## **HUNTINGDONSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL**

## **CABINET**

## **THURSDAY, 4 SEPTEMBER 2008**

## **DECISION SHEET**

I C Bates, P L E Bucknell, K J Churchill, D B Dew, A Hansard, C R Hyams, Mrs D C Reynolds, T V Rogers and L M Simpson PRESENT:

ITEM NO.	SUBJECT	CONTACT OFFICER
1	Minutes  Subject to the deletion of the names of Councillors Bucknell and Churchill from the list of those present, the Minutes of the meeting of the Cabinet held on 17th July 2008 were approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.	Mrs H Taylor 388008
2	Financial Strategy  Noted the contents of the report and agreed that in considering the financial forecast for the period ending 2018/2019 full Council's attention be drawn to the uncertainty created by the current and future levels of inflation and the Government's reaction to them through capping future grant settlements.	S Couper 388103
3	Sustainable Community Strategy  Recommended to full Council that the revised Sustainable Community Strategy for Huntingdonshire be approved.	I Leatherbarrow 388005
4	"Growing Success" - the Corporate Plan  Recommended to Council that the updated version of  "Growing Success" – the Council's Corporate Plan be adopted.	I Leatherbarrow 388005
5	Environmental Improvements to St Ives Town Centre  Noted progress of Phase 2 of the St. Ives Environmental Improvements Scheme; approved the principle of the scheme for the purpose of public consultation and its submission to the Huntingdonshire Traffic Area Joint Committee for approval; agreed to seek financial contributions towards the cost of the scheme from Cambridgeshire County Council and St Ives Town Council;	C Allen 388380

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	and requested that a further report on the scheme's progress be submitted to a future meeting.	
6	customer service strategy action plan	
	Approved the contents of a Customer Service Strategy Action Plan.	Mrs J Barber 388105
7	Enhanced Cleansing Services proposals for market towns	
	Recorded their concern that the paper did not address operational issues associated with the scope of the areas to be cleaned and the delivery of the service. Commented that an additional cleansing service on a Sunday was likely to cause some early morning noise which could be seen as being detrimental to some residents. Requested the Overview and Scrutiny Panel to investigate further the introduction of Sunday cleansing services in light of the Cabinet's views and to prepare a proposal for consideration as part of the Council's Medium Term Plan in due course; Agreed that financial contributions towards the cost of implementing additional cleansing be sought from the various Town Councils and that the use of Alcohol Disorder Zones be investigated.	Miss H Ali 388006
8	adoption of local standards for the provision of core sports facilities in Huntingdonshire	
	Agreed to the adoption of local standards for the provision of core sports facilities in Huntingdonshire.	Dr S Lammin 388280
9	Review of Council Structure: Appointment of Working Group	
	Appointed Councillors Mrs M Banerjee, K J Churchill, T Clough, S Criswell, T Sanderson, Ms M Thomas, G Thorpe and R G Tuplin to a Working Group to review the existing Council Structure.	R Reeves 388003
10	Safety Advisory Group	
	Noted the report of the meeting of the Safety Advisory Group held on 11th June 2008.	Mrs A Jerrom 388009
11	Customer first and Accommodation Advisory Group	
	Received the notes of the meeting of the Customer First and Accommodation Advisory Group held on 5th August	Miss H Ali 388006

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12	Sale of land at Mayfield Road, Huntingdon	
	Approved the disposal of Council-owned land at Mayfield Road, Huntingdon.	F Mastrandrea 388208 K Phillips 388260