WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE COUNCIL

Council Offices, Garshake Road, Dumbarton G82 3PU

13 August 2003

MEETING: COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION COMMITTEE

WEDNESDAY, 20 AUGUST, 2003 COUNCIL CHAMBERS COUNCIL OFFICES ROSEBERY PLACE CLYDEBANK

Dear Member,

Please attend a meeting of the **Community Participation Committee** to be held in Council Chambers, Council Offices, Rosebery Place, Clydebank, on Wednesday, 20 August, 2003 at 10.00 a.m.

The business is as shown on the attached agenda.

Yours faithfully

TIM HUNTINGFORD

Chief Executive

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AGENDA

1. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

2. **APOLOGIES**

3. PRESENTATION

Ms Cochrane, Policy Manager and Ms Clegg, Policy Officer – Community and Consultation, will give a presentation on Community Consultation and Participation in West Dunbartonshire - The Story So Far.

4. **COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION COMMITTEE -PROPOSALS FOR INTERIM COMMUNITY REPRESENTATION**

(Pages 1-2)

Submit report by the Chief Executive asking the Committee to consider the arrangements for interim community representation on the Community Participation Committee.

5. SCHEME OF DECENTRALISATION 1999-2002 **BACKGROUND INFORMATION AND REVIEW OF ACTION TO DATE** (Pages 3-20)

Submit report by the Chief Executive providing background information on the Council's Decentralisation Scheme together with an update on the review of the Scheme to date.

6. **REVIEW OF DECENTRALISATION SCHEME -PROGRAMME FOR REVIEW**

(Pages 21-28)

Submit report by the Chief Executive making recommendations in respect of the review of the Decentralisation Scheme.

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