

**Stourbridge Area Committee - 20<sup>th</sup> November 2006**

**Report of the Area Liaison Officer**

**Responses to Questions**

**Purpose of Report**

1. To inform the Committee of a written response made to a question asked at a previous meeting.

**Background**

2. At a meeting of this Committee held on 6<sup>th</sup> September 2006, it was indicated that a written reply would be sent to the questioner on the following question.
3. A member of the public, unable to attend the meeting, asked for comments from the Committee regarding whether a multi product superstore coming to Stourbridge would be good for the town. A letter has been sent to the questioner, advising that the question was responded to on the night of the meeting, advising the public that proposals for a superstore was subject to the planning process and that anyone wishing to express their views regarding the planning application should contact Development Control at 3 St. James's Road, Dudley.

**Finance**

4. There are no direct financial consequences arising from this report.

**Law**

5. Section 111 of the Local Government Act, 1972 enables the Council to do anything that is calculated to facilitate or is conducive or incidental to the discharge of its functions.

**Equality Impact**

6. The report takes into account the Council's Policy on equality and diversity.

**Recommendation**

7. The Committee is recommended to note the contents of this report.

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**List of Background Papers**

Question slip handed in at a previous meeting of the Stourbridge Area Committee.

Correspondence sent in response by Council Officers.