

# Delegated Decisions by Cabinet Member for Safer & Stronger Communities

Monday, 14 September 2009 at 12.30 pm or on the rising of the Safer & Stronger Communities Scrutiny Committee if later

County Hall, Oxford (Grand Jury Room)

### Items for Decision

The items for decision under individual Cabinet Members' delegated powers are listed overleaf and the related reports are attached. Decisions taken will become effective at the end of the working day on 22 September 2009 unless called in by that date for review by the appropriate Scrutiny Committee.

Copies of the reports are circulated (by e-mail) to all members of the County Council\*.

\*Separate provisions apply in relation to exempt information.

These proceedings are open to the public

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Note: Date of next meeting: 26 October 2009

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# **Items for Decision**

#### 1. Petitions and Public Address

## 2. Questions from County Councillors

Any county councillor may, by giving notice to the Proper Officer by 9 am on the working day before the meeting, ask any question on any matter in respect of the Cabinet's delegated powers.

This could include significant issues affecting the councillor's division, which otherwise might be the subject of an address, petition or motion at council.

The number of questions which may be asked by any councillor at any one meeting is limited to two (or one question plus a supplementary) and the question time will be limited to 30 minutes in total. As with questions at Council, any questions which remain unanswered within that timescale will receive a written response.

Questions submitted after agenda despatch and by 9 am on the working day before the meeting will be placed on a schedule of Addenda and tabled at the meeting.

### 3. Declarations of Interest

# 4. FiReControl (Fire Service Regional Control Room Project) Business Case (Pages 1 - 4)

Forward Plan Ref: 2009/079

Contact: Colin Thomas, Assistant Chief Fire Officer and Head of Service Support (01865 855206)

Report by John Parry, Director for Community Safety & Shared Services and Chief Fire Officer.

#### **EXEMPT ITEM**

It is RECOMMENDED that the public be excluded for the duration of item 5E since it is likely that if they were present during that item there would be disclosure of exempt information as defined in Part I of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) and specified below in relation to the item

3. Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)

and since it is considered that, in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information in that where information has been supplied in commercial confidence such disclosure would prejudice the commercial position of the parties involved and would prejudice the position of the authority's investments to the

detriment of the Council's ability properly to discharge its fiduciary and other duties as a public authority.

THE REPORT RELATING TO THE EXEMPT ITEM HAS NOT BEEN MADE PUBLIC AND SHOULD BE REGARDED AS STRICTLY PRIVATE TO MEMBERS AND OFFICERS ENTITLED TO RECEIVE IT.

# 5. The Provision of Gypsy & Traveller Services to Other Local Authorities and Public Bodies (Pages 5 - 10)

Forward Plan Ref: 2009/125

Contact: Nigel Strick, Head of Community Safety (01865 815601)

Report by Head of Community Safety.