

## FALKIRK COUNCIL

**EXTRACT OF MINUTE of MEETING of the COMMUNITY HEALTH AND SAFETY COMMITTEE held in the MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS, FALKIRK on TUESDAY 28 OCTOBER 2008 at 9.30 a.m.**

**CH24. COMMUNITY WARDENS REVIEW**

With reference to Minute of Meeting of the Community Health and Safety Committee held on 20 January 2004 (Paragraph CH13 refers), there was submitted Report (circulated) dated 3 September 2008 by the Director of Corporate and Neighbourhood Services (a) outlining the background to the Community Wardens Service, and (b) detailing the review of the Community Wardens Service with proposals for their remit and funding beyond March 2009.

Councillor MacDonald, seconded by Councillor McLuckie moved the recommendations as contained within the Report.

By way of an amendment, Councillor Meiklejohn, seconded by Councillor Hughes moved an amendment to paragraph 2 of the recommendations, namely inserting the words "in principle" so as to allow the recommendation to read as follows:-

"to authorise officers to take forward, in principle, the proposals in consultation with employees, human resources and trade unions".

On a division, 7 Members voted for the Motion and 4 for the Amendment.

Accordingly, **NOTED** the contents of the Report.

**AGREED:-**

- (1) the proposals to combine the Environmental Enforcement Team and Community Warden Service;
- (2) to authorise officers to take forward the proposal in consultation with employees, Human Resources and Trade Unions; and
- (3) that Officers report back to the Community Health and Safety Committee as the proposals develop.