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To: Councillors Macrae (Chair), Wilson, Raymond, Finlayson and McDill;
Community Representatives Isobel Loudon, Les Pittams, Steve Brown, Frank
Dawson, Jessie Graham, Aniela Miller, Gerard Cassidy, and Chelsea Rankin;
and Named Substitutes Lillian Meikle, George Dalziel, Cathie Brown MBE,
Finlay MacLean, Joyce McCulloch and Nicola Kerr.

20 March 2006

Dear Councillor/Community Representative

IRVINE VALLEY LOCAL COMMITTEE – WEDNESDAY 29 MARCH 2006

You are requested to attend the next meeting of the **IRVINE VALLEY LOCAL COMMITTEE** to be held on **WEDNESDAY 29 MARCH 2006** at **1400 HRS** in **THE HOGG HALL, ADJACENT GALSTON PARISH CHURCH, GALSTON** 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 agrees 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 (copy enclosed).

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MINUTES

2. **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (pages 2-7)** - Submit Minutes (copy enclosed) of the meeting held on 1 February 2006 for information and noting.

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NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES

3. **SAFER STREETS – STRATHCLYDE POLICE REPORT (pages 8-10)** - Submit report (copy enclosed) by Superintendent Elizabeth Weir, Sub-divisional Officer, East Ayrshire on Crime Figures and Police Activity within the Irvine Valley Area.

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COMMUNITY PLANNING

4. **COMMUNITY PLANNING REVIEW PROCESS AND REVIEW OF COMMUNITY PLANNING STRUCTURES (pages 11-27)** – Submit report dated 20 February 2006 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support advising of the process for the forthcoming Community Planning four-yearly Review.

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N.B Please note that Community Representatives can complete the Aims and Aspirations attached as an Appendix to the report, and submit this to the appropriate officer at the meeting, should they so wish.

LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANT SCHEME

5. **COMMUNITY GRANTS TO LOCAL ORGANISATIONS 2005/2006 (pages 28-29)** – Submit report dated 14 March 2006 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support on the financial position and profile of percentage allocations as at 14 March 2006 in respect of community grants to local organisations in 2005/2006 together with summary statements relative to the value of grants within the categories agreed by the Local Committee, as well as the individual assessment reports in respect of the undernoted application (copies all enclosed):-

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5.1 **Disability – Summary Statement (page 30)**

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- 5.1.1 **North West Disabled Club (CG3218) (pages 31-32)** – Assessment Report by the Department of Educational and Social Services.

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- 5.1.2 **St Marnock's Youth Club (CG3227) (pages 33-34)** - Assessment Report by the Department of Educational and Social Services.

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5.1.3 Parents of Park School (CG3305) (pages 35-36) - Assessment Report by the Department of Educational and Social Services.

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5.1.4 Hurlford and Crookedholm Community Council (CG3314) (pages 37-38) – Assessment Report by the Director of Educational and Social Services.

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5.2 Environmental & Heritage – Summary Statement (page 39) – No applications received.

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5.3 Leisure & Sport – Summary Statement (page 40)– No applications received.

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5.4 Older People – Summary Statement (page 41) - No applications received.

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5.5 Young People – Summary Statement (page 42) – No applications received.

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5.6 Miscellaneous – Summary Statement (page 43)

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5.6.1 Lara Neighbourhood Watch (CG3188) (pages 44 – 45) – Assessment report by the Department of Neighbourhood Services.

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DECENTRALISATION ISSUES

6. RECRUITMENT OF COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVES 2006/2007 – Receive verbal report by the Administrative Officer.

7. ANNUAL SEMINAR WORKING GROUP – Consider request for nomination to represent the Local Committee on the above working group.

LOCAL ISSUES

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