
Report to
Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee

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Report of
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Title
Report Back on the Work Of Outside Bodies – Coventry Church (Municipal) Charities

1 Purpose of the Report

- 1.1 At their meeting on 10th May, 2005, the Cabinet approved a process of reporting back to the Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee on the work of those outside bodies appointed to by the City Council. This reports sets out details of the work of Coventry Church (Municipal) Charities over the preceding twelve months and details of attendance by the City Council's representatives.

2 Recommendations

- 2.1 The constitution of the charity requires that three trustees are appointed by the city council. These trustees, need not necessary be elected members. As such it is recommended that the council continue to appoint to this body.

3 Information on Work of Outside Body

- 3.1 The Coventry Church (Municipal) Charities administers a number of charities within the City of Coventry and County of Warwickshire.
- 3.2 The primary work is in the running of the Bond's and Ford's hospital which provides sheltered accommodation for the elderly.
- 3.3 In addition the trustees of the Coventry Church (Municipal) Charities administer funds to provide relief in need wither generally or individually to persons in the City of Coventry who are in need, hardship or distress by making grants of money or providing or paying for items, services or facilities calculated to reduce the hardship, need or distress of such persons.

4 Benefits to the City Council of the Appointment

- 4.1 Benefits to the City Council of this appointment are such that members will be able to advise appropriate needy citizens of the city of the availability of these funds to apply for.

5 Attendance Record and Remuneration for the Appointment

- 5.1 The City Council's representatives to the Coventry Church (Municipal) Charities Trustees are Councillor Williams, Mr J Ijoma and Mrs R Mason. From the period June 2005 to date there have been 4 meetings of the Trustees of which Councillor Williams has attended 3,

Mr Ijoma 4 and Mrs Mason 2. The Clerk to the Trustees has indicated that the Trustees value the contribution made to the charity by all the Council nominees.

5.2 There is no remuneration associated with this appointment.

List of background papers

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