

SCRUTINY BOARD (NEIGHBOURHOODS AND HOUSING)

Meeting to be held in The Civic Hall, Leeds on
Wednesday, 11th October, 2006 at 10.00 am

A pre-meeting will take place for ALL Members of the Board
in a Committee Room at 9.30 am

MEMBERSHIP

Councillors

J Akhtar	-	Gipton and Harehills
S Armitage	-	Crossgates and Whinmoor
D Atkinson	-	Bramley and Stanningley
P Ewens	-	Hyde Park and Woodhouse
R Finnigan	-	Morley North
A Gabriel	-	Beeston and Holbeck
G Hyde	-	Killingbeck and Seacroft
M Phillips	-	Garforth and Swillington
R Pryke (Chair)	-	Burmantofts and Richmond Hill
M Rafique	-	Chapel Allerton
D Schofield	-	Temple Newsam

Please note: Certain or all items on this agenda may be recorded on tape

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2			<p>EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC</p> <p>To identify items where resolutions may be moved to exclude the public.</p>	
3			<p>LATE ITEMS</p> <p>To identify items which have been admitted to the agenda by the Chair for consideration.</p> <p>(The special circumstances shall be specified in the minutes.)</p>	
4			<p>DECLARATION OF INTERESTS</p> <p>To declare any personal / prejudicial interests for the purpose of Section 81 (3) of the Local Government Act 2000 and paragraphs 8 to 13 of the Members Code of Conduct.</p>	
5			<p>APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE</p> <p>To receive any apologies for absence.</p>	
6			<p>MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING</p> <p>To receive and approve the minutes of the previous meeting held on 6th September 2006.</p> <p>(Copy attached.)</p>	1 - 6

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8			<p>MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD</p> <p>To receive and note the minutes of the Executive Board meeting held on 20th September 2006.</p> <p>(Copy attached.)</p>	11 - 22
9			<p>MINUTES OF THE THRIVING COMMUNITIES CORPORATE PRIORITIES BOARD</p> <p>To receive and note the minutes of the Thriving Communities Corporate Priorities Board meeting held on 14th September 2006.</p> <p>(Copy attached.)</p>	23 - 26
10			<p>EMPTY PROPERTY STRATEGY</p> <p>To receive the report of the Director of Neighbourhoods and Housing advising the Scrutiny Board of the revised Corporate Empty Property Strategy and associated targets for 2006 – 2010.</p> <p>(Report attached.)</p>	27 - 62
11			<p>HOMELESSNESS STRATEGY</p> <p>Report to follow.</p>	
12			<p>PERFORMANCE INDICATORS</p> <p>Report to follow.</p>	

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14			<p>DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING</p> <p>Wednesday 8th November at 10:00 am.</p> <p>(Pre-meeting at 9.30 am for Board Members)</p>	