

SCRUTINY AND OVERVIEW COMMITTEE

THURSDAY, 11 MARCH 2004

RECOMMENDATIONS

Set out below is a summary of the recommendations made at the meeting of the Scrutiny and Overview Committee held on Thursday, 11 March 2004. The wording used does not necessarily reflect the actual wording that will appear in the minutes.

If you have any queries about any matters referred to in this recommendation summary please contact Patrick Adams.

1. PUBLIC QUESTIONS
St Denis Church, East Hatley
The Committee

RECOMMENDED that the Conservation Advisory Group note this debate when next discussing St Denis Church at East Hatley.

2. DRAFT AGENDA PROGRAMME AND LIST OF RECOMMENDATIONS
The Committee

AGREED to examine the process in which the Council deals with Conservation issues at a future unspecified date.

3. ADVICE ON SECTION 106 AGREEMENTS
Guidance on Maintaining Public Open Spaces

The Committee

RECOMMENDED that the Grounds Maintenance Task and Finish Group address the issue of advising parish councils on Section 106 Agreements, in particular the issue of preparing a "plain English" version of the "Note in Respect of Proposed Section 106 Agreements", which should include references to the legally worded original.

4. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT GRANTS
The Committee

RECOMMENDED that in future, economic development grants only be awarded if they comply with the Council's corporate objectives and annual priorities.

5. APPORTION OF RECHARGES BETWEEN THE SERVICES
The Committee

RECOMMENDED that a simplified version of this report be included in the Councillor induction process to ensure that all new members could gain a basic understanding of the budgetary process.