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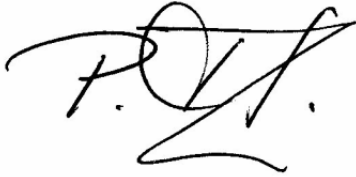
Dear Councillor

**HALESOWEN AREA COMMITTEE – WEDNESDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 2011 AT 6.30PM**

You are requested to attend a meeting of the Halesowen Area Committee on Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2011, at 6.30pm at Cornbow Hall, 10 Hagley Street, Halesowen to consider the business set out in the agenda below.

The agenda and reports for this meeting can be viewed on the Council's website [www.dudley.gov.uk](http://www.dudley.gov.uk) (Follow the links to Council Decision Making and Committee Information).

Yours sincerely,



Director of Corporate Resources

**A G E N D A**

1. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

To elect a Chairman of the Committee for the 2011/2012 Municipal Year.

2. APPOINTMENT OF VICE-CHAIRMAN

To appoint a Vice-Chairman of the Committee for the 2011/2012 Municipal Year.

3. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence from the meeting.

4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

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

(Members are requested to inform the Democratic Services Officer of their declarations prior to the meeting)

5. MINUTES

To approve as a correct record and sign the minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 9<sup>th</sup> March, 2011.

6. TERMS OF REFERENCE AND PROTOCOL FOR AREA COMMITTEES  
(PAGES 1 – 13)

To consider a report of the Area Liaison Officer.

7. APPOINTMENT OF CO-OPTED MEMBERS (PAGES 14 – 15)

To consider a report of the Area Liaison Officer.

8. APPOINTMENT OF WORKING GROUPS (PAGES 16 - 18)

To consider a report of the Area Liaison Officer.

9. APPOINTMENT OF COUNCIL REPRESENTATIONS TO OUTSIDE  
ORGANISATIONS (PAGES 19 - 21)

To consider a report of the Area Liaison Officer.

10. PETITIONS

(a) Petitions Received Since the Last Meeting

- (i) Chadbury Road – Objecting to Parking Restrictions
- (ii) Brookwillow Road – Objecting to Proposed One-Way System
- (iii) Hillbank Road – Objecting to Proposed One-Way System Proposals
- (iv) Spies Lane, Howley Grange and Shenstone Valley Road – Parking Restriction Proposals
- (v) Shenstone Avenue – Parking Restrictions
- (vi) Howley Grange Road – No Waiting Proposals

(b) Receipt of Petitions for Referral to the Petitions Officer

11. EMERGENCY SERVICES ISSUES

In order to assist an immediate response to be given, Members are asked that, if possible, they submit questions in writing to Democratic Services at the contact point on the cover of this agenda at least a week before the meeting date, in order that they may be referred to the relevant agency in advance of the meeting.

12. AREA POLICE AND COMMUNITIES TOGETHER (PACT) ISSUES  
(PAGE 22)

Police to provide an update on the latest discussions and issues raised at PACT meetings.

As agreed by the Committee dates of all future PACT meetings have been included in the agenda.

13. PUBLIC FORUM

To receive questions from members of the public.

14. WARD ISSUES

To assist in enabling an immediate response to be given, Members are invited to submit questions they are proposing to ask, in writing and at least three working days in advance of the meeting, to [manjit.johal@dudley.gov.uk](mailto:manjit.johal@dudley.gov.uk). Members may ask questions at the meeting, but they should be aware that it may not always be possible for an immediate response to be given.

15. PROGRESS OF ELECTED MEMBER VISITS TO ADULT AND CHILDREN'S  
SOCIAL CARE ESTABLISHMENTS 2010/11 (PAGES 23 – 38)

To consider a joint report of the Director of Adult, Community and Housing Services and the Director of Children's Services

16. HIGHWAYS MINOR WORKS CAPITAL PROGRAMME FOR 2011/2012  
(PAGES 39 - 42)

To consider a report of the Director of Urban Environment

17. TRANSPORTATION ISSUES (PAGES 43 – 48)

To consider a report of the Director of the Urban Environment

18. HALESOWEN TOWN CENTRE DEVELOPMENT (PAGES 49 – 52)

To consider a report of the Director of the Urban Environment

19. DELEGATED CAPITAL BUDGET (PAGES 53 – 62)

To consider a report of the Area Liaison Officer.

20. DATES AND VENUES OF FUTURE MEETINGS

Future meetings will be held at 6.30 pm at the Cornbow Hall on the following dates:-

9<sup>th</sup> November 2011

21<sup>st</sup> March 2012

21. QUESTIONS UNDER COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 11.8 (IF ANY)

22. 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 be included on the agendas of meetings of Area Committees.

Set out below is a list of all future meetings -

<b><u>Select Committee</u></b>	<b><u>Dates</u></b>
Regeneration, Culture and Adult Education	10 <sup>th</sup> March 2011
Community Safety and Community Services	10 <sup>th</sup> March 2011
Environment	21 <sup>st</sup> March 2011
Health and Adult Social Care	6 <sup>th</sup> April 2011
Children's Services	23 <sup>rd</sup> March 2011

All these meetings start at 6pm 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 also be obtained by speaking to Joe Jablonski on 01384-815243; e-mail [josef.jablonski@dudley.gov.uk](mailto:josef.jablonski@dudley.gov.uk) or the person whose details appear on the cover of this agenda.

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