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To: Councillors Stewart (Chair), Farrell and Dinwoodie; Community Representative Mr Edward Torrance, Mr John Weir, Mr Tony Foote, Mr William Frew, Mrs Catherine Robertson, Mrs Grace Garrity, Mr Ben Squire, Miss Lynsey McCreath and Mr Stuart Bowman.

22 October 2004

Dear Councillor/Community Representative

DOON VALLEY LOCAL COMMITTEE - TUESDAY 2 NOVEMBER 2004

You are requested to attend the next meeting of the **DOON VALLEY LOCAL COMMITTEE** to be held on **TUESDAY 2 NOVEMBER 2004 at 1400 HOURS** in the **DRONGAN COMMUNITY CENTRE, MILMANNOCH AVENUE, DRONGAN** to discuss the undernoted business.

Yours sincerely



Elizabeth Morton
Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support
LC/SM

B U S I N E S S

INTIMATE APOLOGIES

1. **ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING TO ALLOW FOR A PUBLIC QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION (page 1)** - Recommend that the Committee agree to adjourn the meeting to allow a 15 minute (maximum) public question and answer session. Submit, for information, note of open question and answer session from the last meeting.



2. **PRESENTATION ON EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL'S LOCAL HOUSING STRATEGY** – Receive presentation on East Ayrshire Council's Local Housing Strategy.

MINUTES

3. **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (pages 2-5)** - Submit Minutes (copy enclosed) of meeting held on 7 September 2004, for information and noting.

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NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES

4. **EAST AYRSHIRE COMMUNITY SAFETY FORUM (pages 6-11)** – Submit for information, Minutes of the Community Safety Forum held on 22 September 2004.

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5. **STRATHCLYDE POLICE REPORT (pages 12-14)** – Submit report dated 22 October 2004 (copy enclosed) by Chief Inspector Robert Brown, Strathclyde Police, on crime trends and Police activity within the area.

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LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANTS SCHEME

6. **LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANTS SCHEME 2004/2005 (page 15)** - Submit report dated 18 October 2004 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support on the financial position in respect of community grants to local organisations in 2004/2005, together with the individual assessment reports (copies enclosed) in respect of the undernoted applications:

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6.1 Community Councils

- 6.1.1 **Dalmellington Community Council** – Submit assessment report (copy enclosed) by the Department of Neighbourhood Services.

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6.2 Older People

- 6.2.1 **Dalrymple and District Old People's Welfare Committee (pages 16-17)** – Submit assessment report by the Department of Educational and Social Services.

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- 6.2.2 **Dalmellington Senior Citizens** – Submit assessment report (copy enclosed) by the Department of Educational and Social Services.

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6.3 Young People

6.3.1 Bellsbank Adventure Playground – Submit assessment report (copy enclosed) by the Department of Educational and Social Services.



7. **LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANTS SCHEME 2004/2005 – STAIR COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION (pages 18-19)** – Submit report dated 22 September 2004 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support advising of a request from Stair Community Association to utilise part of a community grant award to fund a proposal to create permanent displays to highlight the success of a recent community heritage project that had originally been supported with community grant funding.



LOCAL ISSUES

8. **LOCAL ISSUES (pages 20-21)** – Submit report dated 18 October 2004 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support on local issues raised and, where applicable, the timescale for reporting back to the Local Committee.



9. **NEW LOCAL ISSUES** – Community representatives are invited to raise any items of interest for inclusion on a future agenda.