

#### **Failsworth and Hollinwood District Partnership**

#### March 2015

## Money management, 1st January to 28th February 2015

### 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.

#### 2. Performance

- 2.1. For this period we have helped a total of 67 people. This is made up of 40 in Failsworth and 27 in Limehurst.
- 2.2. The amount of debt rescheduled for this 2 month period is £166,003. The additional income raised through identifying eligible benefit payments totalled £24,334.

### 3. Further development

We are still waiting for the council IT services to enable access to CAB telephone advice through public access telephones which was approved in June. This will ensure free access to from Monday to Friday (possible future extension to Evenings and weekends) within their community and fit seamlessly with the face to face service that will be focused on those that require more complex support.

# 4. Clients by ward

Local Authority		Failsworth	Limehurst
	Ward	Town Hall	Library
Oldham	Alexandra	0	1
	Chadderton		
	Central	1	1
	Chadderton		
	South	3	0
	Coldhurst	0	1
	Failsworth East	9	1
	Failsworth West	20	1
	Hollinwood	1	16
	Medlock Vale	1	1
	Royton North	1	0
	Saddleworth South	0	1
	St Mary's	1	1
	Waterhead	0	1
	Werneth	0	2
Manchester	Miles Platting	4	0
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