

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

28 October 2010

REQUISITIONED MEETING: WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE COUNCIL

TUESDAY 9 NOVEMBER 2010

**COUNCIL CHAMBERS
COUNCIL OFFICES
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Dear Member,

Please attend a Requisitioned Meeting of **West Dunbartonshire Council** to be held in the **Council Chambers, Council Offices, Garshake Road, Dumbarton**, on Tuesday, 9 November 2010 at 10.00 a.m. to consider the undernoted business.

Yours faithfully

DAVID MCMILLAN

Chief Executive

Business:

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 state the reasons for such declarations.

3. MOTION BY COUNCILLOR DAVID MCBRIDE – SCOTTISH LIVING WAGE

Council notes the Labour Group has twice attempted to introduce the Scottish Living Wage. This has been rejected by the SNP Administration.

The Labour Party in Scotland has continued to campaign for the introduction of the Living Wage in all areas of the public sector.

We therefore welcome the First Minister's conversion to support the Living Wage where he announced at the SNP Annual Conference that every Scottish Government-controlled wage packet would meet a new "living wage target" of £7.15 an hour - matching an earlier pledge set out by Scottish Labour Leader, Iain Gray.

In light of this announcement, we call on the SNP Administration to follow Labour's lead and Alex Salmond's conversion and support the introduction of the Living Wage currently £7.15 per hour for all workers in the Council.

Distribution:-

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