



Walsall Council

## Community Services Scrutiny and Performance Panel

Meeting to be held on **14 OCTOBER 2010 AT 6.00PM**

Your attendance is requested at the above meeting, which will be held at, the Council House, Lichfield Street, Walsall, WS1 1TW.

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 L. Harrison (Chair)  
Councillor S. Coughlan (Vice-Chair)  
Councillor O. Bennett  
Councillor P. Bott  
Councillor C. Creaney  
Councillor R. Martin  
Councillor G. Perry  
Councillor K. Sears  
Councillor D. Shires

**Portfolio Holder:** Councillor M. Bird - Leader  
Councillor Z. Ali – Communities and Partnerships  
Councillor A. Harris – Leisure, Culture and Environment

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Agendas and reports are available for inspection from the Council's Scrutiny Team at the Council House, Walsall (Telephone 01922 653317) or on our website [www.walsall.gov.uk](http://www.walsall.gov.uk).

Some items are discussed in private because of their confidential nature, and reports on these are not available for the public. A guide to the types of information which are available to the public can also be found on our website or at the Civic Centre.

## ITEMS FOR BUSINESS

1.	<b>Apologies</b> To receive apologies for absence from Members of the Panel.	
2.	<b>Substitutions</b> To receive notice of any substitutions for a Member of the Panel for the duration of the meeting.	
3.	<b>Declarations of interest and party whip</b> To receive declarations of interest or the party whip from Members in respect of items on the agenda.	
4.	<b>Minutes of previous meeting</b> To approve and sign the minutes of the meeting that took place on 7 September 2010.	<u>Enclosed</u>
5.	<b>Budget Setting Framework and Timetable 2011/12 – 2014/15</b> To inform Members of the budget setting framework for the budget for 2011/12 to 2014/15, as reported to Cabinet on 15 September 2010.	<u>Enclosed</u>
6.	<p><b>Final Report of the Leisure Centres and Libraries Working Group</b></p> <p>The Community Services Scrutiny and Performance Panel decided to establish a working group to consider a future leisure centre strategy during the 2010/11 municipal year at its meeting on 30 March 2010. The working group was confirmed at the Panel meeting on 8 June 2010. The remit of the working group was later expanded to include the future of the Library service at the Panel meeting on 13 July 2010.</p> <p>Due the short timeframe available to complete the investigation the working group's final report including its key findings and recommendations is currently being finalised with Members and will be sent out before the Panel meeting. The Panel are asked to consider the report and approve the recommendations for submission to Cabinet.</p>	'To Follow'
7.	<b>Work Programme and Forward Plan</b> To review the Panels work programme and the latest version of the Cabinets forward plan of key decisions.	<u>Enclosed</u>
8.	<b>Date of next meeting</b> To note that the next meeting of the Panel will take place on 25 November 2010.	