page 1 for<br>National<br>Childcare<br>Strategy | 39.135m  | Grant replaces Sure<br>Start , CYP and<br>National Childcare<br>Strategy, with an extra<br>300k available for start<br>up costs. |
| 7. Sustainable Health<br>Action Research<br>Programme (SHARP)   | NHS Act 1977 s5 (2)<br>(d) by virtue of NAW<br>(Transfer of<br>Functions Order<br>1999) | 0.565m  | 0.565m   | Bid based. Money<br>available to<br>Partnerships and not<br>just LA's. Split not yet<br>assessed.                                |
| 8. Performance<br>Management<br>Development Fund  | S88b LGF Act 1988   | 2.65m   | 2.65m    | Split for individual authorities not yet assessed  |
| 9. Unaccompanied<br>Asylum Seeking<br>Children  | S88b LGF Act 1988   | 0.325m  | 0.4m     | Estimated costs.   |
| 10. Residential<br>Allowance  |   | Nil   | 11.5m    | One year grant, will go into RSG for 2004-05 settlement  |
| 11. LHB Membership  | S28b NHS Act 1977   | Nil   | Up to 2m | May go into RSG  |
| 12. Carers Special<br>Grant   | S88b LGF Act 1988   | 4.6m  | 6.04m    |  |

## **Education**

| Name of Grant                                    | Statutory or other basis  | Amount<br>available to<br>local<br>authorities<br>2002-03 | Amount available to local authorities | Comments   |
|--|---|---|---------------------------------------|--|
| 1. Health promotion for Schools and Young People | The Health Authorities Act 1995  The NHS Act 1977  The Govt of Wales Act 1998                     | £0.397m   | £0.477m                               | Funding is for joint schemes between Health Authorities and Local Govt to develop local networks of health promoting Schools. Either partner may manage grant. Demand led. |
| 2. Education ICT                                 | S88b LGF Act 1988   | 1.2m  | Nil                                   | For pupil level data collection. Not intended to continue beyond 2003-04   |
| 3. Administrative<br>Support for Schools         | Specific grant –<br>powers unknown  | Nil   | £3m                                   | New scheme for LEAs and schools. Likely to be bid based grant, although no criteria fully decided as yet. Possibly go into RSG in 2006-07                                  |
| 4. Assembly<br>Learning Grant<br>(ALG)           | Education (ALG)<br>(Wales) 2002; LEA<br>(Post Compulsory<br>Education Awards)<br>(Wales) Regs2002 | £30.5m  | £46m                                  | To provide means tested support to students in Further and Higher Education  |
| 5. Education of<br>Asylum Seekers                | S88b LGF Act 1988   | 1.28m   | unknown                               | To provide retrospective payments for asylum seeker children and adult education   |



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|--|---|---|---------------------------------------|---|
| 1 Social Housing<br>Management (part<br>1) | Housing Act<br>1985 as<br>amended by<br>s16 of the<br>Housing &<br>Planning Act<br>1986 | £0.429m   | £8m                                   | To support / encourage improvements in, or provision of, public sector housing management services; to provide educational or training courses in housing management      |
| 2 Social Housing<br>Management (part<br>2) | s126 Housing<br>Grants,<br>Construction<br>and<br>Regeneration<br>Act 1996              | £17.3m  | £15.013m                              | To give financial assistance to persons engaged in activities which contribute to the regeneration or development of an are by improving health services for local people |
| 3 Rent Officers                            |   | 2m  | Nil                                   | Service transfers to the NAfW from 2003-04  |
| 4 Housing Defects grant                    |   | 1.052m  | 0.946m                                | To cover cost of loans issued by LA's.  |
| 5 Supporting<br>People                     |   | 1.1m  | Unknown                               | One year scheme to be reviewed for 2004-05 settlement, and likely to go into RSG.   |



