Minutes of Portfolio Holder (Customers, Workforce and Partnerships) Decision Making Session held on 18th September 2009

Present:

Councillor Heather Timms (Cabinet Portfolio Holder for Customers Workforce and Partnerships):

Others in attendance:

Members

Councillors: Martin Heatley, Izzi Seccombe, Peter Fowler, Alan Cockburn, Chris Saint.

Officers:

Jane Pollard (Democratic Services Manager)
Paul Galland (Strategic Director Environment and Economy)
Martin Stott (Head of Environment and Waste)
Dave Hill (Economic Strategy Advisor)

1. General

(1) Members Declarations of Personal and Prejudicial Interests

None.

2. Strengthening Local Democracy - A consultation paper

Councillor Heather Timms Portfolio Holder for Customers Workforce and Partnerships presented a report prepared by the Strategic Director of Customers Workforce and Governance setting out a proposed response to the Government consultation on Strengthening Local Democracy.

Resolved

That the draft response is approved for submission to Department for Communities and Local Government

3. Any other items

There were no other urgent items of business.

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The session concluded at 10.18 a.m.