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JR Mrs. Joan Rees 01384 815242

15th March 2010

Dear Member,

RE: NORTH DUDLEY AREA COMMITTEE - Monday 29th March 2010

You are requested to attend a meeting of the North Dudley Area Committee on 2010 at 6.30 p.m. Monday 29th March 2010 to be held at Lower Gornal Youth Academy, Temple Street, Lower Gornal, Dudley

A sandwich and a drink will be available for **Members of the Committee** from 5.30 p.m.

Yours sincerely,

DIRECTOR OF CORPORATE RESOURCES

AGENDA

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence from the meeting.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive declarations of interest from Members in accordance with the Members' Code of Conduct.

MINUTES

To approve as a correct record and sign the minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on the 3rd February 2010 (attached herewith).

4. PETITIONS

To receive any petitions submitted to the Committee.

5. YOUTH ISSUES

To receive an update on current issues.

6. POLICE ISSUES

To receive any issues the Police/public wish to raise.

7. FIRE ISSUES

To consider any issues the West Midlands Fire Service/public wish to raise.

8. TRANSPORT ISSUES

9. ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR - BARNESMEADOW PLACE, COSELEY

To receive an oral report on behalf of the Community Safety Team

10. DELEGATED CAPITAL BUDGET (PAGES 1 - 5)

To consider the report of the Area Liaison Officer.

PUBLIC FORUM

To respond to questions from members of the public.

12. EMPTY SHOPS GRANT (PAGES 6 - 8)

To consider the report of the Director of the Urban Environment

13. COMMUNITY RENEWAL (PAGES 9 - 12)

To consider the report of the Director of Adult, Community and Housing Services.

14. WARD ISSUES

To consider any Ward issues Members wish to raise.

15. RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS (PAGES 13 - 17)

To consider the report of the Area Liaison Officer

16. QUESTIONS UNDER COUNCIL PROCEDURE 11.8 (IF ANY)

17. SELECT COMMITTEE PUBLICITY

As a way of giving additional publicity to meetings of the Council's Select Committees, it has been agreed that the dates of future meetings of the Committee will be included in the Agendas of meetings of the Area Committees.

Set out below is a list of all meetings for March 2010.

Select Committee	<u>Dates</u>
Recreation, Culture and Adult Education	3 rd March 2010
Community Safety and Community Services	18 th March 2010
Environment	4 th March 2010
Health and Adult Social Care	22 nd March 2010
Children's Services	

All these meetings start at 6.00 p.m. and are held in the Council House, Dudley.

Also, the agendas for meetings of Select Committees include a public participation item at which point members of the public can speak to raise an item relating to the activities of the particular Select Committee. Please see below as to how this is dealt with.

More information about Select Committees can be found on the Council's Committee Management Information System (CMIS) which can be accessed via http://cmis.dudley.gov.uk/cmiswebpublic

Details about speaking at a Select Committee meeting or about Select Committees can be obtained by speaking to Joe Jablonski on (01384) 815243; e-mail josef.jablonski@dudley.gov.uk or the person whose details appear on the cover of this agenda.

18. DATES AND VENUES OF FUTURE MEETINGS

The dates and venues of future meetings will be advised when determined in the new municipal year.

To: All Members of the North Dudley Area Committee, namely:						
Councillors:						
Mrs. Ameson	Caunt	G. Davies	Evans	Mrs. Millward		
Mottram	Mrs. Ridney	Ryder	Simms	Stanley		
Wright						

Miss G Heeley – co-opted member