



Coventry City Council

Agenda

Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee

Time and Date

1.00 p.m. on Wednesday, 14th January, 2009

Place

Committee Rooms, Council House, Coventry

Public Business

1 Apologies and Substitutions

2 Declarations of Interests

3 Minutes – of the meetings held on 19th November, and 3rd, 10th and 17th December, 2008 (attached)

4 Consideration of Call-ins – Stage 2

To consider the call-ins indicated from the Members shown. In accordance with the Scrutiny Procedure Rules, these Members have been invited to attend the meeting for the consideration of their call-in and at least one of them must attend the meeting or the call-in will fail.

Cabinet – 16th December, 2008 (Councillor Williams)

4.1 Neighbourhood Wardens Review and Operational Changes

Report of the Head of Neighbourhood Management (**attached**)

Decision Called in:-

The Cabinet had agreed:

2.1 The implementation of the review of the Wardens Service which includes changes to the provision of the wardens service across the city

2.2 To pilot a team of eight Neighbourhood Impact Officers who will have enforcement powers.

Called in by Councillors O'Boyle, Ruane and Kelly

The reasons for the call-in are:-

- (1) To better understand the impact of the withdrawal of the city centre team on crime and disorder in the City Centre.

- (2) To better understand the impact of the consultation had on the decision making processes.

- (NOTES:** (i) This call-in relates to decision 2.1 above
- (ii) The Members calling in the decision have indicated that attendance by the relevant Cabinet Member is required for the Stage 2 consideration of this item.
- (iii) The Members calling in the decision have also indicated that they might want the issue to be referred on to the relevant Scrutiny Board after consideration by the Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee.)

5 Reports Back on the Work of Outside Bodies

5.1 Governing Body of Henley College

Report by Chris Hinde, Chair of the Governing Body (attached)

5.2 Voluntary Action Coventry (Formerly Coventry Voluntary Service Council)

Report by Councillor Andrew Williams (attached)

6 Outstanding Issues

There are currently no outstanding issues.

7 Work Programme 2008/09

To give consideration to the Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee's Work Programme for 2008/09 (attached)

8 Meeting Evaluation

To discuss and evaluate the effectiveness of the meeting.

- 9 Any other items of public business which the Chair decides to take as matters of urgency because of the special circumstances involved.

Private Business

Nil

Bev Messinger, Director of Customer and Workforce Services, Council House, Coventry

6th January, 2009

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Membership: Councillors Arrowsmith, Charley, Clifford, Crookes (Deputy Chair), Duggins, Maton, J. Mutton and Ridge (Chair)

By invitation: Councillors Kelly, Mulhall, M. Mutton, O'Boyle, Ruane and Williams

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