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# Funding for Victims and Survivors Groups in Northern Ireland

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This paper summarises the arrangements for funding for groups providing support to victims and survivors of the conflict in Northern Ireland.

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#### **Key Points**

This paper summarises two elements of the provision of services to victims and survivors of the conflict in Northern Ireland:

- Policy development, particularly the current ten year strategy for victims and survivors
- 2. Funding arrangements for victims and survivors, particularly funding for groups providing support services

#### Strategy for Victims and Survivors

Following the first major strategy for victims and survivors in 2002, *Reshape, Rebuild, Achieve*, the current ten year strategy launched in 2009 set out the framework for victims and survivors as follows:

- Commission for Victims and Survivors to advise OFMdFM
- Victims and Survivors Forum to advise the Commission.
- Victims and Survivors Service to administer support to victims and survivors

A review of the first four years of the Commission found that it had not had the impact intended. At the time of writing, the Commissioner had resigned and was in the process of being replaced.

Independent assessments if the Victims and Survivors Service in 2014 found serious weaknesses in its operation, specifically in governance arrangements. At the time of writing both the Chair of the Board and the Chief Executive had resigned and are in the process of being replaced.

#### **Funding Arrangements**

Victims and survivors and groups supporting them can receive funding from a range of sources. The two most important sources are:

- From OFMdFM formerly via the Community Relations Council, now via the Victims and Survivors Service
- 2. From the EU Peace III Programme

#### Victims and Survivors Service

£50 million has been allocated for victims and survivors by OFMdFM for 2011-2015, currently through the Victims Support Programme (for groups) and the Individual Needs Programme (for individuals). Two of the six Schemes of the latter programme were deferred at the time of writing (Schemes 1 and 5) and one (Scheme 6) closed for applications on 30 June 2014.

The distribution of groups receiving funding is uneven across Northern Ireland. There is a close correlation between numbers of groups and numbers of deaths in the conflict in some areas (e.g. West and North Belfast, Upper Bann) but less so in others (e.g. West Tyrone and Fermanagh/South Tyrone). However, the Victims and Survivor Service has stated that there is no duplication of services.

There does not appear to be a stipulation for apportioning money between running costs and services for beneficiaries in assessment guidance.

#### Peace III

Priority 1.2 of the Peace III Programme (2007-2013) has provided funding for groups providing services to victims and survivors totalling approximately £37 million, although 14 recipient groups are not located in Northern Ireland.

110 groups have received funding from OFMdFM since 2011 and 36 groups from Peace III that have not already availed of OFMdFM funding suggesting, exclusive of other funding sources, 136 organisations have received funding for providing services to victims and survivors from the two main sources.

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#### 1 Introduction

The book *Lost Lives* records 3712 deaths between1966-2006 attributed to the conflict in Northern Ireland<sup>1</sup>. While police statistics have suggested around 47,500 people were physically injured during the years 1968-2003, other estimates suggest a figure closer to somewhere just under 100,000<sup>2</sup>. In terms of psychological injury, there are no reliable figures, and it has even been suggested that no-one in Northern Ireland would have escaped damage during the conflict<sup>3</sup>.

This paper summarises the current Strategy for Victims and Survivors and reviews provision for addressing the needs of victims and survivors of the conflict. The focus is on statutory funding for organisations providing support to victims and survivors, which is mapped across Northern Ireland.

The appendices to this paper list the organisations that have been allocated funding from the Office of the First Minister and deputy First Minister (OFMdFM), either through the Community Relations Council or the Victims and Survivors Service (VSS), and organisations allocated funding under Priority 1.2 of the Peace III Programme, which is aimed at support to victims and survivors of the conflict.

<sup>1</sup> David McKittrick, Seamus Kelters, Brian Feeney, Chris Thornton and David McVea (2007), Lost Lives, Edinburgh: Mainstream.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Marie breen-Smyth (2010), The needs of individuals and their families injured as a result of the Troubles in Northern Ireland, Belfast: WAVE, pp.94-5.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Kenneth Bloomfield (1998), We Will Remember Them, Belfast: Northern Ireland Victims Commissioner, p.14.

#### 2 Victims and Survivors Policy

During the conflict, people affected physically or psychologically by violence were generally dealt with through statutory health care or informally through community-based support groups. During the 1990s, there was a greater realisation of a need for specific care for people affected by the conflict. A number of official reports on the needs of victims and survivors were produced over the next decade, examples of which are summarised here:

- Living with the Trauma of the Troubles<sup>4</sup> This report examined issues for the
  care of victims and survivors by health and social services professionals and
  set out a number of recommendations for work with individuals affected by the
  conflict.
- We Will Remember Them<sup>5</sup> Sir Kenneth Bloomfield comprehensively set the scene and listed extensive recommendations for dealing with victims and survivors, including a review of the criminal injuries compensation scheme, the need for sensitivity across a range of sectors, addressing the physical and financial needs of victims and survivors, provision of advice and the need for a Commissioner or Ombudsman for victims and survivors.
- Victims Unit consultation In 2001, the Victims Unit launched a consultation on a strategy for victims and survivors, which set out how the Executive might respond to the needs of those affected by the conflict, with a vision of<sup>6</sup>:

A society where the suffering of victims is recognised; a community that acknowledges the pain of the past and learns lessons for the future; and an administration that provides, in conjunction with others, support and services in a proactive and sensitive manner to meet the needs of victims.

A proposed 27-point action plan covers a range of measures, beginning with a requirement on all government departments to reflect the needs of victims in their corporate planning documentation.

• Reshape, Rebuild, Achieve - The strategy for victims and survivors launched in 2002 included a commitment that actions would be victim-centred, equitable, inclusive, focused and integrated<sup>7</sup>. A range of actions to support victims was set out, including resourcing support workers at Trauma Advisory Panels located at the Health Boards, measures for better planning and co-ordination across government and with the community and the funding framework was set out, as in the chart below:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Social Services Inspectorate (1998) Living with the Trauma of the Troubles, Belfast: SSI: http://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/livingwiththetraumaofthetroubles.pdf.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Sir Kenneth Bloomfield (1998) *We Will Remember Them* Belfast: Northern Ireland Victims Commissioner: <a href="http://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/bloomfield\_report.pdf">http://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/bloomfield\_report.pdf</a>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Victims Unit (2001) *Consultation Paper on a Victims Strategy*, Belfast: Victims Unit, p.5: http://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/victims\_strategy.pdf.

Victims Unit (2002) Reshape, Rebuild, Achieve, Belfast: OFMdFM, pp.1-2: http://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/victimsbrochure-3.pdf.

Type of Funding	Period Covered	Total Amount Available	Available to	Contact Points	Purpose of Funding
EU programme for Peace and Reconciliation. (Peace II)	2000-2004 (although funds can be spent up until 2006).	£6.67m	Groups/organisations developing significant projects which must satisfy strict criteria	Northern Ireland Voluntary Trust.	To encourage peace and reconciliation. Targeted mainly at training and re- employment.
Core-funding.	2002-2004	£3m	Groups working with victims and survivors.	Provided by the NIO, but no decision yet taken as to who will administer.	To allow work of groups to continue and develop.
Strategy Implementation Fund.	2002-2004	£3m	Government Departments and agencies.	Victims Unit, OFMDFM.	To allow Government Departments and Agencies to take forward projects to assist victims.
Small grants scheme.	2002-2004	£750,000	Groups/projects working with victims and survivors.	Administered on behalf of the NIO by the Community Relations Council.	Grants for relatively small amounts of funding to allow groups or projects to carry out specific pieces of work.

In addition, the Northern Ireland Memorial Fund was described as<sup>8</sup>:

an independent charity established in 1998 by the NIO to provide assistance to individuals in a wide range of areas... such as small grants, education and training, pain relief, amputee and wheelchair assessment and respite breaks.

- Services for Victims and Survivors consultation<sup>9</sup> The next stage of policy development included a broad range of potential changes, such as the future of the Trauma Advisory Panels (TAPs), the operation of the Inter-departmental Working Group, creation of a one-stop shop for victims and survivors, funding and consideration of a Commissioner for Victims and Survivors.
- Strategic Approach for Victims and Survivors consultation<sup>10</sup> The current framework for victims and survivors policy was subject to consultation in August 2008. This envisaged a simplified but interactive structure consisting of a Victims and Survivors Forum advising a Commission for Victims and Survivors, which would in turn promote the interests of victims and survivors and provide advice to OFMdFM. A Victims and Survivors Service would provide services on behalf of OFMdFM.

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<sup>8</sup> Ibid., p.21.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Victims Unit (2005) Services for Victims and Survivors: Consultation on Next Phase of Policy in relation to services for Victims and Survivors of the troubles in Northern Ireland and on the establishment of a Commissioner for Victims and Survivors, Belfast: OFMdFM: <a href="https://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/consult.pdf">https://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/consult.pdf</a>.

