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7th January 2009

Dear Member

CENTRAL DUDLEY AREA COMMITTEE TUESDAY 20TH JANUARY 2009 AT 6.30 PM

You are requested to attend a meeting of the Central Dudley Area Committee on Tuesday 20th January 2009 at 6.30 pm, at Saltwells EDC, Bowling Green Road, Dudley DY2 4LY to consider the business set out in the agenda below.

A buffet tea will be available for Members from 5.30 pm onwards.

Please contact Richard Sanders on the telephone number above, at least 48 hours before the meeting, if you do not wish to be provided with a buffet, or if a vegetarian or special dietary meal is required.

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

Yours sincerely

INTERIM DIRECTOR OF LAW AND PROPERTY

AGENDA

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence from the meeting.

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

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

3. MINUTES

To approve as a correct record and sign the minutes of the meetings of the Committee held on 5th November and 17th December, 2008 (copies attached).

4. YOUTH ISSUES

To consider any youth issues raised. A representative of the Director of Children's Services will attend for this purpose.

5. PETITIONS

To acknowledge receipt of any petitions.

6. CIVIL PARKING ENFORCEMENT (PAGES 1 - 3)

To consider the report of the Director of the Urban Environment

7. CAPITAL ALLOCATIONS (PAGES 4 - 8)

To consider the report of the Area Liaison Officer.

8. PUBLIC FORUM

To respond to questions from members of the public.

9. WARD ISSUES

To respond to any issues raised by Members on issues affecting their wards.

10. COMMUNITY RENEWAL WORKING GROUP (PAGES 9 - 13)

To consider the report of the Area Liaison Officer

11. NETHERTON TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ISSUES WORKING GROUP

The Director of the Urban Environment to report orally

12. MATTERS RAISED AT THE MEETING OF THIS COMMITTEE HELD ON 5^{TH} NOVEMBER 2008

- (a) Matters relating to the Directorate of the Urban Environment to consider the report of the Director of the Urban Environment (pages 14 22)
- (b) Matters relating to other directorates to consider the report of the Area Liaison Officer (pages 23 26)
- 13. QUESTIONS UNDER COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 11.8 (IF ANY)

14. 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 -

Select Committee	<u>Dates</u>
Children's Services	21 st January 2009 25 th March 2009
Community Safety and Community Services	8 th January 2009 12 th March 2009
Environment	26 th January 2009 5 th March 2009
Health and Adult Social Care	15 th January 2009 26 th March 2009
Regeneration, Culture and Adult Education	14 th January 2009 4 th March 2009

All these meetings start at 6pm and are held in the Council House, Dudley.

Also, the agendas for meetings of some 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.

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 or the person whose details appear on the cover of this agenda.

15. DATE AND VENUE OF NEXT MEETING

10th March 2009 Dudley Concert Hall, St James's Road, Dudley

To: All Members of Central Dudley Area Committee:

Castle & Priory: Councillors Mrs Aston, A Finch, K Finch

Netherton, Woodside & St Andrews: Councillors J D Davies, Mrs Coulter, Martin

St Thomas's: Councillors Ali, J Davies, Waltho

St James's: Councillors Roberts, Ahmed, M Davis

Quarry Bank & Dudley Wood: Councillors Cotterill, Sparks, While-Cooper, Mrs

Edwards, Ms Little, Mr Nock, Mrs Oakes, Mr Sadiq