



Report of the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development

Scrutiny Board (Culture and Leisure)

Date: 12th November 2007

Subject: Inquiry into Middleton Park Equestrian Centre

Electoral Wards Affected:

Ward Members consulted
(referred to in report)

Specific Implications For:

Equality and Diversity

Community Cohesion

Narrowing the Gap

1.0 Introduction

- 1.1 The Board is currently undertaking an inquiry into the Middleton Park Equestrian Centre and its relationship with the Council. Members of the Board undertook a site visit during October.
- 1.2 At its October meeting the Board requested information on the management agreement currently in operation between the Equestrian Centre and the Council.

2.0 Information submitted to the Board

- 2.1 Attached to this report is the management agreement established in 1999. The Chair of trustees has been invited to contribute to the discussion, along with representatives from Legal Services, Leisure Services and Corporate Services.

3.0 Recommendation

- 3.1 Members are requested to note the information provided and make comments and recommendations as appropriate.