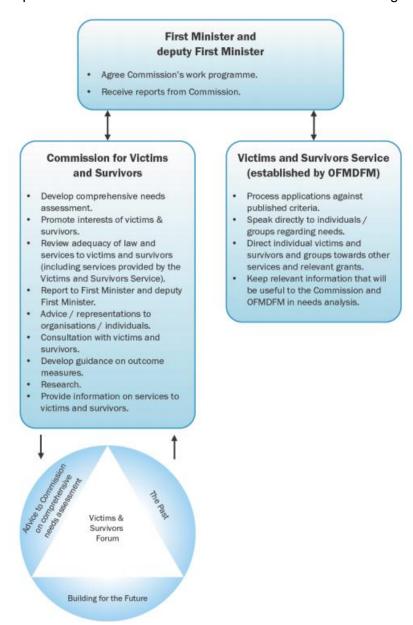
<sup>10</sup> Victims Unit (2008) Outline draft strategic approach for Victims and Survivors – Consultation paper, Belfast: OFMdFM: http://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/outline-draft-strategy-for-victims-and-survivors-consultation-paper.pdf.

#### **Strategy for Victims and Survivors**

The new strategy was launched in November 2009 and was to be 'victim and survivor centred, built around<sup>11</sup>:

- a. The Commission for Victims and Survivors
- b. A Victims and Survivors Forum
- c. A new Victims and Survivors Service

The relationship between these structures is summarised in the following diagram<sup>12</sup>:



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> OFMdFM (2009) *Strategy for Victims and Survivors*, Belfast: OFMdFM, p.2: <a href="http://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/strategy-for-victims-and-survivors-november-2009.pdf">http://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/strategy-for-victims-and-survivors-november-2009.pdf</a>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> Ibid., p.17.

The outline timescales for the establishment of structures and delivery of services was set out as follows<sup>13</sup>:

Commission for Victims and Survivors established	June 2008
Victims and Survivors Forum established by Commission	September 2009
Victims and Survivors Service initiates	As soon as
commissioning of services in response to	assessment is
comprehensive needs assessment	received and considered
Victims and Survivors Service is established to	June 2010
provide support for groups and individual	
victims and survivors	
Continuation of existing core funding scheme	April 2009 -
operated on behalf of OFMDFM by the	March 2010
Community Relations Council coupled with an	
enhanced development grant scheme to:	This will continue
provide greater support for befriending	as the Service is
services and carers;	established to
<ul> <li>enable victims and survivors groups to make</li> </ul>	ensure no gap in
the transition to new funding arrangements	provision to either
and to participate in the Victims and	groups or
Survivors Forum; and	individuals.
address issue of respite care.	
Arrangements made by OFMDFM for the	July 2008 -
development of a service to support GPs in	March 2010
dealing with trauma and identification of	
additional areas of cooperation	

The **Commission for Victims and Survivors**<sup>14</sup> was established in May 2008 under the Victims and Survivors (Northern Ireland) Order 2006, as amended by the Commission for Victims and Survivors Act (Northern Ireland) 2008<sup>15</sup>. The Commission is designed to<sup>16</sup>:

- promote an awareness of matters relating to the interests of victims and survivors and of the need to safeguard those interests;
- keep under review the adequacy and effectiveness of law and practice affecting the interests of victims and survivors;
- keep under review the adequacy and effectiveness of services provided for victims and survivors by the new Victims and Survivors Service and services provided by statutory, community and voluntary groups;

<sup>14</sup> Commission for Victims and Survivors website: <a href="http://www.cvsni.org/">http://www.cvsni.org/</a>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> Ihid n 14

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> Commission for Victims and Survivors Act (Northern Ireland) 2008: http://www.legislation.gov.uk/nia/2008/6/contents.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> Strategy for Victims and Survivors, p.7.

> advise the Secretary of State, the Executive Committee of the Assembly and any body or person providing services for victims and survivors on matters concerning the interests of victims and survivors;

- take reasonable steps to ensure that the views of victims and survivors are sought concerning the exercise of the Commission's functions; and
- make arrangements for a Victims and Survivors Forum

Initially, an interim Commissioner for Victims and Survivors was appointed in 2005, then with the establishment of the Commission, there were four Commissioners. Following the resignation of one Commissioner in 2010, three Commissioners continued in post. In 2012, a single Commissioner was again appointed 17, who resigned in 2014 and at the time of writing has not yet been replaced<sup>18</sup>.

A review of the Commission's first three years in operation (2008-2011) concluded the following<sup>19</sup>:

Value for money - it was concluded that: given its level of grant funding and lack of sufficient performance against its key aims and targets at the time of the review, the Commission cannot be said to have provided value for money to OFMDFM or indeed the wider public purse in its initial three years.

Relationships - In terms of relationships with its stakeholders, the Commission has engaged in a variety of means to engage with and develop positive relationships.

The overall conclusion was that the Commission had not had the impact intended.

The Victims and Survivors Forum was intended to be a consultation and discussion body to contribute to the Commission's work programme, but also specifically<sup>20</sup>:

- to support the Commission in developing a comprehensive needs assessment; and
- to examine issues surrounding the definition of 'victim'

The Victims and Survivors Service<sup>21</sup> was established in April 2012 as an arms-length body of OFMdFM for the delivery of the Victims and Survivors Strategy and to distribute funding for victims and survivors.

The Commissioner for Victims and Survivors was asked in 2013 to carry out an independent assessment of the Service. This reported an 'organisation in crisis'22:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> 'NI's new victims commissioner is Kathryn Stone', BBC News 3 September 2012: http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-northern-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> CVSNI website, accessed 29 September 2014: http://www.cvsni.org/index.php/about-us/the-commissioner.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> KPMG (2013), Review of the Commission for Victims and Survivors, Belfast: KPMG, pp.48-52: http://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/kpmg-review-of-the-commission-for-victims-and-survivors-2013.pdf.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>21</sup> Victims and Survivors Service website: <a href="http://www.victimsservice.org/">http://www.victimsservice.org/</a>.

...lacking in effective strategic governance, with weaknesses in communication and a model of service delivery that is process-driven and not people-centred.

The advice took into account the conclusions of two independent assessments of the operation of the Service:

WKM Solutions<sup>23</sup> – Conclusions of this review included:

- The lack of a fully constituted Board left the VSS without strategic leadership and oversight until December 2013
- The VSS also lacked policy development and basic operational management functions
- Poor relationships and communication exacerbated the difficulties of the VSS
- The Individual Needs Review (INR) is, quite simply, not fit for purpose

The report contains 23 recommendations for improvement.

<u>Chartered Institute of Public Finance and Accounting<sup>24</sup></u> – Conclusions of this review included:

- CIPFA found major weaknesses in governance of VSS up to December 2013
- CIPFA found that during the interim governance arrangements (April 2012 to December 2013), oversight of internal controls in VSS was weak
- There is no evidence in the Interim Board minutes of any Board role in setting strategic direction
- CIPFA found the Interim Board of VSS did not fulfil its role because of a number of weaknesses including the confusing role of the Chair and the Department on the VSS Board and the resultant conflicts of interest; the Board was too operational; there was a lack of evidence of challenge; a focus on process; and no proper management of risks
- CIPFA found that key relationships between OFMDFM, the Commission and VSS have been sub-optimal

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>22</sup> Commissioner for Victims and Survivors (2013), Advice from Victims Commissioner: Independent Assessment of the Victims and Survivors Service, Belfast: CVSNI: <a href="http://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/vss-independent-assessment-advice-cvs-kathryn-stone.pdf">http://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/vss-independent-assessment-advice-cvs-kathryn-stone.pdf</a>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> WKM Solutions (2014), *The Victims and Survivors Service – An Independent Assessment*, London: WKM Solutions: <a href="http://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/vss-independent-assessment-appendix-a-wkm-solutions.pdf">http://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/vss-independent-assessment-appendix-a-wkm-solutions.pdf</a>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> CIPFA (2014), Independent assessment of the Victims and Survivors Service, Belfast: CIPFA: <a href="http://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/vss-independent-assessment-appendix-b-cipfa.pdf">http://www.ofmdfmni.gov.uk/vss-independent-assessment-appendix-b-cipfa.pdf</a>.

 Despite these concerns CIPFA also found a strong willingness by VSS staff, the new Board and the Department to strengthen relationships to improve the services provided by VSS

- CIPFA found that gathering and providing information has been a difficult area for VSS
- A high level review of the Operational Manual noted many similarities to the processes adopted for EU funding programmes which themselves are generally considered to be at the bureaucratic end of the scale
- It is a weakness that the VSS has had no Internal Audit function hitherto

The report contains 32 recommendations.

It was noted in the Commission's advice that the VSS Board was working strategically to address these problems. However, both the Chief Executive and the Chair of the Board have resigned during the process of implementing the recommendations of the reports and advice from the Commission<sup>25</sup>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>25</sup> 'Troubles victims services 'in chaos' after officials quit', *Belfast Telegraph* 25 July 2014:

http://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/local-national/northern-ireland/troubles-victims-services-in-chaos-after-officials-quit-30458341.html; see also OFMdFM briefing to the Committee for OFMdFM 25 June 2014: http://www.niassembly.gov.uk/Assembly-Business/Official-Report/Committee-Minutes-of-Evidence/Session-2013-2014/June-2014/Victims-and-Survivors-Issues-OFMDFM-Officials/.

