WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE COUNCIL

Council Offices, Garshake Road, Dumbarton G82 3PU

5 June 2009

MEETING: SOCIAL WORK & HEALTH IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE

WEDNESDAY, 17 JUNE 2009 COUNCIL CHAMBERS CLYDEBANK TOWN HALL DUMBARTON ROAD CLYDEBANK

Dear Member

Please attend a Meeting of the **Social Work & Health Improvement Committee** to be held in the Council Chambers, Clydebank Town Hall, Dumbarton Road, Clydebank on Wednesday, 17 June 2009 at 10.00 a.m.

The business is as shown on the enclosed agenda.

Yours faithfully

DAVID MCMILLAN

Chief Executive

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SOCIAL WORK & HEALTH IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE

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<u>AGENDA</u>

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 Social Work and Health Improvement Committee held on 15 April 2009.

4. CARE COMMISSION INSPECTION REPORTS FOR INDEPENDENT SECTOR CARE HOMES IN WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE

Submit report by the Executive Director of Social Work and Health providing information on the most recent Care Commission inspection reports received covering independent sector Care Homes in West Dunbartonshire.

5. CARE COMMISSION INSPECTION REPORTS – ACQUIRED BRAIN INJURY PROJECT

Submit report by the Executive Director of Social Work and Health providing information on the recent inspection report received from the Care Commission on an announced inspection of the Lomond and West Dunbartonshire Brain Injury Project which took place in late February 2009.

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6. INSPECTION OF SOCIAL WORK SERVICES BY THE SOCIAL WORK INSPECTION AGENCY

Submit report by the Executive Director of Social Work and Health providing details of the draft action plan to be submitted to the Social Work Inspection Agency (SWIA) in response to the recommendations contained in their recent report and as reported to Council on 29 April 2009.

7. QUARTERLY PERFORMANCE REPORT 1 OCTOBER 2008 TO 31 MARCH 2009 PERFORMANCE INDICATORS: SOCIAL WORK SERVICES FOR ADULTS, LOCAL IMPROVEMENT TARGETS FOR ADULTS AND CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT INFORMATION FOR ALL SOCIAL WORK

Submit report by the Executive Director of Social Work and Health:-

- (a) providing information on the performance of Social Work and Health in relation to the Statutory Performance Indicators and Local Improvement Targets for Adult Services for the period of 1 October 2008 to 31 March 2009;
- (b) providing information on work being undertaken by the Department on continuous improvement including Best Value Reviews and Complaints Monitoring; and
- (c) presenting information for elected members and stakeholders as part of wider Public Performance Reporting, in line with Scottish Executive Best Value Guidance and Audit Scotland recommendations.

8. FIRE SAFETY IN RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES FOR OLDER PEOPLE

Submit report by the Executive Director of Social Work and Health providing an update on the fire safety improvements being undertaken in residential care homes for older people under the control of Social Work and Health.

9. SOCIAL WORK SERVICES DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE PLAN 2009/2013

Submit report by the Executive Director of Social Work and Health presenting the draft Social Work Service Plan for the period 2009/2013.

10. EQUIPU (FORMERLY GGILES – GREATER GLASGOW INDEPENDENT LIVING EQUIPMENT SERVICE)

Submit report by the Executive Director of Social Work and Health providing information on the status and progress of West Dunbartonshire Council and West Dunbartonshire Community Health Partnership as a member of the Joint Equipment Store (at Ballieston in Glasgow) operated by Greater Glasgow Independent Living Equipment Service (GGILES).

11. NOTICE OF MOTION

Motion by Councillor George Black – Thomas McCulloch

This Council demands that the Scottish Government reviews as a matter of urgency the position in relation to the proposed parole hearing for Thomas McCulloch and demands that the Scottish Government ensure that the parole board takes full account of public safety when considering this case.

For information on the above agenda please contact Nuala Borthwick, Committee Officer, Legal, Administrative and Regulatory Services, Council Offices, Garshake Road, Dumbarton. G82 3PU Tel: (01389) 737594 Email: nuala.borthwick@west-dunbarton.gov.uk