SOUTH CAMBRIDGESHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

COUNCILLORS' BULLETIN - ISSUE DATE 25th JULY 2001

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Please note that minutes reproduced on this bulletin have not yet been approved as a correct record by the originating body.

Call in arrangements

Any executive decision recorded in this bulletin may be called in for review by the relevant Select Committee, either by the Chairman of that Select Committee or by any five other Councillors. The Committee Manager must be notified of any call in by 1st August 2001. All decisions not called in by this date will be implemented.

- Facility Over to		
Village Facility Grants		
.01		
Councillors: Deborah Roberts and Daphne Spink		
Officer: David Ellis		
Officer(s): Simon McIntosh, Jane Thompson		
Declaration(s) of Interest		
Record below any relevant interest declared by any executive Member consulted or		
by an officer present in relation to the decision		
Caxton Application: Cllr Mrs Spink declared an interest as the local member.		
Consultation		
Record below all parties consulted in relation to the decision		
Caxton Application: Cllr Spink fully supports the application.		
Horningsea application: Cllr Kime fully supports the application.		
Reason(s)		
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Improvements to Caxton Village Hall.		
Demolition of old Village Hall to allow for the		
development of a new recreation area.		
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Portfolio	Community Development	
Subject Matter	Arts Capital Grants	
Date	20.07.01	
Present	Councillors: Deborah Roberts and Daphne Spink Chief Officer: David Ellis Other Officer(s): Simon McIntosh, Jane Thompson	
Consultation Record below all parties consulted in relation to the decision		
Cllr Neil Scarr fully supports the application.		

Final decision	Reason(s)
To: Award an Arts Capital Grant.	
AC 01 £5,445 to the Fulbourn and Teversham Brass Band.	For the purchase of new brass instruments.

INFORMATION ITEMS - ISSUE DATE 25th JULY 2001

1. CALL-IN OF CABINET DECISION

Members are asked to note that the decision made at Cabinet on 10th July 2001 concerning a proposed local letting policy for Cambourne (Minute 8) has been called in for review by the Planning and Housing Select Committee.

The signatories to the call-in state that they wish the decision to be reviewed because:

"Calculations by Housing officers showed that we could house more families if we included applicants' choice in the decisions, and this must surely be our priority.

"Allowing tenants who want to live in Cambourne to move there would free up properties in other villages, where there is often a backlog of people wanting local housing."

A special meeting of the Select Committee will be held on Tuesday 14th August 2001 to consider this matter.

Contact officer: Susan May, Committee Manager (01223) 443016

2. BAR HILL BY-ELECTION

The Notice of Election for the Bar Hill by-election will be published on 1st August 2001. If the vacancy is contested, the election will be held on 6th September 2001.

Contact officer: Helen Malkin, Electoral Services Manager (01223) 443013

3. OFFICE CLOSURE - CHRISTMAS 2001

Christmas Day falls on a Tuesday this year. It is expected that a substantial number of staff will want to take leave on Christmas Eve to make a longer continuous break. It is therefore proposed to close the Council Offices from Monday 24th December through to Tuesday 1st January 2002. Staff will be required to take their 'Extra Statutory' day (the one previously taken on the Tuesday following August Bank Holiday) to cover Christmas Eve.