#### 3 Funding for Victims and Survivors

This section summarises funding for victims and survivors from OFMdFM and the Peace III Programme.

#### Victims and Survivors Service

£50 million has been allocated for victims and survivors for the period 2011-15. £10 million was allocated for the current financial year, although the intention is to restore this to a baseline position of £11.3 million annually<sup>26</sup>.

The Victims and Survivors Service (VSS) distributes funds for victims and survivors from OFMdFM, which were formerly distributed by the Community Relations Council and the Northern Ireland Memorial Fund<sup>27</sup>. These funds consisted of the following at the time of writing:

- The Victims Support Programme (VSP), which provides funding of small (under £75,000) or large (£75,000+) grants for organisations which provide social support and health and wellbeing services to victims and survivors<sup>28</sup>
- Individual Needs Programme (INP), which provides funding for individuals through six Schemes:
  - 1. Education and Training, deferred at the time of writing<sup>29</sup>
  - 2. Care for Carers, which gives a cash payment of £500<sup>30</sup>
  - 3. Support for the Injured 1, which has a personal allowance of £200<sup>31</sup>
  - 4. Support for the Injured 2, with a £1500 personal allowance<sup>32</sup>
  - 5. Respite Breaks, deferred at the time of writing<sup>33</sup>
  - 6. Financial Assistance, which included recipients of funding formerly from the Northern Ireland Memorial Fund, closed for applications on 30 June 2014 due to budgetary pressures<sup>34</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>26</sup> Deputy First Minister answering AQO 6545/11-15 8 September 2014:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup> The Northern Ireland Memorial Fund remained in operation until 31 March 2013, when responsibility was transferred to the VSS, AQW 19576/11-15, answered 20 February 2013.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>28</sup> Victim Support Programme, VSS website, accessed 24 September 2014:

http://www.victimsservice.org/pages/index.asp?title=Victims\_and\_Survivors\_Service\_Victims\_Support\_Programme\_VSP.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>29</sup> Scheme 1, VSS website, accessed 24 September 2014:

http://www.victimsservice.org/pages/index.asp?title=Scheme\_1\_Education\_\_Training.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>30</sup> Scheme 2, VSS website, accessed 24 September 2014:

http://www.victimsservice.org/pages/index.asp?title=Scheme 2 Care for Carers.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>31</sup> Scheme 3, VSS website, accessed 24 September 2014:

http://www.victimsservice.org/pages/index.asp?title=Scheme 3 Support for the Injured 1 previously Chronic Pain Disability Support.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>32</sup> Scheme 4, VSS website, accessed 24 September 2014:

http://www.victimsservice.org/pages/index.asp?title=Scheme 4 Support for the Injured 2 previously Chronic Pain Disability Support.

<sup>33</sup> Scheme 5, VSS website, accessed 24 September 2014:

http://www.victimsservice.org/pages/index.asp?title=Scheme\_5\_Respite\_Breaks.

The budget available for Scheme 6 for the period 2014/2015 is £1.644 million, for which there were 2119 applications, 187 of which were still being processed at the time of writing. The Scheme opened in two phases for 2014/15<sup>35</sup>:

<u>Phase 1</u> was for the Seriously Injured, defined as applicants who are in receipt of DLA High Rate Care Component. As in previous years, these applicants are NOT means-tested. All applications received under Phase 1 are processed by VSS to ensure that the applicant receives this level of benefit. This year, the eligible applicants have been offered an award of £1,000.

<u>Phase 2</u> was for all other applicants. As in previous years, these applicants are means-tested. Scheme 6 is the only means-tested Scheme of support in the Individual Needs Programme. All applications received under Phase 2 are processed by VSS to determine whether the applicant's income is above or below the meanstesting threshold. In keeping with instructions issued by the Department, VSS opened Phase 2 for applications for a period of 4 weeks, following which all applications were processed. The total budget available was then divided by the total number of eligible applications received, to arrive at a final award. All applicants to Phase 2 were advised of this process when applying for the Scheme.

The Individual Needs Programme opened for applications on 14 August 2014<sup>36</sup>.

In all, letters of offer issued by or on behalf of OFMdFM to victims and survivors groups during the period 1 April 2011 to 31 March 2015 total £24,588,922.00<sup>37</sup>. To be eligible for funding from the Victim Support Programme, groups must be<sup>38</sup>:

Any constituted group or organisation providing services to victims and survivors, who have been affected by a conflict-related incident and resident in Northern Ireland.

The definition used for 'victims and survivors' is taken from the Victims and Survivors (Northern Ireland) Order (2006)<sup>39</sup>:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>34</sup> AQW 32057/11-15, answered 14 April 2014.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>35</sup> Information from the VSS 19 September 2014.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>36</sup> VSS news release 14 August 2014, accessed 8 September 2014:

http://www.victimsservice.org/pages/index.asp?title=Individual Needs Programme 2014-2015 PHASE 1 NOW OPEN.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>37</sup> AQW 29394/11-15, answered 20 January 2014.

<sup>38</sup> Victims and Survivors Service Guidance Notes for the Application for the Victims Support Programme, p.2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>39</sup> The Victims and Survivors (Northern Ireland) Order 2006: http://www.legislation.gov.uk/nisi/2006/2953/contents/made.

#### **Interpretation: "victim and survivor"**

- 3. (1) In this Order references to "victim and survivor" are references to an individual appearing to the Commissioner to be any of the following—
  - (a) someone who is or has been physically or psychologically injured as a result of or in consequence of a conflict-related incident; .
  - (b) someone who provides a substantial amount of care on a regular basis for an individual mentioned in paragraph (a); or .
  - (c) someone who has been bereaved as a result of or in consequence of a conflict-related incident.
- (2) Without prejudice to the generality of paragraph (1), an individual may be psychologically injured as a result of or in consequence of—
  - (a) witnessing a conflict-related incident or the consequences of such an incident; or .
  - (b) providing medical or other emergency assistance to an individual in connection with a conflict-related incident.

Eligible activities for health and wellbeing services are<sup>40</sup>:

#### Eligible Health & Well Being Services/Activities

- Counselling
- Cognitive Behavioural Therapy (CBT) / Eye Movement Desensitisation Reprocessing Therapy (EMDR)
- · Complementary Therapies

Eligible activities under the social support strand are<sup>41</sup>:

Support	Truth, Justice &	Welfare	Transgenerational
	Acknowledgement	Support	Issues
Befriending	Advocacy	Advocacy	Mentoring
Carers	Commemoration	Support	Creative Writing
Social Network	Storytelling	Advice	Music
Group Excursions	Oral History	Signposting	Focused Trips and
Group Activities	Conferences		Events
Yoga			Youth Drama
Life Coaching			Storytelling

Appendix 1 lists funding allocated to groups as small or large grants by the VSS on behalf of OFMdFM. Appendices 2 and 3 list funding allocated to groups by the Community Relations Council on behalf of OFMdFM.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>40</sup> Victims and Survivors Service Guidance Notes for the Application for the Victims Support Programme, p.9.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>41</sup> Ibid., p.12.

It is not within the scope of this paper to assess value for money with regard to groups accessing funding for providing services to victims and survivors. Individual applications were not consulted in the compilation of this paper and available guidance does not appear to define limits on running costs in proportion with costs for direct services to victims and survivors.

The groups listed as having received funds for the support of victims and survivors via the Community Relations Council and the Victims and Survivors Service have been summarised in Table 1. This has been correlated with the numbers of deaths in each area (in this case, grouped by parliamentary constituency), to discern if there is a relationship between the number of groups and the perceived need by volume of violence.

