

WEST (INNER) AREA COMMITTEE

**Meeting to be held in Stanningley Rugby Club, Coal Hill Lane, Leeds 13 on
Thursday, 25th October, 2007 at 5.00 pm**

Note: Map of Venue attached at the back of this agenda

MEMBERSHIP

Councillors

J Harper	-	Armley
A Lowe	-	Armley
J McKenna	-	Armley
D Atkinson	-	Bramley and Stanningley
T Hanley	-	Bramley and Stanningley
N Taggart	-	Bramley and Stanningley

Co-opted Members

Jean Bedford	-	Bramley Forum
Hazel Boutle	-	Armley Forum
Peter Green	-	Bramley Forum
Morgan Pugh	-	Armley Forum

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A BRIEF EXPLANATION OF COUNCIL FUNCTIONS AND EXECUTIVE FUNCTIONS

There are certain functions that are defined by regulations which can only be carried out at a meeting of the Full Council or under a Scheme of Delegation approved by the Full Council. Everything else is an Executive Function and, therefore, is carried out by the Council's Executive Board or under a Scheme of Delegation agreed by the Executive Board.

The Area Committee has some functions which are delegated from full Council and some Functions which are delegated from the Executive Board. Both functions are kept separately in order to make it clear where the authority has come from so that if there are decisions that the Area Committee decides not to make they know which body the decision should be referred back to.

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1			<p>APPEALS AGAINST REFUSAL OF INSPECTION OF DOCUMENTS</p> <p>To consider any appeals in accordance with Procedure Rule 25 of the Access to Information Procedure Rules (in the event of an Appeal the press and public will be excluded)</p>	
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 12 of the Members Code of Conduct</p>	
5			<p>APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE</p>	

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6			<p>OPEN FORUM / COMMUNITY FORUMS</p> <p>In accordance with Paragraphs 6.24 and 6.25 of the Area Committee Procedure Rules, at the discretion of the Chair a period of up to 10 minutes may be allocated at each ordinary meeting for members of the public to make representations or to ask questions on matters within the terms of reference of the Area Committee. This period of time may be extended at the discretion of the Chair. No member of the public shall speak for more than three minutes in the Open Forum, except by permission of the Chair.</p> <p>It is also intended to submit under this item for information/discussion purposes the minutes of the local community forum meetings. The following sets of minutes are enclosed:</p> <p>(a) Bramley & Stanningley Community Forum – 26th July and 27th September 2007.</p> <p>(b) Armley Community Forum – 18th September 2007</p>	1 - 10
7			<p>MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 20TH SEPTEMBER 2007 AND MATTERS ARISING</p> <p>To confirm as a correct record the attached minutes of the last meeting held on 20th September 2007 and to discuss any matters arising from the minutes.</p>	11 - 18
8	Armley; Bramley and Stanningley;		<p>COMMUNITY SAFETY ISSUES - INNER WEST LEEDS</p> <p>To consider a report by the West Leeds Area Manager on the community safety issues in Inner West Leeds for the past six weeks.</p> <p>(Executive Function) 10 Mins</p>	19 - 20

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9	Armley; Bramley and Stanningley;		<p>AREA DELIVERY PLAN 2007/08 UPDATE AND FUTURE OF ADP 2008/09</p> <p>To consider a report by the West Leeds Area Manager on the progress on the Inner West Area Committee Area Delivery Plan (ADP) 2007/08 and to inform Members of the proposed content and format of the ADP for 2008/09.</p> <p>(Executive Function) 10 Mins</p>	21 - 42
10	All Wards		<p>CONSULTATION ON THE LEEDS STRATEGIC PLAN 2008/2011</p> <p>To consider a report and presentation by the Assistant Chief Executive (Planning Policy and Improvement) introducing the Strategic Plan 2008/2011 and to consider the draft strategic outcomes and improvement priorities which will shape the content of this plan.</p> <p>(Council Function) 20 Mins</p>	43 - 48
11	Armley; Bramley and Stanningley;		<p>WEST INNER WELL-BEING BUDGET</p> <p>To consider a report by the Director of Environment and Neighbourhoods to update Members on the current amount of capital and revenue funding committed and available via the Area Committee Well-being budget for Wards in the Inner West area and to seek approval for new and continuing projects commissioned by the Area Management Team.</p> <p>(Executive Function) 10 Mins</p>	49 - 72

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12	Armley; Bramley and Stanningley;		<p>WEST LEEDS COUNTRY PARK AND GREEN GATEWAYS</p> <p>To note a report by the Chief Recreation Officer on progress made with the West Leeds Country Park and Green Gateways project since the last WLCP Forum meeting held on 11th June 2007.</p> <p>(Council Function) 10 Mins</p>	73 - 76
13	All Wards		<p>LEEDS JOINT AREA REVIEW</p> <p>To note a report and presentation by the Director of Children's Services on the Joint Area Review (JAR) Leeds.</p> <p>(Council Function) 15 Mins</p>	77 - 100
14	Armley; Bramley and Stanningley;		<p>LEEDS BRADFORD CORRIDOR REGENERATION UPDATE</p> <p>To note a report by the Director of Environment and Neighbourhoods to update Members on joint work taking place between partners of Leeds City Council and Bradford MDC on the Leeds Bradford Corridor.</p> <p>(Executive Decision) 10 Mins</p>	101 - 108
15	Armley		<p>ARMLEY TOWN CENTRE IMPROVEMENTS</p> <p>To note a report by the West Leeds Area Manager informing Members of the latest progress on projects which are part of the regeneration of Armley Town Centre.</p> <p>(Executive Function) 10 Mins</p>	109 - 114

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16	Armley; Bramley and Stanningley;		<p>FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES TO SUPPORT JOBS SKILLS AND ENTERPRISE IN WEST LEEDS</p> <p>To consider a report by the West Leeds Area Manager informing the Area Committee of the current opportunities that exist to bid for European Funding to assist jobs, enterprise and skill levels in West Leeds.</p> <p>(Executive Function) 10 Mins</p>	115 - 118
17	All Wards		<p>LEEDS LOCAL ENTERPRISE GROWTH INITIATIVE PROGRAMME UPDATE</p> <p>To note a report by the LEGI Programme Manager on the progress of the Leeds LEGI programme.</p> <p>(Council Function) 10 Mins</p>	119 - 122
18	Armley; Bramley and Stanningley;		<p>DATE TIME AND VENUE OF THE NEXT MEETING</p> <p>Thursday, 6th December 2007 at 9.00 a.m. Armley One Stop Centre, Armley Town Street, Leeds 12.</p>	