
**EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE
CORPORATE RESOURCES
OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
HELD ON 24 OCTOBER 2002**

CROS.121/02 FORWARD PLAN

The Town Clerk and Chief Executive reported (TC.204/02) on issues within the ambit of the Corporate Resources Overview and Scrutiny Committee to be included in the Forward Plan of Executive Decisions for the period 1 October 2002 - 31 January 2003.

The Head of Corporate Policy and Strategy informed Members that in respect of Key Decision 85/02 Implementation of Electronic Government he had requested the Head of Information Technology to report back on proposals for implementation to the Overview and Scrutiny Committee but had as yet received no response.

Members, in considering the Report, noted that details of consultations were included in the Forward Plan in respect of all Key Decisions. None of those consultations included consultation with local Members who could be involved as representatives of their local communities and felt that it would be an opportunity for Ward Councillors to have a meaningful input to the Council's decision-making process if they were included as part of the formal consultation process for key decisions.

RESOLVED - That the Executive be asked to consider the possibility of including consultation with local Ward Councillors as part of the formal consultation mechanism for key decisions.