

## Report

**Report to** Twinning committee  
23 October 2014  
**Report of** Twinning officer  
**Subject** Twinning activities

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### Purpose

This report updates members on issues arising at the last meeting and advises members of the twinning fund balance.

### Recommendations

To note the report and that the twinning fund balance is in credit of £2,767.55 as at 15 October 2014.

### Contact Officers

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manager

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### Background Documents

None

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### **Twinning fund**

1. Taking into account the grant to the Triorca Trust for the 'Metamorphosen' concert of £300, agreed at the last meeting, the current balance of the twinning fund is £2,767.55
2. No applications for grants have been received for consideration at this meeting.
3. The council has agreed to allocate £2,000 to support twinning activities for the next financial year which will be added to the balance above.

### **Novi Sad friendship bridge plaque**

4. A replacement plaque for the Novi Sad friendship bridge has now been purchased and arrived at city hall.
5. The sign was sent securely to David McCarter, team manager for bridge maintenance at Norfolk County Council on 1 October.
6. Andy Futter contacted David on 15 October who confirmed that the plaque was now with the bridge maintenance team and would be fixed to the Riverside end of the bridge no later October 27.
7. This presents an opportunity for publicity for the Novi Sad Association through the unveiling of the plaque.