Table 1: Numbers of Deaths 1969-2005 and Numbers of Organisations in Receipt of Victims and Survivors Funds from OFMdFM 2011-15 by Parliamentary Constituency<sup>42</sup>

Location	No. Deaths	No. support groups
Belfast East	143	3
Belfast North	629	10
Belfast South	192	10
Belfast West	663	11
East Antrim	40	1
East Londonderry	83	2
EU	21	
Fermanagh & South Tyrone	229	20
Foyle	253	10
Great Britain	123	
Lagan Valley	82	1
Mid Ulster	105	4
Newry & Armagh	432	9
North Antrim	41	1
North Down	14	1
Republic of Ireland	115	
South Antrim	72	1
South Down	94	3
Strangford	25	2
Upper Bann	152	3
West Tyrone	141	15
Grand Total	3,649	107

There are a number of caveats to be considered in relation to this data:

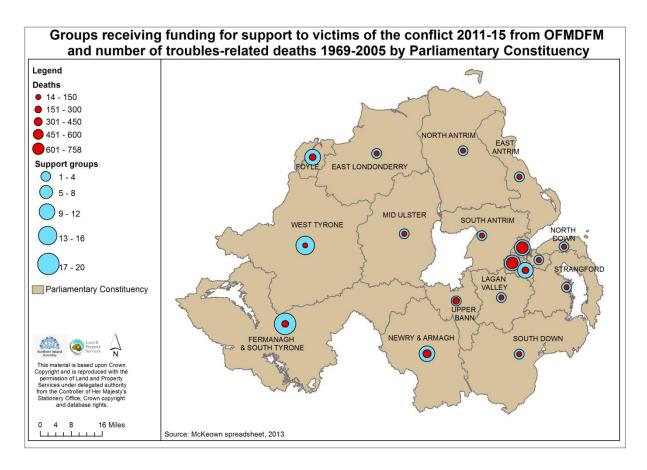
 Correlation is between the number of groups and deaths, rather than the amount of funding committed to each area.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>42</sup> Data on deaths from the Michael McKeown dataset, CAIN website, accessed 17 September 2014: <a href="http://cain.ulst.ac.uk/victims/mckeown/index.html">http://cain.ulst.ac.uk/victims/mckeown/index.html</a>; data on groups from Appendices 1-3 in this paper. There are in fact 110 individual organisations listed in these appendices, but three addresses were not available for the purposes of this table.

 The data uses deaths as a measure of conflict intensity and therefore potential victimhood, but this does not allow for impacts of the conflict on individuals where death may not have taken place

- The locations of organisations and the areas they provide services to may differ, for example, for organisations with offices in Belfast providing services across Northern Ireland
- Funding provision is not dependent on the nature of the organisation, but rather
  the services they provide, so some may be termed 'victims and survivors
  groups' while others are general service providers that also work with victims
  and survivors
- Specific services provided by organisations differ as to the nature and range of support and the constituency which they support, for example:
  - Mixed groups providing a range of services to victims and survivors
  - Groups supporting former member of the security forces and their families
  - o Groups supporting other former combatants and their families
  - o Groups with a campaigning focus
  - Organisations providing services to the general population as well as victims and survivors, such as psychological support or alternative therapies
  - Groups supporting particular sections of the community, such as women or young people

The data in Table 1 are presented in the map below.



The map suggests there is a relatively close correlation between deaths and organisations supporting victims in North and West Belfast and Upper Bann, less so in West Tyrone and Fermanagh and South Tyrone. However, along with the caveats listed above, access to support in rural areas may be a factor in a need for a greater number of groups in the west.

The issue of duplication of services between groups was raised in a briefing to the Committee for OFMdFM on 7 May 2014, to which the Chief Executive of the Victims and Survivors Service responded<sup>43</sup>:

On the geographical location of some of the groups, we are satisfied that there is no duplication of services in those areas. It is not that clients are moving from one group to another and getting the same thing in different groups. You are absolutely right that people go to different groups for different things, and we are satisfied that those services are provided. The groups provide quarterly monitoring and evaluation reports that are signed off, and we are very comfortable with that. The board has asked the executive team to provide it with a geographical spread of services, and we are in the middle of doing that, to inform the commission and policymakers about how they may want to do that.

<sup>43</sup> Committee for the Office of the First Minister and deputy First Minister - Victims and Survivors Service Briefing 7 May 2014: <a href="http://www.niassembly.gov.uk/Assembly-Business/Official-Report/Committee-Minutes-of-Evidence/Session-2013-2014/May-2014/Victims-and-Survivors-Service-Briefing/">http://www.niassembly.gov.uk/Assembly-Business/Official-Report/Committee-Minutes-of-Evidence/Session-2013-2014/May-2014/Victims-and-Survivors-Service-Briefing/</a>.

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#### Peace III

The EU Special Support Programme for Peace and Reconciliation in Northern Ireland and the Border Region of Ireland, which became known as PEACE I, was established by the European Union to<sup>44</sup>:

make a positive response to the opportunities presented by developments in the Northern Ireland peace process during 1994, especially the announcements of cessation of violence by the main republican and loyalist paramilitary organisations.

The initial programme was followed by further programmes to promote peace and reconciliation in Northern Ireland, as follows:

- Peace I €667 million 1995-1999
- Peace II €995 million 2000-2004
- Peace II Extension €160 million 2005-2006
- Peace III allocated €225 million for the period 2007-2013

According to the Operational Programme for Peace III<sup>45</sup>:

The overall objective of the Peace III Programme is to reinforce progress towards a peaceful and stable society and to promote reconciliation in Northern Ireland and the Border Region. Building on the successes and lessons of the PEACE I (1995-1999) and PEACE II (2000-2006) Programmes, the PEACE III Programme will have a continued and renewed emphasis on reconciliation and will specifically focus on reconciling communities and contributing towards a shared society.

To this end, the Programme had two priorities, each having two key themes<sup>46</sup>:

- Priority 1: Reconciling Communities:
  - 1.1 Building Positive Relations at the Local Level
  - 1.2 Acknowledging and Dealing with the Past
- Priority 2: Contributing to a Shared Society:
  - 2.1 Creating Shared Public Spaces
  - 2.2 Key Institutional Capacities are Developed for a Shared Society

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>44</sup> Special EU Programmes Body (2007), Peace III – EU Programme for Peace and Reconciliation 2007-2013 Northern Ireland and the Border Region of Ireland: Operation Programme, Belfast: SEUPB, p.4:

http://www.seupb.eu/Libraries/PEACE\_III\_Reports\_Pubs/PEACE\_III\_Operational\_Programme.sflb.ashx.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>45</sup> SEUPB (2007), Peace III – EU Programme for Peace and Reconciliation 2007-2013 – Northern Ireland and the Border Region of Ireland: Operation Programme, Belfast: SEUPB, p.52:

http://www.seupb.eu/Libraries/PEACE\_III\_Reports\_Pubs/PEACE\_III\_Operational\_Programme.sflb.ashx.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>46</sup> Ibid., pp.53-61.

In this framework, Priority 1.2 provides funds for the support of victims and survivors of the conflict.

The Special EU Programmes Body is responsible for the delivery of the Peace III Programme, but a consortium of the Community Relations Council and Pobal<sup>47</sup> were appointed to deliver Priority 1.2 Acknowledging and Dealing with the Past<sup>48</sup>.

Peace III has a total allocation of €333 million and the most recent annual report available from SEUPB states that €344 million has been committed (over-commitment to allow for predicted slippage)<sup>49</sup>. This is not broken down by Priority, but a list of projects and allocations to Priority 1.2 reported in an Assembly Question answered in April 2014<sup>50</sup> totals €45,856,876.78<sup>51</sup>.

A list of projects funded under Priority 1.2 is at Appendix 4. This list shows 71 individual organisations received funding, 21 of which are also listed as having received funding for victims and survivors via the Community Relations Council or Victims and Survivors Service. A further 13 organisations are situated in the Republic of Ireland, as Peace III is a cross-border programme, and one in London. The remaining 36 organisations in Northern Ireland added to the 110 organisations in receipt of victims and survivors funding referred to above indicates that 146 separate organisations in Northern Ireland have been in receipt of money for the support of victims and survivors in that jurisdiction.

#### **Other Programmes**

Victims and survivors groups could apply for funds from any source, such as other Priorities from the Peace Programme or other community relations programmes. In most cases, it is not possible to differentiate what constitutes support to victims and survivors from other funded activities. Examples of significant funding sources are as follows:

- Community Relations Council funding schemes<sup>52</sup>
- International Fund for Ireland<sup>53</sup>
- Atlantic Philanthropies<sup>54</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>47</sup> 'Theme 1.2: Acknowledging and dealing with the past', Pobal website, accessed 8 September 2014: https://www.pobal.ie/FundingProgrammes/Peace/Pages/Theme-1-2.aspx.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>48</sup> 'SEUPB - Details of calls by the Consortium - Pobal/CRC', SEUPB website, accessed 8 September 2014: http://www.seupb.eu/programmes2007-2013/peaceiiiprogramme/detailscall.aspx.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>49</sup> SEUPB Annual Report and Accounts 2012, p.11:

http://www.seupb.eu/Libraries/Corporate Documents/Annual Report English 2012.sflb.ashx.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>50</sup> AQW 21486/11-15, answered 22 April 2014. See Appendix 4.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>51</sup> At 0.8 Euro to the Pound Sterling, this equates to £36,752,663.24.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>52</sup> 'Funding schemes', Community Relations Council website, accessed 8 September 2014: <a href="http://www.community-relations.org.uk/funding-schemes/">http://www.community-relations.org.uk/funding-schemes/</a>.

<sup>53 &#</sup>x27;About the Fund', International Fund for Ireland website, accessed 8 September 2014: http://www.internationalfundforireland.com/about-the-fund.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>54</sup> 'About Atlantic', Atlantic Philanthropies website, accessed 8 September 2014: <a href="http://www.atlanticphilanthropies.org/about-atlantic">http://www.atlanticphilanthropies.org/about-atlantic</a>.

