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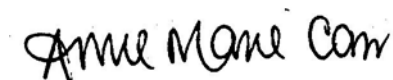
14 March 2007

Dear Councillor

MEMBERS' SERVICES AND CIVIC CEREMONIAL SUB-COMMITTEE OF THE POLICY AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE - 21 MARCH 2007

You are requested to attend the next meeting of the **Members' Services and Civic Ceremonial Sub-Committee** of the **POLICY AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE** to be held on **WEDNESDAY 21 MARCH 2007** at **1045 HOURS** or at the conclusion of the **Housing Committee**, whichever is the later, in the **MEETING ROOM, COUNCIL HEADQUARTERS, LONDON 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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B U S I N E S S

INTIMATE APOLOGIES

CONFERENCES/COURSES

1. CONFERENCE/COURSES BUDGETARY UPDATE

- 1.1 Note that the balance of budget for conferences and courses for financial year 2006/2007 as at 6 March 2007 is £12,712.98.

CONFERENCES AND COURSES

- 2.1 **ASSOCIATION FOR PUBLIC SERVICE EXCELLENCE FLEET, WASTE AND GROUNDS SERVICES SEMINAR, 22-25 MAY 2007, AVIEMORE (pages 1-2)** - Submit report dated 2 March 2007 (copy enclosed) by the Executive Director of Neighbourhood Services advising of an invitation for the Council to attend the Association for Public Service Excellence (APSE) Fleet, Waste and Grounds Services Seminar which will take place on 22-25 May 2007 at the Hilton Coylumbridge in Aviemore.



- 2.2 **ASSOCIATION OF DIRECTORS OF SOCIAL WORK (ADSW) ANNUAL CONFERENCE: 16-18 MAY 2007 (pages 3-4)** - Submit report dated 23 February 2007 (copy enclosed) by the Executive Director of Educational and Social Services proposing that East Ayrshire Council is represented at the ADSW Annual Conference to be held at the Crieff Hydro Hotel, Perthshire from 16-18 May 2007.



CIVIC CEREMONIAL

3. CIVIC CEREMONIAL BUDGETARY UPDATE

- 3.1 Note that the balance of budget for civic ceremonial applications for financial year 2006/2007 as at 5 February 2007 is £1,451.59.

CIVIC CEREMONIAL APPLICATIONS

4. **INTERNATIONAL POLICE ASSOCIATION - AYRSHIRE BRANCH** - Submit report (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support advising of an application from the International Police Association, Ayrshire Branch, seeking a civic welcome to celebrate the branch's 20th Anniversary.



EAST AYRSHIRE BATTALION BOYS BRIGADE - Submit report dated 20 March 2007 (tabled) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support requesting that the Sub-Committee consider an application received from East Ayrshire Battalion Boys Brigade seeking £350 for an event in recognition of some of the boys achieving the Queen's Badge.

