

## **LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND HOUSING COMMITTEE**

### **POLICY REVIEW OF COMMUNITY REGENERATION - CAPACITY BUILDING PROJECT PLAN**

#### **PURPOSE**

1. The Committee is asked to agree the attached timetable for its consideration of the next stage of the Policy review on Community regeneration - Capacity Building.

#### **BACKGROUND**

2. The committee agreed the Terms of reference of the next stage on its policy review of Community Regeneration at its last meeting of the Summer Term on 10<sup>th</sup> July 2002. At that meeting, it also accepted that the review would need be completed by the end of January to allow the Committee's Report to be debated in Plenary. This paper outlines a programme which satisfies that remit.
3. The Consultation letter (Annex 1) inviting contributions was sent on 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2002, with the request that responses are received by 11<sup>th</sup> October 2002. A list of the consultees is at Annex 2. To date, about a dozen so responses have been received.
4. The timetable envisages three sessions for oral consultation. The Special Adviser, Professor Dave Adamson suggests that this will be sufficient to accommodate the main activists in the field. Members will notice that the timetable also envisages utilising the additional day allocated for Committee business on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> November. Members are asked to agree that application be made to the Presiding Officer to use this day for official Committee business.

| <b>ACTIVITY</b>                     | <b>TARGET</b> | <b>A'CHD</b> | <b>ACTION</b> |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|
| Issue Consultation Letter           | 02/08/02      | 02/08/02     | Sec           |
| Closing date for Responses          | 11/10/02      |              | Appl.         |
| Oral Presentation (Day 1)           | 30/11/02      |              | Org/Com       |
| Oral Presentation and working visit | 7/11/02       |              | Org/Com       |
| Oral Presentation (Day3)            | 13/11/02      |              | Org/ Com      |
| Committee consider draft rec'ions   | 11/12/02      |              | Com           |
| Clerk produces 1st draft report     | End Dec 2002  |              | Clerk         |
| Committee considers 1st draft       | Mid Jan 2003  |              | Com           |
| Clerk produces final draft          | End Jan 2003  |              | Clerk         |
| Committee signs off final draft     | Mid Feb 2003  |              | Com           |
| Publication of electronic report    | 28/02/03      |              | Pub Unit      |

Publication of printed report

Mid March 2003

Pub Unit

Plenary Debate

Mid March 2003

Cab Sec

**Committee Secretariat**

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