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To: Councillors Raymond, Wilson, F MacLean and McDill; Community Representatives Isobel Loudon, Jessie Graham, Karen Love, Nancy Mair, Bill Howie and Janice Speirs and Named Substitutes Lilian Meikle, Joyce McCulloch, Frank Dawson, Timothy Johnston, Aniela Miller and Grace Laing.

28 March 2002

Dear Councillor/Community Representative

IRVINE VALLEY LOCAL COMMITTEE - 10 APRIL 2002

You are requested to attend a meeting of the **Irvine Valley Local Committee** to take place on **WEDNESDAY 10 APRIL 2002** at **1400 HOURS** in **CROOKEDHOLM COMMUNITY CENTRE, GROUGAR ROAD, CROOKEDHOLM** to discuss the undernoted business.

Yours sincerely



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 agree to adjourn the meeting to allow for a fifteen minute (maximum) public 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 2-7)** - Submit Minutes (copy enclosed) of meeting held on 6 February 2002 for information and noting .

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DECENTRALISATION ISSUES

- 3. RECRUITMENT OF COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVES 2002/2003 (Pages 8-10)** - Submit report dated 25 March 2002 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources advising of the decision in respect of the appointment of Community Representatives of local organisations to serve on the Irvine Valley Local Committee for the period from 1 April 2002 to 31 March 2003.

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LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANTS SCHEME

- 4. COMMUNITY GRANT TO HURLFORD AND CROOKEDHOLM PLAYGROUP 2001/2002 (Pages 11-13)** - Submit report dated 25 March 2002 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources advising the Local Committee (i) of a Community Grant award to Hurlford and Crookedholm Playgroup where the cost incurred in their project was less than the amount approved but where the remainder of the grant was not returned to the Council; and (ii) to request that the Local Committee consider how to deal with this matter.

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- 5. LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANTS SCHEME - ALLOCATION FOR 2002/03 AND SETTING LOCAL PRIORITIES (Pages -)** - Submit report (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources (i) advising the Local Committee of the grant allocation for 2002/03; (ii) advising the Local Committee of its grant spend for the last 2 financial years; and (iii) providing the Local Committee with options for setting local priorities for grant funding in line with the Committee's decision on 19 September 2001 under the Local Issues item, to receive such a report.

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- 6. LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANTS SCHEME 2002/03 (Pages 14-25)** - Submit report dated 26 March 2002 (copy enclosed) by the Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources on applications received from local organisations for grant assistance in terms of the Community Grants Scheme.

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DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

- 7. ARTICLE 4 DIRECTION FOR MAIN STREET, NEWMILNS OUTSTANDING CONSERVATION AREA (Pages 26-31)** - Submit report dated 22 March 2002 (copy enclosed) by the Director of Development Services informing the Committee of the arrangements for public consultation on the proposal to implement an Article 4 Direction within the Main Street, Newmilns Outstanding

Conservation area and inviting Committee members to submit their views on the proposal to the Director of Development Services.



COMMUNITY SERVICES

8. **SAFER STREETS POLICING REPORT (“U” DIVISION) (Pages 32-34) -** Submit report dated 25 March 2002 (copy enclosed) by the Director of Community Services on behalf of Superintendent Jim Thomson, Sub-Divisional Officer UC Sub-Division advising Members of the nature and results of policing issues, operations, localised crime figures and ongoing initiatives over the preceding period, and to advise of forthcoming initiatives.



LOCAL ISSUES

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