

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COMMUNITY SAFETY COMMITTEE

Minute of Special Meeting of the Community Safety Committee held in the Council Chambers, Fourth Floor, Council Building, 2 High Street, Perth on Wednesday 8 June 2011 at 10.00am.

Present: Councillors W Robertson, E Maclachlan, P Barrett, L Caddell, A Grant, A MacLellan, P Mulheron, M Roberts, D Melloy, L Simpson, H Stewart, B Vaughan (substituting for Councillor A Cowan), and A Younger.

In attendance: J Newton, J Irons, C Cranmer, B Clough, and A Olejnik (all Housing and Community Care); B Renton (The Environment Service); C Flynn and P Frazer (both Chief Executive's Service).

Apology for Absence: Councillor A Cowan

Councillor W Robertson, Convener, Presiding.

The Convener led discussion for Articles 339, and 340, the Vice-Convener for Article 341.

338. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no Declarations of Interest made in terms of the Councillors' Code of Conduct.

339. HOUSING AND COMMUNITY CARE – BUSINESS MANAGEMENT AND IMPROVEMENT PLAN 2011/12 – 2013/14 AND ANNUAL PERFORMANCE REPORT 2010/11

There was submitted a report by the Executive Director (Housing and Community Care) (11/245) seeking approval of the Housing and Community Care Business Management and Improvement Plan for the years 2011/12 and the Annual Performance Report for 2010/11.

Resolved:

- (i) Following consideration, the contents of the Housing and Community Care Management and Improvement Plan for the years 2011/12 – 2013/14 and Annual Performance Report for 2010/11 as detailed in Appendix 1 to report 11/245, and pertaining to the Committee's area of responsibility, be approved.
- (ii) It be noted that Report 11/245 was also considered by the Housing and Health Committee on 1 June 2011, and would be submitted to the Scrutiny Committee on 15 June 2011 to scrutinise and comment as appropriate.
- (iii) It be noted that report 11/245 would be published on the Council's website and a summary report be made available for all stakeholders.

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340. THE ENVIRONMENT SERVICE – JOINT BUSINESS MANAGEMENT AND IMPROVEMENT PLAN AND ANNUAL PERFORMANCE REPORT 2011-2014

There was submitted a report by the Executive Director (Environment) (11/287) presenting the Joint Business Management and Improvement Plan and the Annual Performance Report 2011-2014.

Resolved:

- (i) Following consideration, the contents of The Environment Service Joint Business Management and Improvement Plan and Annual Performance Report 2011 – 2014 as detailed in Appendix 1 to report 11/287, and pertaining to the Committee's area of responsibility, be approved.
- (ii) It be noted that Report 11/287 would also be considered by the Enterprise and Infrastructure Committee and the Environment Committee on 8 June 2011, and would be submitted to the Scrutiny Committee on 15 June 2011 to scrutinise and comment as appropriate.

341. REQUEST FOR A BYELAW ON THE UPPER TAY

There was submitted a report by the Depute Director (Environment) (11/301); noting that a formal request for a byelaw to regulate access on the Upper Tay had been received and outlining: (1) the background to the request; (2) the feasibility of a byelaw; and (3) other management options for reaching a resolution to the dispute.

Resolved:

- (i) That the introduction of a byelaw was not an appropriate means of resolving this dispute, be agreed.
- (ii) Officers be instructed to write to Fish Legal informing them of the Council's decision and the basis for it.

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