



AGENDA

For a Special meeting of the
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT & SCRUTINY PANEL

to be held on

THURSDAY, 27 JULY 2006

at

11.00 AM

in

**COMMITTEE ROOM 1 (CHAIRMAN'S ROOM), COUNCIL OFFICES,
ST PETER'S HILL, GRANTHAM**

Duncan Kerr, Chief Executive

Chairman:	Councillor Peter Martin-Mayhew 01400 272896
Vice-Chairman:	Councillor Mrs Judy Smith 01778 422219
Panel Members:	Councillor Pam Bosworth, Councillor Mrs Joyce Gaffigan, Councillor Yvonne Gibbins, Councillor Harrish Bisnauthsing, Councillor Stephen Hewerdine, Councillor Bob Sandall and Councillor Mrs Mary Wheat
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Members of the Panel are invited to attend the above meeting to consider the items of business listed below.

1. COMMENTS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

To receive comments or views from members of the public at the Panel's discretion.

2. MEMBERSHIP

The Panel to be notified of any substitute members.

3. APOLOGIES

4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members are asked to declare interests in matters for consideration at the meeting.

5. ACTION NOTES

The notes of the meeting held on 8th June 2006 are attached for information.

(Enclosure)

6. FEEDBACK FROM THE EXECUTIVE

7. CARE SERVICES - SHELTERED HOUSING

Presentation by Steve Cullington, Care Services Manager.

8. PRIVATE SECTOR HOUSING

The following background papers are attached:

(Enclosures)

- Homeless stats 2005/06
- Homeless BVPI's appendix 2
- Service Standards for the Housing Solutions Team appendix 3
- Housing Strategy priority 2 homeless appendix 4

9. REPORTS FROM WORKING GROUPS

10. BEST VALUE PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

(Enclosure)

11. WORK PROGRAMME

(Enclosure)

12. REPRESENTATIVES ON OUTSIDE BODIES

Report from Councillor Mrs Mary Wheat.
(circulated to Panel Members only)

13. ANY OTHER BUSINESS, WHICH THE CHAIRMAN, BY REASONS OF SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES, DECIDES IS URGENT.

WORKING STYLE OF SCRUTINY

The Role of Scrutiny

- To provide a "critical friend" challenge to the Executive as well as external authorities and agencies.
- To reflect the voice and concerns of the public and its communities.
- Scrutiny Members should take the lead and own the Scrutiny Process on behalf of the public.
- Scrutiny should make an impact on the delivery of public services.

Remember.....

- Scrutiny should be member led.
- Any conclusion must be backed up by evidence.
- Meetings should adopt an inquisitorial rather than adversarial style of traditional local government committees.

