

## OFFICER DECISIONS

Below is a list of decisions taken by Officers which they have classed as significant:-

**REF: OD.001/10 Community Engagement Standards**

**Decision of** Jason Gooding, Strategic Director and Deputy Chief Executive (Governance & Resources)

**Portfolio:** Performance and Development

**Subject Matter:**

To authorise Councillor Hendry to attend the Community Engagement Standards Event at Rheged, Penrith on 15 January 2010 at nil cost

**Summary of Options rejected:**

Not to attend

**DECISION:**

That Councillor Hendry be authorised to attend the Community Engagement Standards Event at Rheged, Penrith on 15 January 2010 at nil cost

**Reasons for Decision:**

Appropriate event for elected Members - sufficient training budget (Labour group) to accommodate

**Date Decision Made :**

07-Jan-10

**REF: OD.002/10 Copenhagen: How do we respond event**

**Decision of** Jason Gooding, Strategic Director and Deputy Chief Executive (Governance & Resources)

**Portfolio:** Performance and Development

**Subject Matter:**

To authorise Councillor Hendry to attend the Copenhagen: How do we respond event at Tullie House on 28 January 2010 at nil cost.

**Summary of Options rejected:**

Not to attend

**DECISION:**

That Councillor Hendry be authorised to attend the Copenhagen: How do we respond event at Tullie House on 28 January 2010 at nil cost.

**Reasons for Decision:**

Appropriate event for elected Members - sufficient training budget (Labour group) to accommodate

**Date Decision Made :**

11-Jan-10

**REF:            OD.003/10            Health and Safety Management of Waste  
abd Recycling Services: Local Authority  
Clients Leading the Way**

**Decision of**                    Jason Gooding, Strategic Director and Deputy Chief  
Executive (Governance & Resources)

**Portfolio:**                    Performance and Development

**Subject Matter:**

To authorise Councillor Bloxham to attend Health and Safety Management of Waste and Recycling Services: Local Authority Clients Leading the Way at the Marriott Dalmahoy Hotel and Country Club, Kirknewton, Edinburgh on 3 February 2010 at nil cost.

**Summary of Options rejected:**

Not to attend

**DECISION:**

That Councillor Bloxham be authorised to attend Health and Safety Management of Waste and Recycling Services: Local Authority Clients Leading the Way at the Marriott Dalmahoy Hotel and Country Club, Kirknewton, Edinburgh on 3 February 2010 at nil cost.

**Reasons for Decision:**

Appropriate event for elected Members - sufficient training budget (Conservative group) to accommodate

**Date Decision Made :**

20-Jan-10

**REF: OD.004/10 Standards for England Training (Dual Hatted Members)**

**Decision of** Jason Gooding, Strategic Director/Deputy Chief Executive

**Portfolio:** Performance and Development

**Subject Matter:**

To authorise Councillor Tootle to attend the Standards for England Training (Dual Hatted Members) at South Lakeland House on 26 February 2010 at nil cost.

**Summary of Options rejected:**

Not to attend

**DECISION:**

That Councillor Tootle be authorised to attend the Standards for England Training (Dual Hatted Members) at South Lakeland House on 26 February 2010 at nil cost.

**Reasons for Decision:**

Appropriate event for elected Members - sufficient training budget (Liberal Democrat group) to accommodate

**Date Decision Made :**

26-Feb-10

**REF: OD.005/10 Local Government Finance Act 1988- Section 114 Responsibilities**

**Decision of** Peter Mason - Assistant Director (Resources)

**Portfolio:** Finance

**Subject Matter:**

Section 114 of the Local Government Finance Act 1988 places a duty upon the appointed Section 151 Officer (Assistant Director (Resources)) to make a report if it appears that the Authority has made, or is about to make, a decision which would involve the Authority in making unlawful expenditure and is likely to cause a loss or deficiency to the Authority. The Assistant Director (Resources) is required to appoint a Deputy Section 114 Officer to act during any period of their absence. The current deputy arrangements require to be updated to reflect new job

appointments.

**Summary of Options rejected:**

None

**DECISION:**

That Alison Taylor (Financial Services Manager) be appointed as the Deputy Section 114 Officer in the absence of the Assistant Director (Resources)

**Reasons for Decision:**

To enable the duties of the above Act to be undertaken in the absence of the Assistant Director (Resources)

**Date Decision Made :**

04-Feb-10