| Name of Grant   | Statutory or other basis   | Amount<br>available to<br>local<br>authorities<br>2002-03 | Amount available to local authorities | Comments   |
|---|--|---|---------------------------------------|--|
| 1. Support for<br>Local Health<br>Alliances                             | Health Authorities Act 1995  NHS Act 1977 Government of Wales Act 1998 | 0.484m  | 0.33m                                 | To support local health alliances to improve the health of their communities. Rhondda Cynon Taff also get additional funding for Project Chain (£27k for 2002-03 and £27k for 2003-04) |
| 2. Cardiff development Corporation – Local authority succession funding | Housing<br>Grants,<br>Construction<br>and<br>Regeneration<br>Act 1996  | 16.019m   | 15.819m                               | Figures include Revenue and Capital. Split not yet assessed.   |
| 3. Collection and<br>Recovery of<br>Fridges Special<br>Grant            | S88b Local<br>Government<br>Finance Act<br>1988                        | 2.4m  | 2.4m                                  | Grant allocated on a formula basis to local authorities to assist in with the collection, storage and disposal of domestic refrigeration equipment.                                    |
| 4. Asset<br>Management Plans  | S88b LGF<br>Act 1988   | 1m  | Nil                                   | One off special grant to assist in the preparation of asset management plans   |
| 5. Aggregate<br>Levies<br>Sustainability Fund                           | S88 GOWA   | Nil   | 1.7m                                  | LAs allowed to bid for support from the fund. No specific allocation for local govt.   |
| 6. Grant for<br>Restructuring the<br>Planning service                   | S85 GOWA<br>1998   | Nil   | 1m                                    | Bid based, to be reviewed after 3 years.   |
| 7. Local Regeneration fund – match-funded revenue                       | Housing<br>Grants,<br>Construction<br>and<br>Regeneration<br>Act 1996  | 3.6m estimate   | 5m estimate                           | To match fund revenue element of bids from European Funds  |

## **COMMUNITIES**

| Name of Grant | Statutory or other basis | Amount available to local authorities 2002-03 | Amount available to local authorities 2003-04 | Comments |
|---------------|--------------------------|---|---|----------|
|---------------|--------------------------|---|---|----------|

| 1. Community Purposes (including Sustainable Communities, People in Communities and Communities First) | s.126 of Housing Grants, Construction and Regeneration Act 1996             | £25.85m | £34.5m | Figure includes revenue and capital and the split will be agreed between Local Authorities and relevant voluntary organisations. Total of £83m available for 2001-04 |
|--|---|---------|--------|--|
| 2. Deprivation Grant   | S88b Local<br>Government<br>Finance Act<br>1988                             | Nil     | £20m   | To provide additional funding to local authorities focussed on the more deprived areas.  |
| 3. Local Authorities non-match fund Local Regeneration Fund  | s.126 Housing<br>Grants,<br>Construction<br>and<br>Regeneration<br>Act 1996 | 8.397m  | 8.397m | For regeneration projects outside the scope of European Structural Funds   |

### **TRANSPORT**

| Name of Grant                             | Statutory or other basis      | Amount available to local authorities 2002-03 | Amount available to local authorities 2003-04 | Comments   |
|---|-------------------------------|---|---|--|
| 1. Road Safety Grant                      | S88b LGF Act<br>1988          | 5.1m  | 6m  | Formula based –<br>revenue and capital<br>spend                                  |
| 2. Local Roads Grant                      | S88b LGF Act<br>1988          | 20m   | 25m   | Includes funding for<br>Child Pedestrian co-<br>ordinators for each<br>authority |
| 3 Local Transport<br>Services             | S156<br>Transport Act<br>2000 | 7.3m  | 8.8m  |  |
| 4 Regional<br>Transport Co-<br>ordinators | Ministry of<br>Transport 1919 | Nil   | 0.5m  | For 5 authorities –<br>RCT, Torfaen, Powys,<br>Flintshire and Swansea            |

### LOCAL GOVERNMENT GENERAL ISSUES

| Name of Grant                     | Statutory or other basis | Amount available to local authorities 2002-03 | Amount available to local authorities 2003-04 | Comments  |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|---|---|---|
| 1. Transitional Grant             | S88b LGF Act<br>1988     | 4.75m   | Unknown                                       | To assist authorities affected by changes resulting from the 2000 major review of the SSAs. Not intended to run past 2003-04. |
| 2. Performance<br>Incentive Grant | Specific grant           | Nil   | £30m  | Additional funding for local authorities linked to policy agreement targets.  |

### **CULTURE AND SPORT**

| Name of Grant                     | Statutory or other basis | Amount available to local authorities 2002-03 | Amount available to local authorities 2003-04 | Comments   |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|---|---|--|
| 1. Capital of Culture             | S32 GOWA<br>1998         | 0.68m   | Nil   |  |
| 2. Chamber Music                  | S32 GOWA<br>1998         | 0.15m   | 0.2m  |  |
| 3. Island Games feasibility study | S32 GOWA<br>1998         | 0.01m   | Nil   | One off grant to<br>Ynys Môn to<br>undertake feasibility<br>study for hosting the<br>2009 Island Games |