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To: Councillors Carmichael (Chair), Jackson, Smith, Kelly, Menzies, McGhee, Crawford and Ross; and Community Representatives: Mrs Jean Smith, Mr Jim Monaghan, Mr John Timpany, Mr Alec Cochrane, Mrs Margaret Campbell, Mr James Hastie, Mr James McMillan and Mr William Lees; and Substitute Community Representatives: Mrs Anne Bell, Mr David Gibson, Mr Alex McCall and Mr Matthew Burns.

23 January 2006

Dear Councillor/Community Representative/Substitute Community Representative

CUMNOCK AREA LOCAL COMMITTEE - 2 FEBRUARY 2006

You are requested to attend the next meeting of the **Cumnock Area Local Committee** to be held in **NEW CUMNOCK COMMUNITY CENTRE, THE CASTLE, NEW CUMNOCK**, on **THURSDAY 2 FEBRUARY 2006**, commencing at **1400 HOURS**, in order to discuss the undernoted business.

Yours sincerely



Elizabeth Morton
Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support

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BUSINESS

INTIMATE APOLOGIES

1. **ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING: TO ALLOW PUBLIC QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION (page 1)** - Recommend that the Committee agree to adjourn the meeting to allow a fifteen minute (maximum) public question and answer session. (A note of the question arising from the question and answer session which took place at the last meeting is enclosed, for information).

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MINUTES

2. **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (pages 2-5)** - Submit Minutes (copy enclosed) of meeting held on 3 November 2005, for noting.

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LOCAL ISSUES

- 3.1 **LOCAL ISSUES (pages 6-7)** - Submit report dated 11 January 2006 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support to provide information on local issues raised, and where applicable, the timescales for reporting back to the Local Committee.



- 3.2 **NEW LOCAL ISSUES** - Community Representatives are invited to raise any local items of interest for inclusion on a future Agenda.

POLICE REPORT

4. **SAFER STREETS: STRATHCLYDE POLICE REPORT (pages 8-15)** - Submit report dated 12 January 2006 (copy enclosed) by Superintendent Elizabeth Weir, Strathclyde Police, to advise of crime figures and Police activity within the local area; and to afford an opportunity for Members of the Committee to provide feedback to Strathclyde Police on areas of concern and to have these concerns addressed.



DECENTRALISATION ISSUES

5. **ANNUAL SEMINAR FOR COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVES (pages 16-23)** - Submit report dated 29 November 2005 (copy enclosed) by the Annual Seminar Working Group to advise of the outcome of the Annual Seminar for Community Representatives held on 12 November 2005.



6. **RECRUITMENT OF COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVES 2006/2007 (pages 24-26)** - Submit report dated 11 January 2006 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support inviting the Local Committee to consider and determine certain matters in order to facilitate arrangements for the recruitment of Community Representatives to serve on the Local Committee for the period 1 April 2006 to 31 March 2007.



7. **SHOPMOBILITY UPDATE (pages 27-30)** - Submit joint report dated 14 December 2005 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support and the Executive Director of Development and Property Services to advise of the Council's intention to establish a Shopmobility Scheme in Kilmarnock Town Centre.



LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANTS SCHEME

- 8. COMMUNITY GRANT: AUCHINLECK PRIMARY SCHOOL PTA (CG 2948) (pages 31-34)** - Submit report dated 11 January 2006 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support to advise of, and to enable the Committee to deal with, a request from Auchinleck Primary School PTA regarding use of an approved Community Grant award.

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DEVELOPMENT AND PROPERTY SERVICES

- 9. PROGRAMME OF STRUCTURAL MAINTENANCE OF ROADS AND FOOTWAYS 2006/2007 (pages 35-40)** - Submit report dated 6 January 2006 (copy enclosed) by the Executive Director of Development and Property Services (a) to advise of the roads and footways structural maintenance programmes 2006/2007 for “inescapable” schemes approved by the Development Services Committee; and (b) to seek the Committee’s approval of the “highly desirable” schemes for structural maintenance of footways, or “desirable” options.

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EDUCATIONAL AND SOCIAL SERVICES

- 10. COMMUNITY LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT SERVICES AND PROGRESS ON COMMUNITY LEARNING PLANS IN THE CUMNOCK AREA (pages 41-44)** - Submit report dated 22 December 2005 (copy enclosed) by the Executive Director of Educational and Social Services to advise of (i) the outcome of the inspection of Community Learning and Development Services in the Cumnock Area; and (ii) the progress made in relation to Community Learning Plans in the Cumnock Area; and to update on the future arrangements for Community Learning and Development Plans.

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NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES

- 11. EAST AYRSHIRE COMMUNITY SAFETY FORUM (pages 45-50)** - Submit, for information, and noting, the Minutes of the meeting of the East Ayrshire Community Safety Forum held on 1 December 2005.

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