- Department of Foreign Affairs<sup>55</sup>
- Local councils

The landscape of funding for organisations supporting victims and survivors is therefore complex.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>55</sup> 'How we spend your money', Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade website, accessed 8 September 2014: https://www.dfa.ie/about-us/what-we-do/how-we-spend-your-money/.

Appendix 1: Victims Support Programme Funded Organisations 2013-2015<sup>56</sup>

#### Large Grant Scheme (£75,000+)

<b>Group Name</b>	Confirmed Award (Y1)	Confirmed Award (Y2)	Final Total Award
Aisling Centre	£68,694.82	£68,694.82	£137,389.64
Antrim Youth	£33,559.00	£33,559.00	£67,118.00
Ashton Community Trust	£388,455.00	£436,470.60	£824,925.60
Aurora Counselling	£88,900.23	£87,575.23	£176,475.46
CALMS	£152,092.00	£177,444.00	£329,536.00
Centre for Health and Wellbeing	£34,623.00	£26,532.00	£61,155.00
Colin Community	£48,608.18	£52,934.23	£101,542.41
Combat Stress / Ex Services	£129,704.00	£86,440.62	£216,144.62
Corpus Christi	£198,381.38	£201,325.69	£399,707.07
County Armagh Phoenix	£42,255.33	£40,092.00	£82,347.33
Crossfire Trust	£86,102.96	£86,102.96	£172,205.92
Cruse Bereavement Care	£57,989.00	£58,206.00	£116,195.00
Cunámh	£123,642.00	£123,642.00	£247,284.00
Derry Well Women	£90,652.00	£89,402.00	£180,054.00
Ely Centre	£183,832.19	£175,607.23	£359,439.42
Families Beyond Conflict	£49,746.41	£49,746.41	£99,492.82
Families Moving On	£100,018.62	£94,236.98	£194,255.60
FASA	£79,313.00	£79,313.00	£158,626.00
Firinne	£155,609.00	£152,414.00	£308,023.00
Have Your Tomorrows	£30,027.00	£30,027.00	£60,054.00
HAVEN	£58,461.00	£56,790.00	£115,251.00
Holy Trinity Centre	£89,720.09	£89,720.09	£179,440.18
JIVT	£97,370.00	£134,940.00	£232,310.00
Lenadoon Community Forum	£78,740.00	£78,740.00	£157,480.00
MAST	£55,745.00	£58,887.02	£114,632.02
MUVE Project	£53,831.00	£59,023.00	£112,854.00
New Life Counselling	£140,145.00	£140,145.00	£280,290.00
NI Phoenix	£10,913.00	£70,875.00	£81,788.00
Northern Ireland Music Therapy Trust	£69,361.00	£71,363.00	£140,724.00
NOVA	£122,655.00	£122,655.00	£245,310.00
Omagh Support and Self Help Group	£112,590.00	£116,633.00	£229,223.00
Praxis	£25,473.00	£25,473.00	£50,946.00
React	£65,137.10	£59,455.00	£124,592.10

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From the VSS website, as at 15 August 2014, accessed 8 September 2014:

<a href="http://www.victimsservice.org/pages/index.asp?title=Victims">http://www.victimsservice.org/pages/index.asp?title=Victims</a> and Survivors Service Funded Organisations 2013-2015.

TOTAL	£5.571.300.12	£5.709.182.21	£11.280.482.33
West Tyrone Voice	£72,416.50	£76,904.00	£149,320.50
WAVE Trauma Centre	£1,197,462.05	£1,156,821.00	£2,354,283.05
VAST	£109,783.50	£109,747.50	£219,531.00
UDR Coleraine	£45,615.00	£40,496.00	£86,111.00
Tyrone East Phoenix	£53,244.66	£61,101.00	£114,345.66
Survivors of Trauma	£109,220.00	£108,596.00	£217,816.00
Springhill Community House	£79,449.76	£76,174.19	£155,623.95
SEFF	£249,663.33	£272,508.48	£522,171.81
SARWN	£50,735.00	£51,020.00	£101,755.00
Relatives For Justice	£481,364.01	£521,349.16	£1,002,713.17

#### Small Grant Scheme (Up to £75,000)

<b>Group Name</b>	Confirmed Award (Y1)	Confirmed Award (Y2)	Final Total Award
Carers Association	£0.00	£24,040.00	£24,040.00
Castle Hill Foundation Disabled Police	£25,106.67	£41,330.00	£66,436.67
Officers Association NI East Belfast	£27,000.00	£10,930.00	£37,930.00
Community Counselling Centre	£21,556.00	£56,640.00	£78,196.00
Eglinton Building Bridges	£20,136.00	£28,708.00	£48,844.00
FAIR	£67,790.00	£75,000.00	£142,790.00
Green Shoot Productions	£36,300.00	£0.00	£36,300.00
Koram Centre	£18,000.00	£74,999.48	£92,999.48
Larne Voluntary Welfare Group Military and Police	£16,110.00	£17,860.00	£33,970.00
Support of West Tyrone	£57,807.60	£73,080.00	£130,887.60
Newry and Mourne Voluntary Welfare Group	£6,006.00	£19,802.00	£25,808.00
Omagh Police Wives	£3,134.80	£3,936.21	£7,071.01
Pat Finucane Centre	£3,250.09	£5,736.93	£8,987.02
Peace Factory Regimental	£5,960.00	£27,290.00	£33,250.00
Association of UDR CGC Clogher Royal Irish Regiment	£9,469.00	£13,928.00	£23,397.00
Fermanagh and South Tyrone	£3,594.00	£13,256.00	£16,850.00
RUC GC Association County Armagh	£18,555.00	£16,870.00	£35,425.00
RUC GC Association	£3,160.00	£0.00	£3,160.00

Omagh			
South Down Action For Healing Wounds	£5,850.00	£28,590.00	£34,440.00
Strule Association	£0.00	£18,417.00	£18,417.00
UDR Regimental Association Castlederg	£3,225.00	£0.00	£3,225.00
UDR Regimental Association Enniskillen	£17,784.00	£20,708.00	£38,492.00
UDR Regimental Association Lisnaskea	£13,600.00	£14,820.00	£28,420.00
Ulster Human Rights Watch	£30,305.00	£19,516.00	£49,821.00
USCA North Antrim	£8,235.97	£10,080.00	£18,315.97
USCA Omagh	£0.00	£3,377.50	£3,377.50
Workers' Educational Association	£10,958.00	£0.00	£10,958.00
Wounded Police and Families Association	£18,454.00	£20,114.00	£38,568.00
TOTAL	£451,347.13	£639,029.12	£1,090,376.25

# Appendix 2: Recipients of Victims and Survivors Funds via the Community Relations Council April – November 2012<sup>57</sup>

#### Victims Development Scheme

Ref	Group	Summary	Amount Paid (£)
Ards			
121702	Wounded Police and Families Association	Respite breaks, pantomime, art therapy, befriending, sightseeing tour and away day.	14,135.34
		Total for Ards	14,135.34
Armagh			
121496	Armagh Voluntary Welfare Group	Weekend respite trip to Southport.	7,375.04
121632	FAIR	Running costs, training, befriending and respite activities.	16,631.00
121736	RUC GC Association- Armagh Branch	Respite trip to London Remembrance Parade and Titanic Quarter Belfast.	6,102.40
		Total for Armagh	30,108.44
Banbrid	ge		
121697	South Down Action for Healing Wounds	Complementary therapies, yoga classes. Action Cancer Big Bus, respite trips, befriending, welfare advice, classes, memorial quilt, creative writing, needs analysis, rental and stationery costs.	30,855.25
		Total for Banbridge	30,855.25
Belfast			
121545	Disabled Police Officers Association NI	Conference and respite breaks.	3,200.00
		Total for Belfast	3,200.00
Cooksto	own		
121690	Comrades Support Group	Respite and Educational Support Days	6,958.40
		Total for Cookstown	6,958.40
Derry			
121555	Eglinton Building Bridges	Respite trips to Staffordshire, ROI and monthly meetings.	8,993.60
		Total for Derry	8,993.60

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>57</sup> From the Community Relations Council Annual Report and Accounts 31 March 2013, pp.103-114: <a href="http://www.community-relations.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2014/01/CRC-Annual-report\_Layout-1-4.pdf">http://www.community-relations.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2014/01/CRC-Annual-report\_Layout-1-4.pdf</a>.

