Brownhills & Aldridge North Local Neighbourhood Partnership 15th March 2005

Mapping Exercise

Brief summary of report:

Purpose of the mapping exercise is for members to gain more information and knowledge of community facilities available within the LNP area. This will allow members to gain a broader perspective of the various wards and will assist in identifying gaps in provisions.

Benefits:

The mapping exercise will:

- provide knowledge of projects and organisations in the area
- prevent duplication of projects
- encourage partnership working
- assist community engagement
- provide members with wider knowledge of area
- attract and maximise match funds through working with local organisations
- help deliver joint projects with partners

Methodology:

Members will be asked to plot organisations they are aware of on the LNP large map. Members will write community organisations, schools, libraries and other relevant venues onto post-it notes which will then be attached onto the large area map.

Subsequent actions:

The map will then be analysed by the Neighbourhood Partnership Officer and a write will be prepared and distributed to members. Members can then suggest which organisations and individuals need to be involved in the LNP process. Following this organisations and individuals will be contacted to participate in the various tasks groups and public forum of the main LNP meeting, where LAP (locally appointed partner) vacancies exist organisations and individuals will be encouraged to apply.

Recommendations:

• Members undertake the mapping exercise

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