

## **FC7. APPOINTMENT TO EXTERNAL OUTSIDE ORGANISATIONS AND COMMITTEES**

There was submitted Report (circulated) dated 6 April 2009 by the Acting Director of Law and Administration Services seeking (a) nominations to the Scottish Enterprise East of Scotland Regional Advisory Board, the Helix Trust and the Twinning Association, and (b) the appointment of a Depute Convener of the Appeals Committee.

### **Helix Trust**

There being 2 vacancies, Councillor Gow, seconded by Councillor Nicol, nominated Councillors Mahoney and C R Martin.

Councillor Coleman, seconded by Councillor Kenna, nominated Councillor Alexander.

For the first vacancy – **AGREED**, by majority, to appoint Councillor Mahoney to the Helix Trust.

For the second vacancy – On a division, 17 members voted for Councillor C R Martin, and 13 voted for Councillor Alexander. Accordingly, **AGREED** to appoint Councillor C R Martin to the Helix Trust

### **Falkirk & District Twinning Association**

Councillor Buchanan, seconded by Councillor Nicol moved that Council appoint Councillor Patrick to the Falkirk and District Twinning Association.

By way of an amendment Councillor Coleman seconded by Councillor Kenna moved that Council appoint Councillor Thomson to the Falkirk & District Twinning Association.

On a division 17 members voted for Councillor Patrick and 13 voted for Councillor Thomson.

Accordingly, **AGREED** to appoint Councillor Patrick to the Falkirk & District Twinning Association.

### **Scottish Enterprise East of Scotland Regional Advisory Board**

**AGREED** to appoint Councillor Lemetti to the Scottish Enterprise East of Scotland Regional Advisory Board.

### **Appeals Committee**

**AGREED** to appoint Councillor McNeill as Depute Convener of the Appeals Committee.