

## **EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL**

### **SPECIAL CENTRAL LOCAL COMMUNITY PLANNING FORUM – 4 DECEMBER 2007**

#### **NAMING OF STREETS BY LOCAL PLANNING FORUMS - DEVELOPMENT AT SHORTLEES CRESCENT, KILMARNOCK**

##### **Report by Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support**

## **1 PURPOSE OF REPORT**

- 1.1** The purpose of this report is to request that the Committee consider street names for a new development at Shortlees Crescent, Kilmarnock.

## **2 BACKGROUND**

- 2.1** The Decentralisation Sub Committee of the Policy and Resources Committee at its meeting on 4 June 1996 agreed that the naming of streets be included within the remit of Local Committees (now Local Community Planning Forums).
- 2.2** Section 97 of the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 gives authority to East Ayrshire Council in relation to naming of streets and the preparation of house numbers etc.
- 2.3** Ordinarily the Local Community Council for the area is consulted with regard to the naming of streets however there is no Community Council operating in the Shortlees area.
- 2.4** The three Ward Members for Kilmarnock South have been informed of the development and requested to put forward suggestions for the name of the two streets to this Committee.

## **3 CURRENT POSITION**

- 3.1** Following consultation with the Ward Members for Kilmarnock South the names "Shortlees Court" and "Shortlees Gardens" have been suggested.

## **4 FINANCIAL/LEGAL/POLICY/COMMUNITY PLAN IMPLICATIONS - NIL**

## **5 RECOMMENDATIONS**

It is recommended:-

- (i) that the Local Community Planning Forum name the two streets within the new development at Shortlees Crescent;
- (ii) that the Technical Services Section be advised accordingly; and
- (iii) otherwise to note the contents of the report.

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### **LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS**

- 1.** Procedure note - naming of streets by Local Committee.
- 2.** Local Plan of the area.

Any person wishing to inspect the background papers relevant to this report should contact Jennifer Morrison, Administrative Officer on telephone number 01563 576139. Any person wishing further information on this report should contact Bill Walkinshaw, Head of Democratic Services on telephone number 01563 576135.

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