NOTICE OF POLICY DECISIONS

The Community Services Committee made the following decisions at its meeting on 30 September 2004:-

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Decision

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Issues arising from Overview and Scrutiny (Minute 415/04)

Holmes Place Progress Report

That the Centre being developed on the site of the former Park School, Rayleigh be named 'The Rayleigh Leisure Centre'. (CD(F&ES))

2 Catering Franchises on Open Spaces

- (1) That officers seek expressions of interest as to the viability of taking up the franchise opportunities at one or more of the following locations:-
 - Great Wakering
 - Ashingdon
 - Fairview
 - Rawreth
 - St John Fisher
 - Grove
 - Hullbridge.
- That, initially, any franchises so taken up be trialled for a 12 month period. (CD(F&ES))

3 Public Open Space Land and Play Space Areas in Rochford District owned by the Council

- (1) That the principle of transferring public open space land to one or more appropriate trust bodies be agreed.
- (2) That, initially, the principle of developing one or more trust bodies focus on the following sites:-

The Playing Field, Althorne Way, Canewdon Cherry Orchard Jubilee Country Park

ltem Decision Playing Field, High Street, Great Wakering **Clements Hall Playing Field** Hawkwell Common Hockley Woods Playing Fields, Pooles Lane, Hullbridge Playing Fields, Rawreth Lane, Rawreth Fairview Playing Field, Rayleigh Brooklands Gardens, Hockley Road, Rayleigh Grove Road Public Open Space and Woods, Rayleigh Kingley Wood Public Open Space, Rayleigh St John Fisher Playing Fields, Rayleigh New Public Open Space at the former Park School Site. (3) That discussions take place with Parish Councils in respect of the spaces currently leased to them, to investigate whether they would be prepared to include these areas in any trust arrangement. (CD(F&ES)) Housing Strategy – Update That, subject to any comments from GO East, (Minute 417/04) the latest draft of the Housing Strategy be approved. (HHHCC) Proposed St John That investigation continues to see whether an Ambulance Headquarters – agreement can be achieved between the Hockley Community Hockley Community Centre Association Centre Trustees and St John Ambulance. (CD(F&ES)) (Minute 418/04) **Rochford Town Sports and** That a lease on the Pavilion at Rochford Social Club – Application Recreation Ground be granted to Rochford for New Lease on the Town Sports and Social Club to commence Pavilion at Rochford retrospectively from 1 December 2001 for a **Recreation Ground**, period of 7 years. (CD(F&ES)) Rochford (Minute 419/04) Petition for Skateboarding That a skateboarding facility at Great Wakering Facility – Great Wakering be considered in terms of Council priorities for (Minute 420/04) the future. (CD(F&ES))

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Decision

Funding for Potential Housing Scheme (Minute 423/04) That, in principle, the funding bid referred to in the report be supported. (HHHCC)

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 3 Members or called in by an Overview and Scrutiny Committee.

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