

PART 1 - PUBLIC

Decision Maker: General Purposes and Licensing Committee

Date: 30th June 2010

Decision Type: Non-Urgent Non-Executive Non-Key

Title: **APPOINTMENTS TO OUTSIDE BODIES - CRYSTAL PALACE
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TRUST**

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Ward: N/A

1. Reason for report

- 1.1 The Committee is requested to make one change to the outside bodies appointments made at the last meeting (relating to the Crystal Palace Community Development Trust).
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2. **RECOMMENDATION(S)**

That Councillor John Canvin be appointed as the Council's representative on the Crystal Palace Community Development Trust in place of Councillor Tom Papworth.

Corporate Policy

1. Policy Status: Existing policy.
 2. BBB Priority: Excellent Council.
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Financial

1. Cost of proposal: No cost
 2. Ongoing costs: N/A.
 3. Budget head/performance centre: Democratic Services
 4. Total current budget for this head: £504,640
 5. Source of funding: Existing budgets
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Staff

1. Number of staff (current and additional): Current establishment is 14 staff, six of whom are part time (total 11.89fte posts). 10fte staff are involved in democratic services work (ie supporting meetings), with the remainder responsible for dealing with corporate complaints and Freedom of Information requests.
 2. If from existing staff resources, number of staff hours: Liaison with outside bodies about Council appointments forms a small part of one post with the Democratic Services Team.
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Legal

1. Legal Requirement: No statutory requirement or Government guidance.
 2. Call-in: Call-in is not applicable. No executive decision is required.
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Customer Impact

1. Estimated number of users/beneficiaries (current and projected): N/A
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Ward Councillor Views

1. Have Ward Councillors been asked for comments? Yes.
2. Summary of Ward Councillors comments: See section 3.

3. COMMENTARY

- 3.1 The Council appoints one representative – a local Ward Member - to the Crystal Palace Community Development Trust for each Council year. Monthly weekday evening meetings of the Trust are held at Anerley Town Hall. In 2009/10 Councillor Papworth was appointed to serve as the Council's representative on this body, and at the Committee's last meeting Councillor Papworth was nominated to continue by the Liberal Democrat Group for 2010/11. Officers have subsequently been informed that Councillor Papworth does not wish to continue in this role, and Councillor John Canvin has been nominated in his place by the Liberal Democrat group.
- 3.2 The Committee is requested to approve the appointment of Councillor Canvin.

Non-Applicable Sections:	Policy/Financial/Legal/Personnel
Background Documents: (Access via Contact Officer)	None