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To: Councillors Stewart (Chair), Farrell and Dinwoodie; Community Representatives Mr Edward Torrance, Mrs Irene Rowan, Mr Tony Foote, Mrs Catherine Robertson, Mrs Grace Garrity, Miss Lisa McCreadie, Mr William Frew, and Mr John McNair

9 March 2007

Dear Councillor/Community Representative

DOON VALLEY LOCAL COMMITTEE - 20 MARCH 2007

You are requested to attend the next meeting of the **Doon Valley Local Committee** to be held on **TUESDAY 20 MARCH 2007** at **1400 HOURS**, in **PATNA COMMUNITY CENTRE, DOONSIDE AVENUE, PATNA** to discuss the undernoted business.

Yours sincerely



Elizabeth Morton
Depute Chief Executive/ Executive Director of Corporate Support
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B U S I N E S S

INTIMATE APOLOGIES

1. **ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING TO ALLOW FOR A PUBLIC QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION** - Recommend that the Committee agree to adjourn the meeting to allow a 15 minute (maximum) public question and answer session.

MINUTES

2. **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (pages 1-5)** - Submit Minutes (copy enclosed) of the meeting held on 23 January 2007, for information and noting.



2.1 MATTERS ARISING

- 2.1.1 APPOINTMENT OF COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVES 2006/2007 (Item 3, Page 2627, 03/07)** - Receive verbal report by the Administrative Officer advising that Mrs Anne Johnstone has been nominated as a replacement for Mrs Irene Rowan, Community Representative for Dalmellington Community Council.

PRESENTATIONS

3. **PRESENTATION BY THE ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATION MANAGER ON ELECTIONS 2007**
4. **PRESENTATION ON THE PROMOTION OF FOSTER CARING LOCALLY** - Receive presentation by Irene Brown, Social Worker on the promotion of foster caring locally.

NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES

5. **SAFER STREETS - STRATHCLYDE POLICE REPORT (pages 6-9)** - Submit report (copy enclosed) by Superintendent Elizabeth Weir, Sub-Divisional Officer, East Ayrshire, advising of crime figures and police activity within the area.



6. **EAST AYRSHIRE COMMUNITY SAFETY FORUM (pages 10-11)** - Submit Minutes (copy enclosed) of meeting of East Ayrshire Community Safety Forum held on 28 February 2007, for information and noting.



LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANTS SCHEME 2007

7. **COYLE THISTLE FOOTBALL CLUB (CG 3283)** - Receive verbal report by the Administrative Officer advising that £196.45 awarded by the Committee on 16 May 2006 to assist with the set up of the group, was not paid out to the group and this sum is now available to the Local Committee as part of the current year's budget. The group have confirmed that they have now folded.
8. **LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANTS SCHEME 2006/2007 (page 12)** - Submit report dated 5 March 2007 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support on the financial position in respect of Community Grants to local organisation in 2006/2007, together with individual assessment reports in respect of the undernoted applications, viz:-



8.1 Community Councils

- 8.1.1 **Dalrymple Community Council (CG 3547) (pages 13-14)** - Submit assessment report by the Department of Neighbourhood Services.



8.2 Early Education & Childcare

8.2.1 Little Cherubs (CG 3505) (pages 15-16) - Submit assessment report by the Department of Educational and Social Services.



8.3 Health Issues

8.3.1 Drongan Health Initiative (CG 3539) (pages 17-18) - Submit assessment report by the Department of Neighbourhood Services.



8.4 Leisure Activities

8.4.1 Bellsbank Women's Project (CG 3499) (pages 19-20) - Submit assessment report by the Department of Educational and Social Services.



8.5 Older People

8.5.1 Patna Over 60's (CG 3510) (pages 21-22) - Submit assessment report by the Department of Educational and Social Services.



8.6 Social Inclusion

8.6.1 Patna Day Centre (CG 3554) (pages 23-24) - Submit assessment report by the Department of Educational and Social Services.



8.6.2 Cumnock & District Gift Furniture Scheme (CG 3498) (copy enclosed) - Submit assessment report by the Department of Neighbourhood Services.



8.7 Young People

8.7.1 Patna PTA (CG 3573) (pages 25-27) - Submit assessment report by the Department of Neighbourhood Services.



LOCAL ISSUES

9. **LOCAL ISSUES (pages 28-29)** - Submit report dated 5 March 2007 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support on local issues raised and, where applicable, the timescales for reporting back to the Local Committee.



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