

**MAIDSTONE BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**GENERAL PURPOSES GROUP**

**21 May 2008**

**REPORT OF THE DEMOCRATIC SERVICES MANAGER**

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**1. APPOINTMENT TO OUTSIDE BODIES**

- 1.1 The Group Leaders have been provided with a schedule of outside bodies to which the Council may make nominations (copy attached as Appendix A). A full list of the nominations received will be circulated at the meeting.

Recommended: That the Group determine its nominations to outside bodies.

1.2 Cutbush and Corral Charities

Councillor Naghi is the representative of the Council on the Cutbush and Corral Charities although his term of office expired on 31 March 2008 leaving a vacancy.

This term of office is for a period of 4 years until 31 March 2012. Councillor Naghi has expressed a wish to be re-appointed.

Recommended: That the Group make an appointment to the vacancy on the Cutbush and Corral Charities.

1.3 Howard de Walden Youth Club

Councillors FitzGerald and Sellar are the representatives of the Council on the Howard de Walden Youth Club although their term of office expired on 22 March 2008 leaving two vacancies.

The terms of office are for a period of 4 years until 31 March 2012. Nominations are being sought for these vacancies.

Recommended: That the Group make appointments to the vacancies on the Howard de Walden Youth Club.

#### 1.4 Collis Millennium Green Trust

As reported at the meeting of the General Purposes Group on 6 March 2008, Councillor Mortimer's term of office expired on 2 December 2007 Collis Millennium Green Trust leaving a vacancy. Councillor Mortimer indicated his wish at that time not to be re-appointed and no other nomination was received.

This term of office is for a period of 4 years until 2 December 2011. Councillor Mrs Parvin has expressed a wish to be appointed.

Recommended: That the Group make an appointment to the vacancy on the Collis Millennium Green Trust.

#### 1.5 Relief in Need Charities

Councillor Mrs Parvin is a Nominative Trustee of the Maidstone Relief in Need Charities although her term of office expires on 27 July 2008 leaving a vacancy.

This term of office is for a period of 4 years until 26 July 2012. Councillor Mrs Parvin has expressed a wish to be re-appointed.

Recommended: That the Group make an appointment to the vacancy on the Relief in Need Charities.