

Neighbourhood Scrutiny and Performance Panel

MEETING TO BE HELD ON

THURSDAY 7 DECEMBER 2006 AT 6PM

Your attendance is requested at the above meeting, which will be held at the council House, Walsall. A list of the items of business to be considered at the meeting, together with any supporting papers is enclosed. Please bring the papers with you to the meeting.

MEMBERSHIP:

Councillor Towe (Chair)

Councillor Burley (Vice-Chair)

Councillor Ault
Councillor Beeley
Councillor Beilby
Councillor Bott
Councillor Griffiths

Councillor K. Phillips Councillor Woodruff

<u>Portfolio Holder</u>: Councillor Harrison – Leisure and culture

Councillor Perry – Safer stronger communities,

Partnerships and vision 2021

Councillor Walker – Environment and street pride

Councillor O'Hare – Resources

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ITEMS FOR BUSINESS

| 1. | Apologies | |
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| 2. | Substitutions | |
| 3. | Declarations of interest and party whip | |
| 4. | Local Government (Access to information) Act 1985: | |
| | To agree that the public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of those items set out in the private agenda for the reasons set out therein and Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972. | |
| 5. | Minutes of previous meeting | |
| | a) 5 October 2006 | <u>enclosed</u> |
| | b) 24 November 2006 | to follow |
| 6. | Forward Plan | |
| | 17 November 2006 | <u>enclosed</u> |
| 7. | Feedback from working groups | |
| | Community Associations Working Group – 15 November 2006 | <u>enclosed</u> |
| 8. | Performance and Monitoring items | |
| | Update on domestic violence figures | <u>verbal</u> |
| 9 | Items for information | |
| | Update on the libraries modernisation programme | <u>enclosed</u> |
| 10. | Key discussion Items | |
| | a) Sustainability of the wardens service - a review of the warden scheme | enclosed |
| | b) Walsall illuminations – report to cabinet | <u>enclosed</u> |
| 11. | Training opportunities | |
| | Scrutiny and Community Leadership and Governance – 31 January 2007 | enclosed |
| 12 | Date of next meeting | |
| | 1 February 2007 (budget) | |