Dungannon and South Tyrone				
121628	Comrades Support Group - Dungannon Branch	Respite trip to Llandudno and Chester.	5,598.20	
121631	Victims Support Welfare Group	Respite trip to Trooping of the Colour.	4,584.00	
121649	USC Assoc - Clogher Branch	Respite trips to Dublin and South Armagh and rental for committee meetings.	2,206.40	
121723	Regimental Association of the Ulster Defence Regiment-Old Comrades- Clogher Branch	Respite trips to London and N. Ireland.	3,012.80	
		Total for Dungannon and South Tyrone	15,401.40	
Fermanag	gh			
121484	Fermanagh Voluntary Welfare Support Group	Newsletter boat trip, autumn respite, AGM and meetings, bus trip, festival of remembrance, theatre trip.	8,608.80	
121491	Ulster Defence Regimental Association Enniskillen Branch	Befriending programme and respite trips to Belfast and Armagh.	12,208.00	
121497	UDR Association - Lisnaskea Branch	Respite trips to the Arboretum Lichfield, Titanic Quarter and South Armagh.	7,431.20	
121498	Ladies Friendship Group	Remembrance Tour to the National Arboretum in Lichfield.	7,600.00	
121501	Royal Irish Rangers Association Enniskillen Branch	Respite trip to Ternhill Old Soldiers' Day and Rangers' Day.	8,223.60	
121630	Ladies Friendship Group	Respite trips to Titanic Museum, theatre and meal, New Year Get Together, matinee event and administration and management costs.	1,696.00	
121639	USC Association- Lisnaskea Branch	Befriending costs, reward days, respite trips to Balmoral Show, Llandudno, Titanic Exhibition, meetings and seminars.	9,902.90	
121693	Regimental Association of RIR CGC Fermanagh and South Tyrone Branch	Respite trips to Dublin Zoo and Somme Heritage Centre and rental for monthly meetings.	1,961.60	
121698	Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers Regimental Assoc (Enniskillen Branch)	Respite trips to Sligo, South Armagh, Dublin and publication.	9,420.60	
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Larne			
121519	Larne Voluntary Welfare Group	Befriending Project for Members.	7,520.00
		Total for Larne	7,520.00
Multiple	Areas		
121494	County Armagh Phoenix Group	Befriending Scheme.	7,585.60
121500	Wives Club 6UDR	Respite trips to Sligo, Portrush, Bangor, Scotland and organisational development.	5,627.20
121516	Tyrone East Phoenix Group	Befriending Service and reward days.	10,377.50
121520	Fire Service Past Members Association	Respite break to Wexford.	5,811.76
121543	Royal Ulster Constabulary GC Association	Meetings, office hire, stationery, newsletter, memorial service, trips to National Police Memorial, Dublin and coffee mornings.	11,235.00
121544	Tyrone West Phoenix Group	Befriending training classes, meetings, stationery and therapies.	23,978.00
121659	Aughnacloy Comrades Support Group	Respite trips to Bantry Bay and theatre.	5,864.00
121663	Tyrone East Phoenix Group	Complementary therapies, respite trips to Londonderry and Drogheda, training, memorial quilt and book of reflections, needs analysis and 3 year strategic development plan.	12,574.10
121696	Justice for Innocent Victims of Terrorism	Complementary therapies, networking initiative, DVD project, advocacy service, travel allowance, venue hire, admin, stationery and respite weekend.	17,019.60
121700	Women's Common Paths Network	Etching Mosaic and Jewellery Workshops.	3,904.00
121724	HELP NI	Venue hire, insurance, stationery, audit, software, hospitality, sessional work, travel and web design.	18,090.00
		Total for Multiple	122,066.76
Newry &	Mourne		
121495	Newry & Mourne Voluntary Welfare Group	Befriending project and trips to Donegal, Fermanagh and Belfast.	14,081.20
121546	Fews Community Association for Victims/survivors	Befriending service, advice clinic, respite trips and classes.	15,018.50
121627	Newry & Mourne Voluntary Welfare Group	Befriending Project.	192.00
		Total for Newry and Mourne	29,291.70

North Do	wn		
121547	Belfast Branch Royal Artillery Association	Respite trip.	2,444.57
		Total for North Down	2,444.57
Omagh			
121492	The Strule Association	Trips to Dungannon, Armagh, Donegal and Bangor.	6,102.00
121503	Omagh Police Wives	Office equipment and stationery, gift token for talk and trip to Derry Jazz Festival.	1,134.70
121548	The Regimental Association of the Ulster Defence Regiment Old Comrades- Omagh Branch	Meetings, stationery, advertising and respite trips.	7,149.80
		Total for Omagh	14,386.50
Strabane			
121626	Regimental Association of the Ulster Defence Regiment Castlederg Branch	Respite trips to Stormont, City Hall, Somme Association and National Memorial Arboretum and venue hire.	7,873.60
		Total for Strabane	7,873.60
		Overall Total	360,288.26

#### Victims Strategic Support Fund

Ref	Group	Summary	Amount Paid
Antrim			(£)
121456	Antrim Youth Information & Counselling Centre	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	24,759.25
		Total for Antrim	24,759.25
Armagh			
121448	Restorative Action Following on The Troubles	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	113,024.12
121449	REACT	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	68,500.33
121462	Crossfire Trust	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	74,407.00
		Total for Armagh	255,931.45
Banbridge	е		
121473	South Down Action for Healing Wounds	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	11,679.73
		Total for Banbridge	11,679.73
Belfast			
121416	Haven Victim Support Group	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	54,548.50
121428	Victims and Survivors Trust (VAST)	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	100,326.37
121432	Lenadoon Community Forum	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	59,054.91
121437	New Life Counselling Service	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	100,610.31

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121446	Columba Celtic Heritage Support Services	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	47,192.75
121470	C.A.L.M.S	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	145,386.82
121475	Aurora Counselling	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	65,613.07
		Total for Derry	486,540.42
Dunganno	n and South Ty	rone	
121454	The Peace Factory	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	96,464.59
		Total for Dungannon and South Tyrone	96,464.59
Fermanag	h		
121425	Aisling Centre	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	49,792.11
121460	South East Fermanagh Foundation	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	203,472.61
121479	The Ely Centre	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	188,673.81
121480	Firinne	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	116,339.50
		Total for Fermanagh	558,278.03
Lisburn			
121443	Colin Community Counselling Project	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	45,071.86
		Total for Lisburn	45,071.86
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121452	NI Music Therapy Trust	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	47,553.25
121455	Contact	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	16,322.99

		Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	
121489	South Armagh Rural Women's	Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.  Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	55,445.13
	Network	Total for Multiple	1,843,580.83
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Newry & Mourne			
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Newry & I 121447	Mourne Action for Survivors of Terrorism	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	59,792.09
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-	Mourne Action for Survivors of	Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	-
121447 Omagh 110935	Mourne Action for Survivors of	Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	<b>59,792.09</b> 1,297.45
121447 Omagh 110935	Mourne Action for Survivors of Terrorism  Families Moving On  West Tyrone Voice	Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.  Total for Newry and Mourne  Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.  Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	<b>59,792.09</b> 1,297.45 69,607.84
121447 Omagh 110935	Mourne Action for Survivors of Terrorism  Families Moving On  West Tyrone	Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.  Total for Newry and Mourne  Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.  Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with	<b>59,792.09</b> 1,297.45
121447 Omagh 110935	Mourne Action for Survivors of Terrorism  Families Moving On  West Tyrone Voice  Families	Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.  Total for Newry and Mourne  Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.  Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.  Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Costs and Salaries for groups working with	<b>59,792.09</b> 1,297.45 69,607.84
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Strabane			
121466	The Koram Centre	Service Delivery, Operational and Running Costs and Salaries for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	96,894.30
		Total for Strabane	96,894.30
		Overall Total	4,689,251.52

# Appendix 3: Recipients of Victims and Survivors Funds via the Community Relations Council April 2011 – March 2012<sup>58</sup>

#### Victims and Survivors Core Funding

Ref	Group	Summary	Amount Paid (£)
Armagh Cit	y & District Council		
111061	FAIR	Core funding	18,475.16
		Total for Armagh	18,475.16
Belfast City	Council		
100124	Nexus Institute	Salaries and Running Costs for Victims and Survivors Groups.	8,204.23
111063	Streetbeat Youth Project	Core funding extension	10,495.17
		Total for Belfast	18,699.40
Derry City C	Council		
111062	United Services Club Victims Survivors Group	Core funding extension	6,957.53
111064	Lifeways Psychotherapy & Counselling Centre	Core funding extension	11,155.03
		Total for Derry	18,112.56
		Overall Total	55,287.12

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>58</sup> From the Community Relations Council Annual Report and Accounts 2012: <a href="http://www.community-relations.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2013/12/crc-annual-report-2012.pdf">http://www.community-relations.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2013/12/crc-annual-report-2012.pdf</a>.

