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To: Councillors Elaine Dinwoodie (Chair), Taylor and Farrell; and Community Representatives Edward Torrance, John Weir, Joan Wightman, Iain Brown, Elaine Inglis, Sandy McCutcheon, Elaine Dunlop, Tony Foote and Tania Garrity.

27 October 2000

Dear Councillor/Community Representative

DOON VALLEY LOCAL COMMITTEE - 7 NOVEMBER 2000

You are requested to attend a meeting of the **Doon Valley Local Committee** to be held in **DALMELLINGTON COMMUNITY CENTRE, AYR ROAD, DALMELLINGTON** on **TUESDAY 7 NOVEMBER 2000** commencing at **1400 HOURS** in order to discuss the undernoted business.

Yours sincerely

SIGNED OFF BY BILL WALKINSHAW

Fiona Lees
Depute Chief Executive/
Director of Corporate Resources

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BUSINESS

INTIMATE APOLOGIES

1. **ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING (Page 1)** - 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 at last meeting).

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MINUTES

2. **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (Pages 2-5)** - Submit Minutes (copy enclosed) of meeting held on 12 September 2000, for noting.

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DECENTRALISATION

- 3. REVIEW OF DECISION MAKING IN EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL (Pages 6-22)** - Submit report dated 10 October 2000 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources advising of the consultation phase of the Review of Decision Making Structures and arrangements within the Council and seeking the Local Committee's views thereon.



COMMUNITY SERVICES

- 4. STRATHCLYDE POLICE SPOTLIGHT REPORT (Pages 23-25)** - Submit report dated 19 October 2000 (copy enclosed) by Chief Inspector McKnight, Strathclyde Police advising of the nature and results of "Spotlight" operations, localised crime figures and ongoing initiatives over the recent period and advising of forthcoming initiatives.



EDUCATIONAL AND SOCIAL SERVICES

- 5. CHILDREN'S SERVICE PLAN 2000/2004 (Pages 26-27)** - Submit report dated 11 October 2000 (copy enclosed) by the Director of Educational and Social Services requesting the nomination, in principle, of two Community Representatives onto a Community Representative Forum as part of the preparation for the next three year strategic plan from children's services.



LOCAL ISSUES

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

LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANTS SCHEME

- 7. LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANTS SCHEME 2000/2001** - Submit report (copy enclosed) by the Director of Corporate Resources/Depute Chief Executive outlining the financial position in respect of community grants for the financial year 2000/2001, together with a summary statement relative to outstanding applications for community grants received from local organisations.

