CABINET

Thursday, 6th March, 2008

Councillor R.F. Spencer (Chairman)

Councillors: A.S. Bexon (a) G.V. Clarke

W.H. Golland R.J. Nicholson J.M. Parr V.C. Pepper

W.J. Clarke (Observer) A.J. Gillam (Observer)

G.E. Withers (Observer)

104 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.

An apology for absence was received from Councillor Bexon.

105 TO APPROVE AS A CORRECT RECORD THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 21 FEBRUARY 2008.

RESOLVED:

That the minutes of the above meeting, having been circulated, be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

106 PLANNING DELIVERY GRANT

The Head of Planning and Environment submitted details of the Borough Council's final allocation of the Planning Delivery Grant (PDG) for 2007/08. This was the last PDG allocation, with it being replaced by the Housing and Planning Delivery Grant from 2008/09.

RESOLVED:

To note the report.

107 MEMBERS' QUESTIONS TO PORTFOLIO HOLDERS

Councillor Wright asked the Portfolio Holder for Housing and Health if she was feeling confident about the result of the Housing Ballot.

Councillor Pepper replied that she hoped the outcome would be the one that everyone wanted and the result would be announced at 3pm on Tuesday 11 March. A press release would also be distributed.

A discussion was then held on the proposals affecting any possible stock transfer.

108 GREATER NOTTINGHAM RETAIL STUDY

The Principal Planning Officer (Planning Policy) for Head of Planning and Environment and Head of Strategy and Performance submitted a report on the findings of the latest Greater Nottingham Retail Study.

RESOLVED:

To note the contents of the report and agree to take the findings into account when formulating future retail policy.

109 PROGRESS REPORTS FROM PORTFOLIO HOLDERS

The following progress reports on items within their purview were received from Portfolio Holders:-

Finance

- i. Peer Review commences 11 March 2008
- ii. County LSP meeting

Housing

- i. Ballot result 11 March 2008
- ii. Framework invitation Elizabeth House 13 March

RESOLVED:

To note the reports.

110 ANY OTHER ITEMS WHICH THE CHAIRMAN CONSIDERS URGENT.

CABINET MEETINGS

The next meeting of the Cabinet would be held on Thursday 3 April

The meeting closed at 6.15 pm