HUNTINGDONSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

CABINET

THURSDAY, 2 OCTOBER 2003

ACTION SHEET

PRESENT: I C Bates, Mrs J Chandler, R L Clarke, Mrs K P Gregory, N J Guyatt, D P Holley,

T V Rogers and L M Simpson

APOLOGIES: (none)

ITEM NO.	SUBJECT	ACTION BY	TO NOTE
1	Community Safety Review		
	Noted the findings and recommendations of the community safety review and the draft programme for the forthcoming Community Safety Workshop.	Claire Harris	R Preston 388340
	Approved the draft Community Safety Strategy for the Council and authorised the Director of Operational Services, in consultation with the Executive Councillor for Environment, to make any further changes to the Strategy arising from the workshops.		
	Approved the draft improvement plan for the authority based on the recommendations from review with further consideration at the workshop.		
2	Police Community Support Officers Memorandum of Understanding		
	Noted the contents of the Report. Authorised the Chief Executive after consultation with the Leader of the Council and the Executive Member with responsibility for the Environment to sign the Memorandum of Understanding between the Constabulary and the District Council. The Memorandum of Understanding to be negotiated with the Constabulary.		Mrs S Hansen 388341
3	A Vision for Ramsey and the Way Forward		
	Noted the current position with regards to the development of the Ramsey Area		Ms C Keck 388413

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	Partnership, to include the area to the east of the A1 (including Connington) and endorsed the proposed structure and relationship with the Huntingdonshire Strategic Partnership. Supported the submission of a bid for		
	participation in the Countryside Agency Market Town Initiative for Ramsey.		
	Nominated Councillor N J Guyatt to be the District Council representative on the Board of the Ramsey Area Partnership.		
4	SEPTIC TANK AND NIGHT SOIL EMPTYING SERVICE		
	Agreed that notice be given to cease the Septic Tank emptying service by 31 st December 2003 and to redirect users to private sector companies.		R Ward 388635
	Agreed that the Service delivery arrangements for the Council's Nightsoil collection be reviewed in the Autumn of 2004.		
	Noted that a correction to the existing budget was being addressed in the Medium Term Plan Review.		
5	Draft Supplementary Planning Guidance: Huntingdonshire Landscape and Townscape Assessment and Huntingdonshire Design Guide		
	Approved the Huntingdonshire Landscape and Townscape Assessment and the Huntingdonshire Design Guide as draft Supplementary Planning Guidance for the purpose of public consultation.		M Bingham 388431
6	The Offord Cluny Conservation Area Character Statement		
	Agreed to adopt the revised Offord Cluny Conservation Area Character Statement as Supplementary Planning Guidance to the Huntingdonshire Local Plan.		Miss K MacAndrew 388417
7	HUNTINGDONSHIRE FLOOD FORUM - OPERATING PRINCIPLES		

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	Noted the contents of a proposed operating protocol for the Huntingdonshire Flood Forum. Appointed Councillor I C Bates as Chairman of the Forum. Appointed a representative from the Overview and Scrutiny Panel (Planning and Finance) to attend the Forum as the Council's representative.		Miss C Harris 388234
8	KENT ROAD ENVIRONMENTAL IMPROVEMENTS Subject to such reductions in the specification as may be negotiated and agreed by the Director of Operational Services to award the contract for Kent Road Environmenal Improvements to J Breheny. Approved a supplementary capital estimate of £243,000 to meet the net cost of the scheme.		R Preston 388340

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