

EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL

KILMARNOCK SOUTH LOCAL COMMITTEE - 1 NOVEMBER 2006

MEETINGS OF KILMARNOCK SOUTH LOCAL COMMITTEE: PERIOD UNTIL 24 MAY 2007

Report by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 The purpose of the report is to advise of the dates on which meetings of the Local Committee are scheduled to take place, as agreed by Council, for the period until 24 May 2007 and to invite the Committee to determine the venues at which each of these meetings should be held.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 East Ayrshire Council, at its meeting to be held on 12 October 2006, approved the calendar of Committee meetings for the period until 24 May 2007. The calendar includes dates for the meetings of each Local Committee.
- 2.2 Determination of the venues at which Local Committee meetings are to be held at this stage will generally assist Members, Community Representatives and Officers in planning their diaries and will greatly facilitate arrangements for booking of the venues concerned.

3. ACCOMMODATION AVAILABLE

- 3.1 The undernoted premises within the Local Committee's area contain suitable accommodation for meetings of the Committee, namely:-
- (a) Bellfield Community Centre.

4. PREVIOUS DATES AND VENUES (FOR PERIOD JANUARY - DECEMBER 2006)

- 4.1 During the period January to December 2006 meetings of the Local Committee took place on the dates and at the venues undernoted, as follows, namely:-

Wednesday 25 January 2006 - Bellfield Community Centre;
Wednesday 22 March 2006 - Shortlees Community Centre;
Wednesday 17 May 2006 - Bellfield Community Centre;
Wednesday 6 September 2006 - Bellfield Community Centre; and
Wednesday 1 November 2006 - Bellfield Community Centre.

5. PROPOSED MEETINGS PROGRAMME FOR PERIOD TO 24 MAY 2007

5.1 Whilst making every effort to ensure that the practice of holding meetings at venues throughout the Committee's area is continued, it should be noted that Bellfield Community Centre is currently the only suitable venue in terms of likely availability and physical size and layout.

5.2 Accordingly, the proposed dates fixed for the meetings of the Kilmarnock South Local Committee for the period until 24 May 2007, together with suggested venue are as follows, namely:-

Wednesday 24 January 2007 - Bellfield Community Centre;

Wednesday 21 March 2007 - Bellfield Community Centre;

6. FINANCIAL/LLEGAL/POLICY IMPLICATIONS - Nil.

7. RECOMMENDATIONS

7.1 It is recommended that the Committee:-

- (i) note the dates fixed for the meetings of the Committee, for the period until 24 May 2007 as detailed in Paragraph 5.2 above; and
- (ii) consider and determine venues for the meetings of the Committee which will take place during the period in question taking account of the information provided in the report.

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LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS - NIL

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