

CABINET

Thursday, 1st October 2009

Councillor R.F. Spencer (Chairman)

Councillors:	J.M. Parr	A.S. Bexon
	G.V. Clarke	W.H. Golland
	R.J. Nicholson (a)	V.C. Pepper
	W.J. Clarke (a)	A.J. Gillam
	G.E. Withers	

37 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors W.J. Clarke and Nicholson.

38 TO APPROVE AS A CORRECT RECORD THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 3 SEPTEMBER 2009.

RESOLVED:

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

39 COVALENT PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM - PRESENTATION BY HEAD OF STRATEGY & PERFORMANCE

RESOLVED:

To thank Mr Bray for the presentation.

40 EAST MIDLANDS REGIONAL PLAN: PARTIAL REVIEW - OPTIONS CONSULTATION

Consideration was given to a report of the Planning Policy Manager on behalf of the Head of Strategy & Performance and Head of Planning & Environment requesting authorisation of a response to the Partial Review of the East Midlands Regional Plan which had been issued for consultation.

RESOLVED:

To endorse the report to form the basis of the Borough Council's response to the Government Office on the Partial Review of the East Midlands Regional Plan.

41 GREATER NOTTINGHAM LANDSCAPE CHARACTER ASSESSMENT

The Planning Officer (Planning Policy) for Head of Planning and Environment and Head of Strategy and Performance submitted a report following

publication of the Greater Nottingham Landscape Character Assessment.

The report showed why the Assessment was needed; the methodology used in preparing it and discussed the Assessment's findings that were relevant to Gedling Borough.

RESOLVED:

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

42 CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR COLLECTION ARRANGEMENTS 2009/10

The Head of Direct Services submitted a report that advised members of the refuse collection arrangements over the Christmas and New Year holiday period 2009/10.

RESOLVED:

To approve the proposed refuse collection arrangements over the Christmas and New Year holiday period 2009/10.

43 PORTFOLIO HOLDERS PROGRESS REPORTS

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

Leisure & Wellbeing

ii. Attempted robbery at Richard Herrod Leisure Centre - Letter of commendation and appreciation to be sent from Cabinet to staff.

ii. Christmas and New Year opening times at Leisure Centres - maintenance works to be carried out during closure.

Finance

i. Further consideration being given to Council finances.

Safe & Sustainable Neighbourhoods

i. Crime and Anti social behaviour figures show an improvement.

RESOLVED:

To note the reports.

The meeting closed at 6.40 pm