

EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL

KILMARNOCK NORTH LOCAL COMMITTEE - 31 MARCH 2004

RECRUITMENT OF COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVES 2004/2005

Report by the Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1** To advise of the position in respect of the appointment of Community Representatives to local organisations to serve on the Kilmarnock Central Local Committee for the period from 1 April 2004 to 31 March 2005.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1** The Kilmarnock North Local Committee at its meeting on 4 February 2004, agreed to remit to the Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources initiating the process for the submission of new nominations for Community Representatives and Named Substitutes by relevant organisations, to serve during the period from 1 April 2004 to 31 March 2005 and to make such arrangements as might be necessary to facilitate this process.
- 2.2** The Committee at its meeting on 4 February 2004, noted that an Annual General Meeting of the Federation of Community Groups of Kilmarnock North had taken place on Wednesday 28 January 2004 and nominations to fill the outstanding vacancies were confirmed by the Secretary of the Federation. It was agreed to endorse the nominations of Community Representatives as Tom Stewart, representing the Northwest Youth Project and Margaret Docherty, representing Onthank Community Association.
- 2.3** The Secretary to the Federation has also notified the intention to invite Charles McGowan, Thorn Terrace Better Neighbourhood Group for nomination as a Community Representative.

3. APPOINTMENTS FOR 2004/2005: CURRENT POSITION

- 3.1** Nominations for Community Representatives and Named Substitutes on the Kilmarnock North Local Committee for the period from 1 April 2004 to 31 March 2005 have been agreed as follows:-

3.1.1

<u>COMMUNITY ORGANISATION</u>	<u>COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVE</u>	<u>SUBSTITUTE COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVE</u>
Northwest Community Council	Beryl Graham	Noreen Lennon
New Farm Loch Community Council	Vacant*	Vacant*
Kilmarnock Forum on Disability	Dorothy McGowan	No Nomination
Northwest Youth Project	Tom Stewart	No Nomination
Onthank Community Association	Margaret Docherty	No Nomination
Kilmarnock Elderly Forum	Janet Smith	Sally Roy
Young Person Representative	Kerri Anne Clark	Vacant**
The Avenue Project	Helen Milligan	Jeannie Beveridge
Thorn Terrace Better Neighbourhood Group	Charles McGowan	No Nomination
Allies	Hugh Stirling	No Nomination

* Re-establishment of Community Council in progress.

** Community Learning and Development is currently working with two young persons who have expressed an interest in becoming a Young Person's Representative and Substitute.

4. FINANCIAL/LEGAL/POLICY IMPLICATIONS - NIL.

5. RECOMMENDATIONS

5.1 To consider for appointment as Community Representatives and Substitutes for the period 1 April 2004 to 31 March 2005 as set out in Paragraph 3.1.1.

5.2 To remit to the Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources to fill the outstanding nominations.

Fiona Lees
Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources

16 March 2004

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LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS

1. Correspondence to and from local organisations in respect of nominations.

Any person wishing to inspect the background papers relative to this report should contact Robert Beaton, Administrative Officer, on telephone number 01563 576140. Any person wishing further information on this report should contact Bill Walkinshaw, Administration Manager, on telephone number 01563 576135.

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