
Report to
Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee

14 February 2007

Report of
Councillor Ahmed

Title
Report Back on the Work Of Outside Bodies – Governing Body of City College

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 Governing Body of City College over the preceding twelve months and details of attendance by the City Council's representatives.

2 Recommendations

2.1 That the City Council should continue to appoint to the Governing Body of City College.

3 Information on Work of Outside Body

3.1 City College Coventry is a further education college. The college was formed as part of the merger of Coventry Technical College and Tile Hill College.

4 Benefits to the City Council of the Appointment

4.1 Playing a part in ensuring a good education for present and future generations of students from the City of Coventry.

4.2 Helping the College keep in touch with the training needs of the City Council as an employer.

4.3 Enhancing Councillor Ahmed's personal development and the City Council's reputation.

4.4 Involvement in making tough strategic decisions in a business focused world.

4.5 The knowledge gained by interaction with other members from different walks of life.

4.6 Providing a direct link between the College and the City Council on the Swanswell redevelopment project.

4.7 Contributing to the formation of the educational character of the new-build College in the interests of the population of the City.

5 Attendance Record and Remuneration for the Appointment

5.1 The City Council's representatives for the Governing Body of City College are Councillors Ahmed and Maton and Mr R Brabban. The attendances at meetings are as follows:-

Full Corporation – There were 6 meetings in the year 1st January – 31st December 2006. The number of meetings attended was as follows:

Councillor Shabbir Ahmed	0
Councillor Kevin Maton	5
Mr Robin Brabban	5

Quality & Performance Committee – There were 4 meetings in the year 1st January – 31st December 2006. The number of meetings attended was as follows:

Councillor Kevin Maton	4
Mr Robin Brabban	3

Annual Strategy Conference – There was 1 meeting in the year 1st January – 31st December 2006. The meeting was attended as follows:

Councillor Shabbir Ahmed	1
Councillor Kevin Maton	1
Mr Robin Brabban	1

5.2 There is no remuneration associated with the appointment.

List of background papers

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Schedule of City Council Appointment to Outside Bodies