# St Matthews Birchills and Leamore Local Neighbourhood Partnership – 21<sup>st</sup> September 2006

# **Community Action Groups**

Portfolio: Safer Stronger Communities, Partnerships and Vision 2021

Service Area: Neighbourhood Services

Wards: St Matthews Ward

**Birchills Leamore Ward** 

#### 1.0 Purpose of the Report

To provide an update on the progress of the Community Action Groups

#### 2.0 Recommendations:

- 1. For LNP members to continue in attendance at the Community Action Group meetings.
- 2. For the LNP to note progress of Community Action Groups
- 3. Select and approve CAG Chairs (two nominations for the Safer Stonger CAG)

### 3.0 Update:

No CAG meetings for the St Matthews Birchills Leamore LNP took place during August 2006.

A Safer Stronger Communities CAG took place on 4th September :-

- 1. Designing A Better Walsall -
- A presentation on Designing a Better Walsall Framework was made and the LNP
  were asked for feedback in the form of questionnaires about good and bad design
  within the LNP area and why they thought that. Copies of the adopted version of
  the Walsall Statement of Community Involvement were also circulated.
- 2. Local Accessibility Action Plan:-
- A presentation was made by Marie Newton about the future of the Local Accessibility Action Plan in Walsall

### 4.0 CAG Chairs

The following have been nominated for CAG Chairs:-

Health & People - Jane Evans, tPCT

Safer & Stronger - Terry Edis

Malcolm Barton

## 5.0 Forthcoming CAG meetings

The following CAG meetings will take place. Please note that a Drop in session will take place between 6.00 and 6.30PM for members to log their issues with the LNP team. These issues will then fed into services and partner agencies for responses:

Health & People CAG – 5<sup>th</sup> October 2006 6.30pm – 8pm

Safer & Stronger CAG – 9<sup>th</sup> November 2006 6.30pm – 8pm

Note that venues will be advised in due course

## Future CAG dates 2006/07

13<sup>th</sup> November 2006 Safer & Stronger Communities

5<sup>th</sup> December 2006 People & Health

16<sup>th</sup> January 2007 Safer & Stronger Communities

6<sup>th</sup> February 2007 People & Health

5<sup>th</sup> March 2007 Safer & Stronger Communities

2<sup>nd</sup> April 2007 People & Health

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