

**EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL**

**COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE – 10<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2002**

**SURPLUS PROPERTY - CEMETERY LODGE, NEWMILNS**

**Report by the Director of Community Services**

**1. PURPOSE OF REPORT**

- 1.1 To invite the Committee to declare the Cemetery Lodge at Newmilns surplus to requirements.

**2. DISCUSSION**

- 2.1 The Cemetery Lodge at Newmilns is now unoccupied as the former tenant has moved to alternative accommodation.
- 2.2 The Lodge is not essential for the work of the Cemeteries Unit.
- 2.3 In accordance with Council Policy the Committee must declare the building surplus to requirements before the Director of Development Services can take appropriate action.

**3. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

- 3.1 Nil.

**4. POLICY/LEGAL IMPLICATIONS**

- 4.1 Nil.

**5. CONCLUSIONS**

- 5.1 The Cemetery Lodge is unoccupied and is no longer required to support the work of the Cemetery Unit, it can therefore be declared surplus to the needs of this Committee.

**6. RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 6.1 The Committee is invited to:-
- (i) declare the Cemetery Lodge at Newmilns surplus to requirements;
  - (ii) remit to the Director of Community Services to advise the Director of Development Services; and
  - (iii) otherwise note the contents of this report.

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20<sup>th</sup> March 2002

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**LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS**

**Nil.**

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**AGENDA**