

COMMUNITY SAFETY COMMITTEE

Minute of Meeting of the Community Safety Committee held in the Council Chambers, Fourth Floor, Council Building, 2 High Street, Perth on Wednesday 28 November 2007 at 10.00am.

Present: Councillors W Robertson, E Maclachlan, P Barrett, L Caddell, A Cowan, C Gillies, A Grant, P Mulheron, C Shiers, L Simpson, H Stewart, B Vaughan (substituting for Councillor A Stewart) and A Younger.

In attendance: D Roberts, Executive Director (Housing and Community Care); S Nicoll, D McKeown, T Brydone and J Dixon (all The Environment Service); J Irons, A Wilson and Y Oliver (all Chief Executive's Service).

Apology for Absence: Councillor A Stewart.

Councillor Robertson, Convener, Presiding.

724. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

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

725. MINUTE OF PREVIOUS MEETING

The Minute of Meeting of the Community Safety Committee of 29 August 2007 (Arts. 501-509) was submitted, approved as a correct record and authorised for signature.

726. THE ENVIRONMENT SERVICE – SIX MONTHLY PERFORMANCE REPORT – APRIL TO SEPTEMBER 2007

There was submitted a report by the Executive Director (Environment) (07/785) reviewing service performance against the Business Management and Improvement Plan (BMIP) for the period 1 April 2007 to 30 September 2007.

Resolved:

- (i) The contents of Report 07/785 be noted.
- (ii) The elements of the Environment Service Performance Report for the period April to September 2007 relating to the Committee, as detailed in the Appendix to Report 07/785, be accepted.
- (iii) Reports detailing performance during 2007-2008 and each subsequent year of the Business Management Improvement Plan 2007-2010, be submitted to future meetings.
- (iv) Report 07/785 be submitted by the Executive Director (Environment) to the Standards and Scrutiny Committee for scrutinising and noting.

727. BYELAW PROHIBITING CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOL IN DESIGNATED PUBLIC PLACES

There was submitted a report by the Executive Director (Housing and Community Care) (07/795) outlining the feedback received from communities of Aberfeldy, Dunkeld and Birnam, Coupar Angus, Scone and Errol on the recent consultation on byelaws prohibiting the consumption of alcohol in public.

Resolved:

- (i) The results of the recent consultation on byelaws prohibiting the consumption of alcohol be noted.
- (ii) A report be submitted by the Executive Director (Housing and Community Care) to a future meeting of Perth and Kinross Council recommending byelaws prohibiting the consumption of alcohol in public places in Aberfeldy, Dunkeld and Birnam, Coupar Angus, Scone and Errol.
- (iii) That the appropriate boundaries for any suggested byelaw be proposed by the relevant elected members for the locality under discussion.

728. APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO THE ROAD SAFETY FORUM

Resolved:

Councillors W Robertson, E MacLachlan, A Younger, A Cowan and C Gillies be appointed to the Road Safety Forum.