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To: Councillors Reeves (Chair), Reid, Cree, Linton and Campbell; and Community Representatives Tom Cook, John McIvor, Ian McVey, Esther Caldwell, Maurice Ashbridge, Beth Wilson, Linda Thomson, John Donaldson and Margaret Keachie.

21 August 2006

Dear Councillor/Community Representative

KILMARNOCK CENTRAL LOCAL COMMITTEE - 29 AUGUST 2006

You are requested to attend a meeting of the **Kilmarnock Central Local Committee** to be held on **TUESDAY 29 AUGUST 2006** at **1400 HOURS** in **CROSSHOUSE COMMUNITY CENTRE, OFF PLAYINGFIELD ROAD, CROSSHOUSE**, in order to discuss the undernoted business.

Yours sincerely



Elizabeth Morton
Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support

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INTIMATE APOLOGIES

1. **ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING: TO ALLOW PUBLIC QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION (pages 1-2)** - Recommend that the Committee agrees to adjourn the meeting to allow fifteen minutes (maximum) 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 3-7)** - Submit for information and noting, Minutes of the previous meeting held on 9 May 2006 (copy enclosed).

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EDUCATIONAL AND SOCIAL SERVICES

3. **ENGAGEMENT AND CONSULTATION WITH YOUNG PEOPLE (pages 8-10)** - Submit report dated 25 July 2006 (copy enclosed) by the Executive Director of Educational and Social Services informing on the outcome of recent events relating to engagement and consultation with young people in East Ayrshire.



NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES

4. **LAND REFORM (SCOTLAND) ACT 2003 - CORE PATH PLANNING (pages 11-14)** - Submit report dated 7 August 2006 (copy enclosed) by the Executive Director of Neighbourhood Services on outdoor access as it relates to the Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2003 and the statutory obligation to produce a Core Path Plan.



5. **EAST AYRSHIRE COMMUNITY SAFETY FORUM (pages 15-20)** - Submit for information, Minutes of the East Ayrshire Community Safety Forum meeting held on 7 June 2006 (copy enclosed).



6. **SAFER STREETS - STRATHCLYDE POLICE REPORT (pages 21-23)** - Submit report dated 7 August 2006 (copy enclosed) by Superintendent Elizabeth Weir, Sub-Divisional Officer, East Ayrshire, on crime figures and Police activity within the Kilmarnock Central area.



DECENTRALISATION ISSUES

7. **RECRUITMENT OF COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVES AND SUBSTITUTES 2006/2007** - Note the nomination by the Fellowship of Kilmarnock Churches of Mrs Margaret Keachie as Community Representative, and that the organisation continue to pursue nominations for Named Substitute.

LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANTS SCHEME

8. **REVIEW OF GRANT FUNDING TO VOLUNTARY ORGANISATIONS IN LIGHT OF THE LOCAL AUDIT REPORT ON FOLLOWING THE PUBLIC POUND (pages 24-27)** - Submit report dated 12 July 2006 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support advising on the outcome of the review of the grants forms, guidance notes and assessment forms in light of the study by the Council's External Auditors, Pricewaterhouse Coopers of the Council's performance in relation to the funding of external bodies.



9. **NOON BOWLERS (CG 3379)** - Note that following Kilmarnock South Local Committee's approval of their cross-boundary contribution, a total award of £881.26 was made to Noon Bowlers for two new indoor bowling carpets of which £125.90 was awarded by this Committee through the Scheme of Delegated Authority.
10. **RICCARTON CO-OPERATIVE WOMEN'S GUILD (CG 3356)** - Note that following Kilmarnock South and North Local Committee's approval of their respective cross-boundary contributions, a total award of £600.00 was made to Riccarton Co-operative Women's Guild for an annual outing for members and a contribution towards the cost of sending delegates to visit the Scottish Parliament, of which £90.00 was awarded by this Committee through the Scheme of Delegated Authority.
11. **KILMARNOCK BALMORAL FOOTBALL CLUB (CG 3353)** - Note that following Kilmarnock North and Irvine Valley Local Committee's approval of their respective cross-boundary contributions, a total award of £1,291.50 was made to Kilmarnock Balmoral Football Club for football strips for the Under 15 and Under 19 teams, training equipment, match balls and 11-a-side goal posts, of which £459.00 was awarded by this Committee through the Scheme of Delegated Authority.
12. **KILMARNOCK BALMORAL FOOTBALL CLUB (CG 3417)** - Note that a total award of £121.42 was made through the Scheme of Delegated Authority to Kilmarnock Balmoral Football Club for garden equipment to maintain the football pitch for which the club has sole responsibility, of which £43.09 was awarded by this Committee.
13. **ARCHWAY PHAB CLUB (CG 3392)** - Note that a total award of £482.50 was made through the Scheme of Delegated Authority to Archway Phab Club for a Summer trip for members, of which £96.50 was awarded by this Committee.
14. **COMMUNITY GRANTS TO LOCAL ORGANISATIONS 2006/2007 (pages 28-29)** - Submit report dated 11 August 2006 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support on the financial position of current applications, together with summary statements relating to the value of grants within the categories agreed by the Local Committee as well as individual reports in respect of the undernoted applications, viz:-

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14.1 Older People - Summary Statement (page 30)

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- 14.1.1 **Gatehead Community Council (CG 3398) (pages 31-32)** - Submit assessment report by the Executive Director of Educational and Social Services (copy enclosed).

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14.1.2 Bonnyton Music and Movements (CG 3389) (pages 33-34) - Submit assessment report by the Executive Director of Educational and Social Services (copy enclosed).



14.1.3 Buchanan Centre (CG 3156) (pages 35-37) - Submit assessment report by the Executive Director of Educational and Social Services (copy enclosed).



14.2 Sport and Leisure - Summary Statement (page 38)



14.2.1 Bonnyton Thistle Under 19's (CG 3411) (pages 39-41) - Submit assessment report by the Executive Director of Neighbourhood Services (copy enclosed).



14.2.2 River Irvine Improvement Association (CG 3373) (pages 42-43) - Submit assessment report by the Executive Director of Neighbourhood Services (copy enclosed).



14.3 Young People - Summary Statement (page 44)



14.3.1 Crosshouse Out-of-School Club (CG 3399) (pages 45-46) - Submit assessment report by the Executive Director of Educational and Social Services (copy enclosed).



14.4 Disability - Summary Statement (page 47) - No applications received.



14.5 Arts and Cultural - Summary Statement (page 48) - No applications received.



14.6 Miscellaneous - Summary Statement (page 49) - No applications received.



LOCAL ISSUES

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