

EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL

MEMBERS' SERVICES AND CIVIC CEREMONIAL SUB-COMMITTEE OF THE POLICY AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE - 23 MAY 2001

DARVEL AND DISTRICT COMMUNITY COUNCIL/DARVEL IMPROVEMENT GROUP

Report by Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to request that the Sub-Committee consider an application from Darvel and District Community Council/Darvel Improvement Group for the provision of a civic reception to mark the opening of a heritage garden in Darvel.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 Darvel and District Community Council/Darvel Improvement Group have secured funding from a variety of sources to have a heritage garden built on vacant site at Ranoldcoup car park in Darvel.
- 2.2 The garden will incorporate the old toll gates of Darvel circa 18th century. An invitation will be sent to the Provost to officially open the garden.
- 2.3 The date of the proposed event has still to be confirmed but will fall between Monday 23 July and Friday 27 July 2001.
- 2.4 The Community Council hope that following the official opening of the garden a civic reception for up to 35 people will be held in Darvel Town Hall between 1845 hours and 2215 hours.

3. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

- 3.1 The Community Council have requested £400.

4. POLICY/LEGAL IMPLICATIONS -Nil.

5. RECOMMENDATION

- 5.1 The Sub-Committee is asked:-

- (i) to consider the request by Darvel and District Community Council/Darvel Improvement Group for £400 for the civic reception to mark the opening of the heritage garden; and
- (ii) to remit the necessary arrangements, including Council representation, to the Director of Corporate Resources in consultation with the Chair.

Fiona Lees
Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources

JA/SM
17 May 2001

LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS

1. Application for Civic Hospitality dated 10 May 2001 from Darvel and District Community Council/Darvel Improvement Group.

Any person wishing to inspect the background papers relative to this report should contact Julie Armstrong, Principal Administrative Officer on (01563) 576147. Any person wishing further information on this report should contact Fiona Lees, Depute Chief Executive/Director of Corporate Resources on (01563) 576103.

Implementation Officer: Christine Baillie, Trainee Administrative Officer

AGENDA