

REPORT TO COUNCIL

REPORT OF: Head of Planning Policy & Economic Regeneration

REPORT NO. PLA.551

DATE: 26th January 2006

TITLE:	DISTRICT COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES ON TOWN CENTRE MANAGEMENT PARTNERSHIPS
FORWARD PLAN ITEM:	N/a
DATE WHEN FIRST APPEARED IN FORWARD PLAN:	N/a
KEY DECISION OR POLICY FRAMEWORK PROPOSAL:	No

COUNCIL AIMS/PORTFOLIO HOLDER NAME AND DESIGNATION:	Cllr John Smith; Economic Development Portfolio
CORPORATE PRIORITY:	Town centres
CRIME AND DISORDER IMPLICATIONS:	None
FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT IMPLICATIONS:	This report is publicly available via the Local Democracy link on the Council's website: www.southkesteven.gov.uk
BACKGROUND PAPERS:	PLA. 480. Review of terms of reference and composition of the Deepings Town Centre Management Partnership. February 2005.

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT AND SUMMARY

Councillor Auger has tendered his resignation from the Deepings Town centre Management Partnership. A replacement representative is required.

For clarification details of representatives on all of the TCMP's are provided.

2. DETAILS OF REPORT

Deepings

Following a period of relative inactivity, and the absence of a Chairman, steps were taken in February 2005 to re-structure the Town Centre Management Partnership in the Deepings (Report PLA.480 refers).

The revised structure contemplates two SKDC representatives on the Partnership; one from Market Deeping and one from Deeping St James. In the interests of continuity, the existing representatives (Councillor Auger and Councillor Howard), were maintained. Insofar as there are three representatives per ward, it was suggested at that time that the representation should rotate between each of the relevant ward members, with each member serving for a period of not less than 12 months. The first meeting of the reviewed Partnership took place in March 2005. The first period to consider a rotation of representation would therefore fall due in March 2005.

Councillor Auger has now tendered his resignation, and a replacement is required now. It is recommended that Cllr Helyar be nominated to serve on the Partnership until March 2007, and thereafter, Cllr Joynson assume that responsibility, until the District elections in 2007.

In relation to the Market Deeping representative, it is recommended that Cllr Howard continues to serve until March 2006. It is recommended that Councillor Pease be nominated to serve on the Partnership until March 2007, and thereafter, Cllr Galbraith assume that responsibility until the District elections in 2007.

Stamford

The District representatives on Stamford Vision are Councillor Conboy (since July 2003)and Councillor Helyar (nominated December 2004)

Bourne

The representatives on Bourne Town Centre Management Partnership are Councillors Neal, Fisher, J Smith and J Kirkman. It is anticipated that a review of the

Partnership structure will take place shortly, at which time the number of District Council representatives may be reviewed.

Grantham

There are two District representatives on the Strategy Group; Councillors Parkin and Mrs Wheat. Cllr Craft is a representative on the Projects Group (nominations confirmed October 2005)

3. RECOMMENDATIONS

- a. that Cllr Helyar be nominated to serve on the Deepings TCMP until March 2007
- b. that Cllr Joynson assume that responsibility, from March 2007 until the District elections in 2007.
- c. that Cllr Howard continues to serve on the Deepings TCMP until March 2006.
- d. that Councillor Pease be nominated to serve on the Deepings TCMP From March 2006 until March 2007
- e. that Cllr Galbraith assume that responsibility From March 2007 until the District elections in 2007.

4. CONTACT OFFICER

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