NOTICE OF POLICY DECISIONS

The Policy, Finance and Strategic Performance Committee made the following decisions at its meeting on 18 January 2007:-

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Performance Report to Members (Minute 16/07)	 That, subject to the following comments being placed on record, the content of the report be noted: Whilst the latest removal of abandoned cars indicator was very good at 100% the overall result for the year was disappointing, this was as a result of poor performance in the first quarter not being outweighed by the good performance in quarters 2 and 3 when fewer vehicles had been abandoned. Overall the figures indicate an improving trend. The recycling figure for the quarter ending December 2006 was 17.6% in comparison to 18% for the two months ending November 2006 as shown in the report, which reflected a typical seasonal dip. (HFAPM)
Corporate Consultation Strategy (Minute 19/07)	That the revised corporate consultation strategy by adopted. (CE)
Grants to Voluntary Organisations (Minute 20/07)	(1) That the funding process and criteria as set out in the report be amended.
	(2) That awareness of the fund be raised through the CVS network as outlined in paragraph 4.3 of the report. (CE)

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Ferndale Road Scout Hut – Future Lease (Minute 23/07)	That, subject to obtaining the consent of J T Byford & Sons to the use of the land for that purpose and the surrender of the lease by the Scout Association, negotiations be commenced with Downhall Under Fives Pre-School Play Group for a new lease (subject to a successful planning application) to them of the land at Ferndale Open Space formerly occupied by the scout hut. (HCS)
57 South Street, Rochford (Minute 24/07)	(1) That a decision on the preferred course of action in respect of 57 South Street, Rochford be deferred.
	(2) That a site visit be arranged for Members to 57 South Street, Rochford.
	(3) That formal consultation be carried out with Essex County Council and Rochford Parish Council.
	(4) That a report be made to the Committee on the responses to the consultation, to also contain a full assessment of other potential uses of the site and the development of youth and related community services in general. (CD(ES))

The above decisions will come into force, and may then be implemented, on the expiry of five working days after the publication of this Notice, unless referred to Full Council by a minimum of three Members or called in by the Review Committee.

Signed

Head of Administrative and Member Services

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