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To: Councillors McIntyre (Chair), H Coffey, W Coffey and Weir; and Community Representatives: Beryl Graham, Dorothy McGowan, Margaret Docherty, Charles McGowan, Sally Roy, Pauline Barbour, Peter Irons and Julie Quinn; and Named Substitutes Noreen Lennon, Archie Pryce, Karen Kerr and Patricia Toner.

31 August 2006

Dear Councillor/Officer

**KILMARNOCK NORTH LOCAL COMMITTEE – TUESDAY 12 SEPTEMBER 2006**

You are requested to attend the meeting of the **KILMARNOCK NORTH LOCAL COMMITTEE** to be held on **TUESDAY 12 SEPTEMBER 2006** at **1400 HOURS** in the **ONTHANK COMMUNITY EDUCATION CENTRE, KIRKTON ROAD, KILMARNOCK**, in order 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 (pages 1-2)** - Recommend that the Committee agrees to adjourn the meeting to allow a fifteen minute (maximum) public question and answer session. Submit, for information, note of open question and answer session from the last meeting (copy enclosed).



2. **KILMARNOCK CITIZENS' ADVICE BUREAU** – Receive presentation by Andy Macdonald, Performance and Development Manager, and Representative from Kilmarnock Citizens' Advice Bureau in relation to service performance issues raised at the Local Committee meeting on 21 March 2006.

## MINUTES

3. **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (pages 3-8)** - Submit Minutes (copy enclosed) of the meeting held on 23 May 2006 for information and noting.



3.1 **Matters Arising**

### NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES

4. **SAFER STREETS STRATHCLYDE POLICE REPORT (pages 9-11)** - Submit report dated 29 August 2006 (copy enclosed) by Superintendent Elizabeth Weir, Sub-Divisional Officer, East Ayrshire on crime figures and police activity within the Kilmarnock North Area.



5. **EAST AYRSHIRE COMMUNITY SAFETY FORUM (pages 12-17)** – Submit for information, Minutes of the East Ayrshire Community Safety Forum Meeting held on 7 June 2006.



6. **LAND REFORM (SCOTLAND) ACT 2003 – CORE PATH PLANNING (pages 18-21)** – 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.



### LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANT SCHEME 2006/2007

7. **LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANT SCHEME (page 22)** - Submit report dated August 2006 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support on the financial position, in respect of the community grants to the local organisations in 2006/2007, together with individual assessment reports, where available (copy enclosed) in respect of the following:-



7.1 **Community Association**

- 7.1.1 **Onthank Community Association (CG3383) (pages 23-24)** – To note that the Local Committee at its meeting on 23 May 2006 agreed that the application be dealt with under delegated powers and that an award of £892.86 was made in consultation

with the Chair and receipt of a satisfactory assessment report (copy enclosed).



- 7.1.2 Knockinlaw Community Association (CG3391) (pages 25-26)**  
– Submit assessment report by Educational and Social Services (copy enclosed).



## **7.2 Disability**

- 7.2.1 Archway PHAB Club (CG3392) (pages 27-28)** - To note that the application was dealt with under delegated powers and that an award of £115.80 was made in consultation with the Chair and receipt of a satisfactory assessment report (copy enclosed).



## **7.3 Early Education and Childcare**

- 7.3.1 New Farm Loch Playgroup (CG3374) (pages 29-30)** - To note that the Local Committee at its meeting on 23 May 2006 agreed that the application be dealt with under delegated powers and that an award of £1,784.13 was made in consultation with the Chair and receipt of a satisfactory assessment report (copy enclosed).



## **7.4 Leisure**

- 7.4.1 Kilmarnock Angling Club (CG3363) (pages 31-32)** – To note that the Local Committee at its meeting on 23 May 2006 agreed to continue the application for further information and to note that the current level of funds held by the group is £10,808 - submit assessment report by Neighbourhood Services (copy enclosed) and receive verbal update from Administrative Officer.



## **7.5 Social Inclusion**

- 7.5.1 New Farm Loch Lunch Club (CG3416) (pages 33-34)** – Submit assessment report by Educational and Social Services (copy enclosed).



- 7.5.2 **The In-Betweens (CG3415) (pages 35-36)** – Submit assessment report by Educational and Social Services (copy enclosed).



7.6 **Sport**

- 7.6.1 **Kilmarnock Balmoral Football Club (CG3353) (pages 37-38)** - To note that the Local Committee at its meeting on 23 May 2006 agreed that the application be dealt with under delegated powers and that an award of £708 was made in consultation with the Chair and receipt of a satisfactory assessment report (copy enclosed).



- 7.6.2 **Kilmarnock Balmoral Football Club (CG3417) (pages 39-40)** – To note that the application was dealt with under delegated powers and that an award of £66.58 was made in consultation with the Chair and receipt of a satisfactory assessment report (copy enclosed).



- 7.6.3 **Bonnyton Thistle Football Club (CG3441) (pages 41-42)** - Submit assessment report by Neighbourhood Services (copy enclosed).



8. **REVIEW OF GRANT FUNDING TO VOLUNTARY ORGANISATIONS IN LIGHT OF THE LOCAL AUDIT REPORT ON FOLLOWING THE PUBLIC POUND (pages 43-65)** - Submit report dated 12 July 2006 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support advising of the outcome of the review of the grant forms, guidance notes and assessment forms in light of the study by the Council's External Auditors, PricewaterhouseCoopers of the Council's performance in relation to the funding of external bodies.



## **EDUCATION & SOCIAL SERVICES**

9. **ENGAGEMENT AND CONSULTATION WITH YOUNG PEOPLE (pages 66-68)** - Submit report dated 25 July 2006 (copy enclosed) by the Executive Director of Education & Social Services on the outcome of recent events relating to engagement and consultation with young people in East Ayrshire.



## **LOCAL ISSUES**

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