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To:

The Leader – Councillor RMA Manning Deputy Leader – Councillor SM Edwards Members of the Cabinet – Councillors Dr DR Bard, Mrs SM Ellington, Mrs VG Ford, MP Howell, Mrs DSK Spink MBE and NIC Wright

Dear Councillor

You are invited to attend the next meeting of **CABINET**, which will be held in the **COUNCIL CHAMBER, FIRST FLOOR** at South Cambridgeshire Hall on **THURSDAY, 14 JUNE 2007** at **2.00 p.m.**

Yours faithfully **GJ HARLOCK** Chief Executive

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2.	Minutes of Previous Meeting To authorise the Leader to sign the Minutes of the meeting held on 10 May 2007 as a correct record.	1 - 6	
3.	Declarations of Interest		
4.	Questions by the Public None received.		
	RECOMMENDATION TO COUNCIL		
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	(1)	To agree to disband all advisory groups for 2007-08 on the understanding that their role and function will be incorporated within the terms of reference for the Policy Development Committee and Scrutiny and Overview Committee as part of the Council's revised scrutiny arrangements, the terms of reference for these bodies to be agreed by Council for incorporation into the Constitution upon recommendation of the Constitution Review Working Party;		
	(2)	To confirm <i>ex officio</i> appointments to joint and outside bodies, as agreed by Council on 24 May 2007, in light of the new portfolio responsibilities (see attached list); and		
	(3)	To make appointments to the Cambridgeshire Councils' Association and the South Cambridgeshire Traffic Management Area Joint Committee (see attached list).		
	STAN	DING ITEMS		
14.	Inspire Project 95 - 106			
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16.	Updates from Cabinet Members Appointed to Outside Bodies			
	CONFIDENTIAL ITEM The press and public are likely to be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following item in accordance with the provisions of Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 (exempt information as defined in paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act)			

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