# ROCHFORD DISTRICT COUNCIL



# **Environment Overview & Scrutiny Committee**

# agenda

Chairman's callover – 6.30pm in the Chairman's Briefing Room

Date

17 October 2002

Time

7.30pm

**Place** 

Council Chamber Civic Suite Rayleigh

### Contact

Margaret Martin

Rochford District Council South Street Rochford Essex SS4 1BW

Tel: (01702) 546366 Fax: (01702) 545737

Email:

committees@rochford.gov.uk

## **Members of the Environment Overview & Scrutiny Committee**

Cllr P A Capon (Chairman)
Cllr Mrs R Brown (Vice-Chairman)

Cllr R S Allen Cllr R A Amner Cllr C I Black Cllr C A Hungate Cllr P K Savill Cllr P F A Webster Cllr Mrs M A Weir

Copy for Information to all Substitute Members

Conservative Group Cllr T Livings Cllr J M Pullen Cllr Mrs M A Starke Cllr J Thomass

Independent Group

Labour Group Cllr Mrs M S Vince

Liberal Democrat Group Cllr Mrs J R Lumley

#### **Terms of Reference**

To consider the following in accordance with the Overview and Scrutiny Procedures Rules: All Council services relating to Highways Transportation, Planning Policy, Building Control, Recycling, Waste Collection and Disposal, the Environment, Regeneration Economic Development and Health & Safety.

# **Corporate Objectives**

To provide quality cost effective services
To work towards a safer and more caring community
To promote a green and sustainable environment
To encourage a thriving local economy
To improve the quality of life for people in our District
To maintain and enhance our local heritage and culture

# AGENDA

		Page No
1	Apologies for Absence	
2	Substitutes	
3	Non-Members attending	
4	Minutes of the Meeting held on 19 September 2002	
5	To Receive Declarations of Interest	
6	Presentation by National Express Group	
	Presentation by the National Express Group concerning the consequences of franchise for rail services from Southend, Rochford and Rayleigh.	
7	Outstanding Issues	7.1
	Schedule attached.	
8	Minutes of Rayleigh Town Centre Sub-Committee	8.1
	To receive the Minutes of the meeting held on 26 September 2002.	
9	Removal of Fly Posters	9.1
	To consider the report of the Corporate Director (Finance and External Services) which provides Members with details of the areas of responsibility in relation to the removal of fly posters and in particular the role of the Council's Contract Monitoring Officers.	

## 10 Removal of Chewing Gum – Rayleigh Town Centre

10.1

To consider the report of the Corporate Director (Finance and External Services) which provides Members with details of a method of cleansing of pavement area, initially focused on Rayleigh Town Centre to remove chewing gum and other staining.

### 11 Websters Way Environmental Enhancement

11.1

To consider the report of the Head of Planning Services which seeks Members' views on options for environmental improvements to Websters Way. The report is in response to discussions at the Rayleigh Town Centre Sub-Committee on 26 July 2002.

#### 12 Access to Back Lane Car Park

12.1

To consider the report of the Head of Planning Services which seeks Members' views on a proposal to alter the access arrangements to Back Lane car park in order to improve traffic flows in Rochford Town Centre.

# 13 Proposed Extinguishment of Part Public Footpath 5, Ashingdon

13.1

To consider the report of the Head of Legal Services which invites Members to consider the application for the extinguishment of a section of public footpath 5, Ashingdon.

#### 14 Review of Bus Subsidies – Consultation Paper

14.1

To consider the report of the Head of Planning Services which invites Members to give views on the Government's proposals for changes to and alternatives to existing bus subsidies.



Paul Warren
Chief Executive