



## **Failsworth and Hollinwood District Partnership**

**May 2013**

**Money management, 1<sup>st</sup> March to 30<sup>th</sup> April 2013**

### **1. Background**

- 1.1. Oldham CAB delivers debt advice sessions on a weekly basis in the Failsworth and Hollinwood District. These sessions alternate weekly between Failsworth Town Hall and Limehurst Library, complementing CAB sessions funded by Oldham Council that also alternate weekly ensuring weekly provision in both. We are delighted that this has been agreed to be continued in to this year.

### **2. Performance**

- 2.1. For this period we have seen 21 people, 15 in Failsworth and 6 in Limehurst
- 2.2. The amount of debt rescheduled for this 2 month period is £46143. Though this service is promoted as debt welfare benefits issues are also presenting with 9 specific issues dealt with.

### **3. Further development**

- 3.1. We have managed to look at the sessions again, particularly Limehurst which is now Friday mornings 9.30- 12.30 and Thursday afternoons 2pm to 4.30pm. The afternoon session coincides with a job club which we hope will prove mutually beneficial. Failsworth Town Hall continues to be Tuesday 9.30 - 12.30 drop in and 1.30 - 4.00pm appointments.