Policy & Resources Committee 11th February 2025

Request from Buckley Barracks

1. Purpose of the Report

To inform Members of a request from 9RLC Buckley Barracks.

2. Background

- 2.1 9RLC has provided assistance at many Town Council and other Community events; logistically and personnel provision.
- 2.2 The 9 Regiment RLC team seeks funding for the **104 Brigade Boxing**Inter Unit Championship on 13 Mar 2025, an event that will bring together all Regiments within 104 Brigade to compete for the Championship title. This competition will showcase the skills, determination and camaraderie of their boxers, creating a platform to highlight discipline, and dedication to the sport.
- 2.3 The Regiment is seeking to raise £12,000 to cover essential costs, including venue facility, equipment, safety measures, trophy's, promotional efforts, and participant logistics. Financial support would be instrumental in ensuring the success of this event, which aims to not only highlight the talent within the boxing unit but also foster camaraderie and community spirit.
- 2.4 Contribution will be recognised in impactful ways:
- **Brand Visibility:** Logo will feature prominently on event materials, signage, and online promotions.
- **Community Engagement:** Acknowledgment during the event, reinforcing commitment to supporting sports and the local community.

3. Financial Implications & Risks

The Council may offer financial support using the General Power of Competence, if it feels that the benefit is commensurate.

4. <u>Decision Required</u>

Members determine whether or not to contribute to the event and if so, how much.