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

6 October 2011

MEETING: COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION COMMITTEE WEDNESDAY, 19 OCTOBER 2011 AT 2.00 P.M. EDUCATION CENTRE ST. MARGARET OF SCOTLAND HOSPICE EAST BARNS STREET CLYDEBANK

Dear Sir/Madam,

Please attend a meeting of the **Community Participation Committee** to be held in the **Education Centre, St. Margaret of Scotland Hospice, East Barns Street, Clydebank** on **Wednesday, 19 October 2011** at **2.00 p.m.**

The business is as shown on the attached agenda.

Yours faithfully

DAVID MCMILLAN

Chief Executive

Distribution:

Elected Members:-

Councillor J Brown (Chair) Councillor G Black Councillor J Finn Councillor J McColl Councillor R McColl Councillor J McElhill (Vice-Chair) Councillor M McNair Councillor J Millar Councillor M Rooney Vacancy

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 Abdul Ghani, West Dunbartonshire Minority Ethnic Association [Substitute] Mr John Diamond, Bellsmyre Neighbourhood Forum Mr Tony Oliver, Bellsmyre Neighbourhood Forum [Substitute] Mrs Rhona Young, Clydebank Seniors Forum Mrs Catherine Martin, Clydebank Seniors Forum [Substitute] Mr Tom Nimmo, 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] Mr Tom Woodbridge, Dumbarton Community Forum Mr Tom Rhead, Dumbarton Community Forum [Substitute] Mr Neil Etherington, Clydebank Community Forum Ms Theresa Doherty, Clydebank Community Forum [Substitute] Ms Anne MacDougall, CHCP Public Partnership Forum Ms Jeanette Benzie, Clydebank Crime Prevention Panel Ms Ellen Harper, Clydebank Crime Prevention Panel [Substitute] Ms Anne Aire, Clydebank Women's Aid Ms Carolyn Leckie, Clydebank Women's Aid [Substitute]

Voluntary Sector Members:-

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

COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION COMMITTEE

WEDNESDAY, 19 OCTOBER 2011

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. PRESENTATION – POLICE REASSURANCE MODEL

Chief Inspector Fraser Candlish, Area Commander – Clydebank, Strathclyde Police, and Janice Winder, Partnership and Policy Officer, West Dunbartonshire Council, will give a presentation on the Police Reassurance Model.

4. PRESENTATION – COMMUNITY HEALTH AND CARE PARTNERSHIP (CHCP) PUBLIC PARTNERSHIP FORUM

Ms Anne MacDougall and Mr George Murphy of the CHCP Public Partnership Forum will give a presentation on the work of the Forum.

5. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

Submit, for approval as a correct record, the Minutes of Meeting of the Community Participation Committee held on 17 August 2011.

6. REGENERATION OF THE SCHOOLS' ESTATE UPDATE

(Item requested by Community Representative)

Submit report by the Executive Director of Housing Environmental and Economic Development providing an update on the progress of the regeneration of the schools' estate.

7. WINTER MAINTENANCE PROGRAMME FOR 2011/12

(Item requested by Community Representative)

Jack McAulay, Manager of Roads and Transportation, will provide a verbal update on the Winter Maintenance Programme for 2011/12.

8. COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION COMMITTEE – MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

Submit report by the Chief Executive informing of arrangements to update the membership of the Committee.

9. COMMUNITY FORUM PUBLIC BUDGET CONSULTATION EVENTS

Submit report by the Chief Executive informing of a new development in consulting on the Council's budget which builds on and strengthens the current arrangements.

10. COMMUNITY NEWS

Committee members are invited to provide information for the Community News item in advance of meetings on an on-going basis.

Community Forum Public Budget Consultation Events

Please note that three Community Forum budget consultation events will be held as follows:-

Clydebank – Monday, 14 November 2011 (venue to be confirmed)

Vale of Leven – Tuesday, 15 November 2011 in Loch Lomond & The Trossachs National Park Headquarters

Dumbarton – Wednesday, 16 November 2011 (venue to be confirmed)

11. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS FROM COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVES

Community Representatives are invited to raise topics for inclusion on future Agendas.

Current topics include:-

- Regeneration Issues
- Housing Allocation policy, etc.
- Regular update on Recycling and Waste Minimisation
- Future Development on Strathleven Corridor
- Council Tax Presentation (annually)
- An update on Addiction Services and in particular whether funding is internal or external
- 'Fairtrade'
- Securitisation of Assets, etc.
- Update on Clyde Valley Community Planning Partnership

12. OPEN FORUM

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

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