

FC33. REVISED SCHEME OF DECENTRALISATION

With reference to the Minute of Meeting of the Leisure, Tourism and Community held on 12 April (Paragraph LTC4 refers), there was submitted Report (circulated) dated 8 June 2011 by the Director of Corporate and Neighbourhood Services (a) advising on the background to the Council's current Scheme of Decentralisation; (b) summarising the process undertaken to review the current scheme, and (c) presenting a revised Scheme of Decentralisation for approval.

Councillor Mahoney, seconded by Councillor McLuckie, moved approval of the Scheme of Decentralisation and to explore options for a Petition Committee.

By way of an addendum, Councillor Alexander suggested that the Chief Executive should be asked to bring forward a paper on the restructuring of committee structures.

Council then adjourned at 3.00 pm to allow Members to consider the terms of the proposed addendum and reconvened at 3.10 pm with all Members present as per the sederunt, with the exception of Councillor Waddell.

Councillor Mahoney, with the consent to the Provost, and of Councillor McLuckie, as his seconder, agreed to alter his Motion to include the terms of the addendum .

Accordingly, **AGREED:-**

- (1) to approve the revised Scheme of Decentralisation as detailed in the Report;
- (2) that a Report, setting out a procedure to allow members of the community to raise issues of concern with the Council, such as through petitions, will be submitted to the Leisure, Tourism and Community Committee for consideration, and
- (3) that the Chief Executive will bring forward a paper on options for the restructuring of the Committee structures.