## Victims and Survivors Development Grant Scheme

Ref	Group	Summary	Amount Paid
All Counci	ils		(£)
111174	Lifeline	Overnight Respite Support Programme.	465.79
111186	Wounded Police & Families Association	Programme of activities to support victims and survivors of the Troubles.	13,397.71
111211	Justice for Innocent Victims of Terrorism	Advocacy and Storytelling.	15,127.28
		Total for All Councils	28,990.78
Armagh C	ity & District Council		
111178	Armagh Voluntary Welfare Group	Respite weekend trip to Southport.	6,811.90
111188	Crossfire Trust	Group work engaging with young people with complex emotional or mental health support needs.	6,864.00
111209	County Armagh Phoenix Group	Befriending Scheme.	6,230.60
		Total for Armagh	19,906.50
Banbridge	District Council		
111170	Together Encouraging and Remembering (TEAR)	Respite Support Programme.	3,894.50
		Total for Banbridge	3,894.50
Belfast Cit	ty Council		
100404	Hurt Group	Workplan of services and activities to support victims/survivors.	7,318.00
100448	WAVE	Storytelling Project.	1,000.00
111141	Centre for Health and Well Being	Programme of complementary therapies.	15,180.00
111179	Streetbeat Youth Project	One to one counselling for victims and survivors/ life skills programmes and specific group therapy programmes.	14,514.35
111220	McGurk's Memorial Fund	Storytelling Project.	5,360.00
		Total for Belfast	43,372.35
Cookstow	n Borough Council		
111184	Cookstown Voluntary Support Group	Respite Support Programme.	944.00
111196	Colleague Support Group	Respite trip to Portrush Air Show.	1,537.00

111202	Comrades Support Group	Respite trips.	9,860.00
		Total for Cookstown	12,341.00
Derry City			
111238	Eglinton Building Bridges	Respite Support Programme and Personal Development.	16,222.00
		Total for Derry	16,222.00
		Total for Berry	10,222.00
Dunganno	n and South Tyrone Borough Cou	uncil	
111192	Comrades Support Group -	Respite and educational support.	5,093.00
444400	Dungannon Branch	2 " 2 12	0.000.00
111193	Victims Support Welfare Group	Respite Support Programme.	8,932.00
111203	Aughnacloy Comrades	Respite Support Programme.	5,755.00
	Support Group		·
		Total for Dungannon	19,780.00
Formanagi	h District Council		
100228	UDR Association - Lisnaskea	Social Inclusion Befriending and	1,102.70
100228	Branch	Respite Support Programme.	1,102.70
111143	Fermanagh Voluntary Welfare	Programme of activities to support	13,706.24
	Support Group	victims and survivors of the Troubles.	
111150	Ulster Defence Regimental	Befriending service/ respite trip to	12,006.26
444400	Association Enniskillen Branch	Londonderry.	0.450.00
111180	Ladies Friendship Group	Programme of activities to support victims and survivors of the Troubles.	8,152.00
111207	UDR Association - Lisnaskea	Respite Support Programme.	7,472.00
	Branch		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
111210	Royal Irish Rangers	Respite Support Programme.	10,364.00
	Association Enniskillen Branch		
111214	Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers Regimental Assoc (Enniskillen	Programme of activities.	2,733.53
	Branch)		
111222	USC Association- Lisnaskea	Respite Support Programme	7,213.00
	Branch	meetings and seminars.	
111226	Fermanagh Phoenix Group	Befriending service and training and	5,990.80
		personal development courses.  Total for Fermanagh	68,740.53
		. Star for Fermanagn	00,740.33
Larne Boro	ough Council		
111190	Larne Voluntary Welfare	Respite Support Programme and	4,325.82
	Group	befriending training.	4 227 02
		Total for Larne	4,325.82
Multiple C	ouncils		
100429	WAVE	Residential for families of people who	358.15
		have disappeared during the	
		Troubles.	

111121	Disabled Deline Officers	Door to Commont Decommon and	F 07C F0
	Disabled Police Officers	Respite Support Programme and	5,976.50
1 1	Association NI	three day care services and wellbeing	
		convention.	
	Wives Club UDR	Respite Support Programme.	3,910.80
	Fire Service Past Members Association	Respite Support Programme.	5,538.26
111177	Have Your Tomorrows (Hurt)	Integrative therapeutic counselling,	16,175.42
		complementary therapies and	
		accredited education programmes.	
111181	USCA North Antrim	Programme of activities to support	8,377.97
		victims and survivors of the troubles.	
	Regimental Association of RIR	Respite Support Programme and hire	3,561.00
	CGC Fermanagh and South	of hall for meetings.	
_	Tyrone Branch		
111201	Tyrone East Phoenix Group	Programme of activities to support	12,252.00
		victims and survivors of the Troubles.	
	North West Phoenix	Respite Support Programme.	4,286.00
	Women's Common Paths	Production of a stained glass window	7,134.00
	Network	and publication of the stories	
		contained in the window.	
111216	Teach na Failte	Psychotherapeutic intervention for	53,911.06
		victims and survivors of the troubles	
		and social support programme.	
	Forum For Action On	Counselling Provision to support	97,090.00
l !	Substance	victims and survivors of the troubles	
1 1		and Governance training for	
111224	Ards & North Down Phoenix	committee.	7 400 07
		Programme of activities to support victims and survivors.	7,498.97
	Royal Ulster Constabulary GC	Programme of activities to support	4,384.94
	Association	victims and survivors.	
		Total for Multiple	230,455.07
Newry & Mo	ourne District Council		
111171	Newry & Mourne Voluntary	Programme of activities to support	4,842.20
	Welfare Group	victims and survivors.	
	Fews Community Association	Befriending Support and Respite	7,840.00
	for Victims/survivors	Support Programme.	
		Total for Newry and Mourne	12,682.20
Omagh Distr	rict Council		
100319	Families Moving On	Annual Programme of activities and	556.81
		services specifically designed to	
		support Victims/Survivors.	
111140	Omagh Police Wives	Multiple activities to support victims	2,351.00
l		and survivors of the Troubles.	
111159	Omagh Police Voluntary	Annual programme of events to	1,498.60
,	Welfare Group	support victims and survivors of the	
		Troubles.	

111175	The Strule Association	Programme of activities to support victims and survivors of the Troubles.	6,215.00
111195	Ulster Special Constabulary - Omagh	Respite and organisational support.	8,536.80
111206	The Regimental Association of the Ulster Defence Regiment Old Comrades- Omagh Branch	Programme of activities to support victims and survivors of the troubles.	5,889.00
111236	Tyrone West Phoenix Group	Programme of activities to support victims and survivors of the troubles.	10,831.20
		Total for Omagh	35,878.41
Strabane D	District Council		
111208	Regimental Association of the Ulster Defence Regiment Castlederg Branch	Respite Support Programme.	2,843.20
		Total for Strabane	2,843.20
Overall Total			499,432.36

## Victims and Survivors Strategic Support Fund

Ref	Group	Summary	Amount Paid (£)		
All Coun	All Councils				
110926	Ex Services Mental Welfare Society	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	81,642.00		
		Total for All Councils	81,642.00		
Antrim E	Borough Council				
110913	Antrim Youth Information & Counselling centre	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	31,600.67		
		Total for Antrim	31,600.67		
Armagh	City & District Council				
110932	Restorative Action Following on the Troubles	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	94,835.37		
110937	REACT	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	33,473.34		
		Total for Armagh	128,308.71		
Banbridg	ge District Council				
110909	South Down Action for Healing Wounds	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	101,178.66		
		Total for Banbridge	101,178.66		
Belfast C	ity Council				
110910	Haven Victim Support Group	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	62,122.89		
110917	Springhill Community House	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	94,714.86		
110919	Families Beyond Conflict	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	48,848.40		

110921	Survivors of Trauma	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of	145,611.91
110927	Niamh (Northern Ireland Association for Mental Health	the Troubles.  Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	73,438.32
110930	Wider Circle	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	77,379.09
111067	New Life Counselling Service Ardoyne	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	166,274.47
111068	Holy Trinity Centre	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	43,425.02
111069	Victims and Survivors Trust (VAST)	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	128,519.42
111070	Corpus Christi Services	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	158,404.66
111073	Ashton Community Trust	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	456,889.20
111074	Relatives for Justice	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	514,664.45
111077	Lenadoon Community Counselling Network	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	77,448.13
111078	Colin Community Counselling Project	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	68,796.00
111081	WAVE Trauma Centre Belfast	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	1,138,020.70
		Total for Belfast	3,254,557.52

Colerain	Coleraine Borough Council			
110908	Regimental Association of UDR	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	50,466.96	
		Total for Coleraine	50,466.96	
Craigavo	n Borough Council			
110911	HURT	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	107,414.23	
		Total for Craigavon	107,414.23	
Derry Cit	y Council			
110533	Derry Well Woman	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	83,385.13	
110925	C.A.L.M.S	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	154,216.15	
110931	Columba Celtic Heritage Support Services	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	65,668.59	
111066	Aurora Counselling Services	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	84,527.94	
111072	Pat Finucane Centre	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	22,370.71	
111076	Cunamh	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	169,444.86	
	579,613.38			
Dunganr	on and South Tyrone B	orough Council		
110924	West Tyrone Voice	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	62,356.23	

