Cambridge City Council

COMMUNITY SERVICES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

To: Councillors Kightley (Chair), Kerr (Vice-Chair), Al Bander, Blackhurst,

Brown, Sanders, Shah, Todd-Jones, Walker, Best, Dutton, Haywood and

Vine-Lott

Despatched: Wednesday, 9 March 2011

Date: Thursday, 17 March 2011

Time: 1.30 pm

Venue: Committee Room 1 & 2 - Guildhall

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AGENDA

1 APOLOGIES

To receive any apologies for absence.

2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members are asked to declare at this stage any interests that they may have in an item shown on this agenda. If any member of the Committee is unsure whether or not they should declare an interest on a particular matter, they should seek advice from the Head of Legal Services **before** the meeting.

3 MINUTES (Pages 1 - 28)

To approve the minutes of the meeting on 13 January 2011.

4 PUBLIC QUESTIONS (SEE INFORMATION BELOW)

Items for Decision - without debate

Items shown below will already have received approval in principle from the Executive Councillor. The Executive Councillor will be asked to approve the Records of Decision as set out.

<u>There will be no debate on these items</u>, but members of the Scrutiny Committee and members of the public may ask questions or comment on the items if they comply with the Council's rules on Public Speaking set out below.

Items for debate by the Committee and then decision by the Executive Councillor

These items will require the Executive Councillor to make a decision *after* hearing the views of the Scrutiny Committee.

There will be a full debate on these items, and members of the public may ask questions or comment on the items if they comply with the Council's rules on Public Speaking set out below.

Decisions of the Executive Councillor for Arts and Recreation

Items for debate by the Committee and then decision by the Executive Councillor

5 PORTFOLIO PLAN 2011/12 - ARTS AND RECREATION (Pages 29 - 38)

In August 2010 Strategic Leadership Team and the Executive Councillors reviewed the Councils service planning process. It was agreed that service plans based on service areas would be replaced by seven annual Portfolio Plans, from 2011/12.

The Plans express the strategic objectives for the portfolio over the financial year 2011/12 and beyond. Beneath each of the objectives will be detailed the particular outcomes to be achieved in 2011/12. Finally the plans will include performance measures that will provide evidence to members and the public that the outcomes have been achieved.

This information will enable members and the services contributing to the delivery of the plan to be clear about the priorities for the portfolio and will assist in decisions about where resources should be focussed within the portfolio.

The Scrutiny Committee is invited to comment on the Executive Councillors Strategic Objectives and Performance Measures and the Executive Councillor is recommended to agree the Portfolio Plan.

- 6 REVENUE AND CAPITAL PROJECT APPRAISALS AND REQUESTS TO CARRY FORWARD FUNDING FROM 2010/11 TO 2011/12 (Pages 39 70)
- 7 CAMBRIDGE CITY COUNCIL'S ARTS STRATEGY 2011-2014 (Pages 71 108)
- **8 LEISURE GRANT PRIORITIES 2012-14** (Pages 109 114)

Decisions of the Executive Councillor for Housing

Items for debate by the Committee and then decision by the Executive Councillor

9 **PORTFOLIO PLAN 2011/12 - HOUSING** (Pages 115 - 126)

See information above

- 10 REVENUE AND CAPITAL PROJECT APPRAISALS AND REQUESTS TO CARRY FORWARD FUNDING FROM 2010/11 TO 2011/12 (Pages 127 132)
- 11 DEPARTMENT FOR COMMUNITIES AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DCLG) HOMELESSNESS GRANT ALLOCATION 2011-12 AND 2012-13 (Pages 133 148)
- 12 SHARED HOME IMPROVEMENT AGENCY (HIA) (Pages 149 160)

13 REVISED HOUSE IN MULTIPLE OCCUPATION (HMO) LICENSING PROCEDURE (Pages 161 - 192)

Decisions of the Executive Councillor for Community Development and Health

Items for Decision - without debate

- 14 STATUTORY ENFORCEMENT WORK PLAN FOR HEALTH AND SAFETY LAW ENFORCEMENT 2011/12 (Pages 193 220)
- 15 STATUTORY ENFORCEMENT WORK PLAN FOR FOOD LAW ENFORCEMENT 2011/12 (Pages 221 268)

Items for debate by the Committee and then decision by the Executive Councillor

16 PORTFOLIO PLAN 2011/12 - COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND HEALTH (Pages 269 - 280)

See information above (Pages 269 - 280)

- 17 REVENUE AND CAPITAL PROJECT APPRAISALS AND REQUESTS TO CARRY FORWARD FUNDING FROM 2010/11 TO 2011/12 (Pages 281 284)
- 18 REVIEW OF THE CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S PARTICIPATION SERVICE SCOPING REPORT (Pages 285 290)
- 19 CAMBRIDGE COMMUNITY SAFETY PLAN 2011 2014 (Pages 291 312)

Information for the public

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