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To: Councillors Raymond, Macrae, Wilson, F MacLean and McDill; Community Representatives Isobel Loudon, Bill Pattison, Grace Laing, Nancy Mair, Janice Speirs, Jessie Graham, Sheila McNulty, Frank Donnelly and Steve Brown; and Named Substitutes Lilian Meikle, Frank Dawson, Bill Howie, Janice Cameron, Sheila McKay, George Dalziel and Gerard Cassidy.

21 May 2001

Dear Councillor/Officer

IRVINE VALLEY LOCAL COMMITTEE

You are requested to attend a meeting of the **Irvine Valley Local Committee** to take place on **WEDNESDAY 30 MAY 2001** at **1400 HOURS** in **MOSCOW LEISURE CENTRE, MOSCOW** to discuss the undernoted business.

Yours sincerely

SIGNED OFF BY JULIE ARMSTRONG

Fiona Lees
Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources
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B U S I N E S S

INTIMATE APOLOGIES

1. **ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING (page 1)** - Recommend that the Committee agree to adjourn the meeting to allow for a fifteen minute (maximum) question and answer session (submit for information, note of open question and answer session from the last meeting).

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MINUTES

2. **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (pages 2-6)** - Submit, for noting, Minutes (copy enclosed) of meeting held on 4 April 2001.

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DECENTRALISATION ISSUES

3. **RECRUITMENT OF COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVES - 2001/2002 - UPDATE** - The Committee is invited to consider the following nominations received since the last meeting (i) Steve Brown as Community Representative and Gerard Cassidy as Named Substitute for Newmilns and Greenholm Community Council; (ii) Sheila McNulty as Community Representative for Crookedholm Community Association;(iii) Frank Donnelly as Community Representative and George Dalziel as Named Substitute for Darvel and District Community Council; and (iv) Jessie Graham as Community Representative and nomination for Named Substitute to be advised for Hurlford and Crookedholm Community Council.
4. **COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVE ANNUAL SEMINAR WORKING GROUP** - Invite nominations for a Community Representative and Substitute to serve on the Community Representative Annual Seminar Working Group.

COMMUNITY GRANTS

- 5.1 **LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANTS SCHEME 2001/2001 (pages 7-13)** - Submit report dated 16 May 2001 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources outlining the financial position in respect of Community Grants for the financial year 2001/2002, together with a summary statement relative to outstanding applications for Community Grant received from local organisations.



- 5.2 **COMMUNITY GRANT - HURLFORD BOYS AND GIRLS FOOTBALL CLUB 2000/2001 (pages 14-15)** - Submit report dated 17 May 2001 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources advising of a request from Hurlford Boys and Girls Football Club to use an unspent portion of a Community Grant which was awarded by the Local Committee in financial year 2000/01, in order to purchase further equipment.



- 5.3 **COMMUNITY GRANT - BARR CASTLE MILLENNIUM HERITAGE MUSEUM SOCIETY** - Report that an invitation to the Committee has been received from this organisation to come and view the museum and see how the grant money has been spent (NB the Local Committee awarded the organisation £2,650 in September 2000 for heating and re-wiring).

COMMUNITY SERVICES

6. **OPERATION SPOTLIGHT (pages 16-18)** - Submit report dated 15 May 2001 (copy enclosed) by the Director of Community Services advising of the nature and results of "Spotlight" operations, localised crime figures and ongoing initiatives over the preceding six week period and advising of forthcoming initiatives.



EDUCATIONAL AND SOCIAL SERVICES

7. **HOME HELP SERVICE (pages 19-20)** - Submit report dated 8 May 2001 (copy enclosed) by the Director of Educational and Social Services on the charging pattern of home care in East Ayrshire Council area, and in particular the number of home helps employed since 1997.



8. **IRVINE VALLEY YOUTH PROJECT (pages 21-22)** - Submit joint report dated 14 May 2001 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources and the Director of Educational and Social Services advising of the findings of a Youth Survey reported at the Committee of 21 September 2001.



LOCAL ISSUES

9. **NAMING OF PUBLIC GARDEN AREA ADJACENT TO LOUDOUN CHURCH, NEWMILNS (page 23)** - Submit report dated 17 May 2001 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources inviting the Local Committee to consider recommending to the Community Services Committee a name for the small public garden area adjacent to Loudoun Church.



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