110934	The Peace Factory	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	67,486.96
		Total for Dungannon	129,843.19
Fermana	gh District Council		
110915	Aisling Centre	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	66,885.81
110920	South East Fermanagh Foundation	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	206,313.56
110923	Ely Centre	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	159,829.10
111075	Firinne	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	153,191.57
		Total for Fermanagh	586,220.04
Multiple	Councils		
110912	Contact	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	58,836.34
110914	HELP NI	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	61,130.86
110916	NOVA	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	126,367.99
110918	NI Music Therapy Trust	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	35,774.05
		Total for Multiple	282,109.24

Newry &	Newry & Mourne District Council			
110928	Mourne Action for Survivors of Terrorism	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	75,883.32	
		Total for Newry and Mourne	75,883.32	
Omagh [	District Council			
110935	Families Moving On	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	93,199.91	
110938	Omagh Support & Self Help Group	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	132,849.67	
111065	Tara Centre	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	124,753.08	
111079	Northern Ireland Centre for Trauma & Transformation	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	211,305.76	
		Total for Omagh	562,108.42	
Strabane	District Council			
111071	The Koram Centre	Service delivery, operational and running costs and salaries for groups working with for groups working with Victims and Survivors of the Troubles.	134,808.77	
	Total for Strabane			
	Overall Total			

## Appendix 4: Funds Allocated Under Priority 1.2 of Peace III<sup>59</sup>

Lead Partner	Project Name	Funding allocated (€)
An Teach Bán: Centre for Peace Building	Remember and Change	529,324.20
Ashton Community Trust	Bridge Of Hope	455,026.41
Ashton Community Trust	Exploring the Past Together for a Better Future	476,378.17
Belfast Interface Project	Enabling Our Future	452,390.25
Belfast Unemployed Resource Centre	Citizenship and Fellowship Education [CAFE]	434,887.90
Best Cellars Music Collective	Peace Radio	179,532.49
BURC	DISC II	892,961.18
C.A.L.M.S	Gateways to Health	297,989.36
Calipo Theatre Co	Sharp Focus - Crossing the Divide	620,261.00
Cavan Family Resource Centre	Buandóchas (Eternal Hope)(B) Counselling	287,301.90
Communities Connect - Dundalk institute of Technology	Deepening the peace, Widening the web - working title	565,837.87
Community Dialogue	Securing Our Future: 3 Steps to Dialogue	347,271.83
Community Workers Co- operative - Donegal Network	Harnessing Equality for Lasting Peace (HELP) Project	585,587.21
Community Workers Co- operative - Donegal Network	Collective Action for Positive Peace (CAPP) Project	486,335.00
Conflict trauma Resource centre	Beyond Conflict	471,582.71
Corpus Christi Services	Healing The Troubled Past	218,843.01
Creggan Neighbourhood Partnership	GOAL -	405,352.46
Crossfire Trust	restoring hope	319,835.48

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>59</sup> Information from AQW 21486/11-15, answered 22 April 2014.

Cunamh (Help)	Peace In Mind/Suaimhneas Intinne	325,098.59
Curriculum Development Unit	Education for Reconciliation	567,915.86
Diversity Challenges	The Green and Blue Across the Thin Line	256,001.20
Diversity Challenges Ltd	'The Way We Were' - Uncovering our shared past.	112,554.25
Expac	Future Resolutions	378,525.00
Expac Ltd	Conflicts of Interest	509,369.33
Falls Community Council	Belfast Conflict Resolution Consortium	965,964.69
Falls Community Council	Pieces of the Past	353,844.27
Falls Community Council	Belfast Conflict Resolution Consortium	975,265.50
Falls Women's Centre	Training & Employment Project	180,920.86
Families Acting for Innocent Relatives	SACRED - Support and Active  Carer Respite for Excluded  Dependents	177,086.71
Families Acting for Innocent Relatives	Conflict Archive Project And Border Lands Experience (CAPABLE)	216,828.55
Forthspring Inter Community Group	Five Decades	155,188.32
Forward Learning	Knowing Me Knowing You - A histroical and cultural adventure!	169,384.90
Gaslight Media Trust	Epilogues Facilitating Understanding of the Other	272,658.47
Gaslight Media Trust	'The Arc: Acknowledging the Past, Negotiating the Present & Facing the Future'	462,607.05
Healing Through Remembering	Whatever You Say Say Something	941,777.21
Healing Through Remembering	Voyager	634,357.44
Holy Trinity Centre	Out Of Hours Community	197,121.14

	Counselling Service	
INCORE	Journeys Out	488,905.18
Inishowen Development Partnership	YOUTH 52 - Securing the Future	637,923.29
Inishowen Development Partnership	Engage Youth	565,565.27
Institute for Counselling & Personal Development	RENEW-Community Challenge and change for peace & reconciliation	288,419.87
Ionad Forbartha Gnó Teo. t/a WESTBIC (Business Development Centre Ltd.)	Glórtha Aduaidh (Northern Voices)	653,513.00
Irish Football Association	Football For All Project	601,691.31
Irish Football Association	Football For All - 2012-2015 - Looking Back to Move Forward	644,135.72
Junior Achievement Ireland	Our World	594,148.00
Justice for Innocent Victims of Terrorism	Pathways to Justice	441,766.57
Latton Social Services and Development Ltd	Border Roads to Memories and Reconciliation	487,383.86
Monaghan Education Centre	Embracing Shared Communities	410,334.00
New Life Counselling	Victims and Survivors Counselling Project	244,277.68
North West Play Resource Centre	Theatre of Witness	552,488.35
North West Play Resource Centre (T/A The Playhouse)	Theatre of Witness	377,772.30
Northern Ireland Phoenix Organisation (NIPO)	Northern Ireland Phoenix Project	1,203,747.12
Northern Ireland Rural  Development Council (RDC)	"Media Initiative for Rural Children Cross Borders" (Respecting Difference Programme)	498,192.70
Northern Ireland Trade Union	DISC- Development for Inclusion	398,333.61

Education and Social Centre	and Sustainable Communities	
Pat Finucane Centre	Legacy Project	438,018.08
Peace and Reconciliation group	Dealing with Past, Shaping the Future (D.P.S.F.)	214,591.89
Queen Mary University of London	The Irish Peace Process: Layers of Recollection and Meaning	1,030,563.18
R.A,F.T Restorative Action Following the Troubles	Transcending Trauma	518,655.16
Relatives for Justice	Participative Transitional Support	634,940.25
Relatives for Justice	Transitional Legacies	290,088.45
SAVER/NAVER	Practical steps towards reconciliation	236,238.75
Seaview Enterprises Ltd	'Mes Que Un Club'	504,604.28
Smashing Times Theatre Company	The Memory Project	522,934.00
South Armagh Rural Women's Network	Behind the Masks	370,398.28
South East Fermanagh Foundation	The Phoenix Project	1,298,478.72
Survivors of Trauma	A Future Together	312,997.58
TARA CENTRE	Reconciliation: Individuals and Communites Acknowledging and Dealing with the Past	508,299.40
Taughmonagh community	Shared Futures	401,809.03
Taughmonagh community	Legacy	290,584.87
Teach Oscail (Open House)	Tullacmongan/Cavanaleck Cross Border Youth Project	391,153.57
The Bytes Project	Foundation for Reconciliation	112,391.69
The Corrymeela Community	Corrymeela Facing the Future with NICRAS	190,418.85
The Ely Centre	Project Elohim	328,221.35

The Pat Finucane Centre Ltd	Recovery of Living Memory Archive	751,735.72
The Peace Factory	P.A.Z. Peace Action Zone	346,740.63
Towards Understanding and Healing	Healing through Storytelling and Dialogue	268,267.61
Towards Understanding and Healing	Developing and Sustaining Storytelling and Dialogue Processes	416,970.57
Trademark	Consolidating the peace	299,003.27
Trauma Recovery Network	Connecting Head and Heart	260,567.77
Tyrone Donegal Partnership	Border Lives	496,532.70
Ulster Peoples College	THE PEOPLES HISTORY INITIATIVE	247,850.04
VERBAL ARTS CENTRE	Crows on the Wire	457,153.91
Victims and Survivors Trust	3 Tiers Project - Creating pathways for inclusion through active participation	238,107.58
WAVE Trauma Centre	WAVE- The Trauma Training Learning Pathway	772,705.01
WAVE TRAUMA CENTRE	Back to the Future - Building Peace Programme	252,054.92
WAVE Trauma Centre	Breaking the Cycle of the Troubles Legacy for our future Generations	369,107.83
WAVE Trauma Centre	Learning from the Past to educate our Future	641,935.76
Youth Initiatives	Crosslinks Culture Connections (CLCC or Crosslinks)	382,685.54
YOUTH INITIATIVES	Crosslinks Legacy Project	456,817.98
Youth Link: NI	Community Capacity Building Strategies	489,594.38
Youth Link: NI	Building Positive Sustainable and Integrated Communities	497,163.85
YouthAction NI	Peace Dividend For Young People	577,653.73

YouthAction Northern Ireland	Reconciling communities - champions for change	494,048.54
INCORE	Accounts of the Conflict in  Northern Ireland	1,349,036.42
National Museums Northern Ireland	Facing the Past	2,227,990.04