



Walsall Council

Neighbourhood Scrutiny and Performance Panel

**MEETING
TO BE HELD ON**

THURSDAY 17 AUGUST 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 Aslam
Councillor Ault
Councillor Beeley
Councillor Beilby
Councillor Bott
Councillor K. Phillips
Councillor Woodruff

Portfolio Holder:

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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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.

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.	Apologies	
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 held on. 13 June 2006	<u>Enclosed</u>
6.	<p>Feedback from special meetings and working groups.</p> <p>a) Decriminalised parking enforcement working group 13 July 2006 – Councillor Towe to report.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">1) Draft minutes – 13 July 2006 2) Summary of transport committee report 3) Draft report to Cabinet</p> <p>b) Green spaces working group draft minutes (25 July 2006), and Green flag award score sheet - Graham Hood/Sam Mills</p>	<p><u>Enclosed</u> <u>Enclosed</u> <u>Enclosed</u></p> <p><u>Enclosed</u></p>
7.	<p>Items for Information :</p> <p>Report back from Andy Mellors on leisure and culture citizens panel survey</p>	<u>Enclosed</u>
8.	<p>Key Discussion Items:</p> <p>a) Current position, forward plan and proposed work programme 2006/7</p> <p>b) Walsall illuminations – to consider interim and final reports</p>	<p><u>Enclosed</u></p> <p><u>Enclosed</u></p>

	<p>c) Resolution from Council 3 July 06:</p> <p>Discarded drug users needles</p> <p>That Council refer this matter to the Neighbourhood Scrutiny and Performance Panel with a recommendation that all policies and procedures in relation to discarded needles be reviewed and that the Police and all other appropriate agencies be involved in this review.”</p> <p>To receive information in respect of the present position and agree a course of action – Alan Jarvis to report</p>	<u>Enclosed</u>
9.	<p>Performance and monitoring items:</p> <p>a) CPA Improvement plan – Environment Inspection Improvement Plan - Keith Stone to report.</p>	<u>Enclosed</u>
10.	<p>Date of next meeting: To confirm that date of the next meeting will be 5 October 2006</p>	

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