

WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE COUNCIL
Council Offices, Garshake Road, Dumbarton G82 3PU

5 September 2013

MEETING: COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION COMMITTEE
WEDNESDAY, 18 SEPTEMBER 2013 AT 2.00 P.M.
RECEPTION HALL
CLYDEBANK TOWN HALL
DUMBARTON ROAD
CLYDEBANK

Dear Sir/Madam,

Please attend a meeting of the **Community Participation Committee** to be held in the **Reception Hall, Clydebank Town Hall, Dumbarton Road, Clydebank** on **Wednesday, 18 September 2013 at 2.00 p.m.**

The business is as shown on the attached agenda.

Yours faithfully

JOYCE WHITE

Chief Executive

Distribution:

Elected Members:-

Councillor J Millar (Chair)
Councillor G Black
Councillor J Brown
Councillor J McColl
Councillor I Murray
Councillor T Rainey
Councillor G Robertson
Councillor M Rooney
Councillor K Ryall
Councillor H Sorrell (Vice-Chair)

All other Councillors for information

Community Representatives:-

Mr Murdoch Cameron, MBE, Community Councils Forum
Mr Francis McNeill, Community Councils Forum
Mr Gilbert Howatson, Community Councils Forum [Substitute]
Ms Justeen Peacock, West Dunbartonshire Access Panel
Mr Jackie Maceira, West Dunbartonshire Access Panel [Substitute]
Mr Haji Munir, West Dunbartonshire Minority Ethnic Association
Mr Mohammad Rafi, West Dunbartonshire Minority Ethnic Association [Substitute]
Mr Tony Oliver, Bellsmyre Neighbourhood Forum [Substitute]
Mrs Rhona Young, Clydebank Seniors Forum
Mrs Mary McAleer, Clydebank Seniors Forum [Substitute]
Mrs Barbara Barnes, West Dunbartonshire Community Care Forum
Mrs Lily Kennedy, MBE, West Dunbartonshire Community Care Forum [Substitute]
Mr Tom Wilmshurst, Association of Clydebank Residents Groups
Association of Clydebank Residents Groups [Substitute]
Ms Anne MacDougall, CHCP Public Partnership Forum
Ms Hope Robertson, Clydebank Asbestos Group
Mr David Colrairie, Clydebank Asbestos Group [Substitute]
Mr Archie Thomson, Renton Community Development Trust
Ms Gillian Kirkwood, Ysort-it

Voluntary Sector Members:-

Ms Brenda Pasquire, West Dunbartonshire Citizens Advice Service
Ms Kathleen Siddle, West Dunbartonshire Citizens Advice Service [Substitute]

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AGENDA

1. APOLOGIES

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members are invited to declare if they have an interest in any of the items of business on this agenda and the reasons for such declarations.

3. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

Submit, for approval as a correct record, the Minutes of Meeting of the Community Participation Committee held on 22 May 2013.

4. WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE CITIZENS' PANEL - EVALUATION

Submit report by the Executive Director of Corporate Services informing on the evaluation of the West Dunbartonshire Citizens' Panel on two fronts:-

- (a) Evaluation of panel members' experiences; and
- (b) Evaluation of panel users' experiences (people who commission survey questions and focus groups).

5. QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC GALLERY

Members of the public are invited to ask questions of officers during the Open Forum Session.

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6. DEVELOPING A COMMUNITY ALLIANCE – COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION COMMITTEE FACILITATED SESSION

Amanda Coulthard, Corporate and Community Planning Manager and Anne Clegg, Policy Officer – Community and Consultation, will host a facilitated session to develop a new Community Alliance which will involve a broader range of community interests, looking at the big issues for communities across West Dunbartonshire, and offers a more representative voice for the West Dunbartonshire area than is possible through a committee membership.

In this respect, submit background paper.

For information on the above agenda please contact Craig Stewart, Committee Officer, Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services, Council Offices, Garshake Road, Dumbarton, G82 3PU Tel: (01389) 737251 or e-mail: craig.stewart@west-dunbarton.gov.uk