

**FEEDBACK FROM REPRESENTATIVES REGARDING COUNCIL APPOINTMENTS**

| <b>ORGANISATION</b>  | <b>REPS</b>                               | <b>COMMENTS</b>  |
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| <b>8. Leisure Centres<br/>Liaison Groups:</b><br><br><b>Ongar Leisure Centre</b>   | D Jacobs (DJ)<br>P Keska (PK)             | <p><b>(a) Do you receive any papers from this body?</b><br/> <b>(DJ)</b> yes after meetings<br/> <b>(PK)</b> Not at this time</p> <p><b>(b) How frequently does this body meet?</b><br/> <b>(DJ)</b> infrequently-meeting coming up soon<br/> <b>(PK)</b> infrequently</p> <p><b>(c) How desirable is it for this appointment to continue?</b><br/> <b>(DJ)</b> keeps me informed of the overall picture re outlook for the Centre<br/> <b>(PK)</b> Important for EFDC to be represented</p> <p><b>(d) Would the Council benefit from receiving regular reports on its activities?</b><br/> <b>(DJ)</b> i've often thought secretaries of outside bodies could e-mail in directly to EFDC_District could then decide answer to above question<br/> <b>(PK)</b> Yes</p> |
| <b>8. Leisure Centres<br/>Liaison Groups</b><br><br><b>Loughton Leisure Centre</b> | T Cochrane<br>(TC)<br>Jennie Hart<br>(JH) | <p><b>(a) Do you receive any papers from this body?</b><br/> <b>(TC)</b>no</p> <p><b>(b) How frequently does this body meet?</b><br/> <b>(TC)</b> quarterly</p> <p><b>(c) How desirable is it for this appointment to continue?</b><br/> <b>(TC)</b> desirable</p> <p><b>(d) Would the Council benefit from receiving regular reports on its activities?</b><br/> <b>(TC)</b> yes</p>  |

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| <p><b>10. Local Government Association – Rural Commission</b></p>                                       | <p>A Boyce (AB)<br/>(Voting Member)</p>          | <p><b>(a) Do you receive any papers from this body?</b><br/>No reply.</p> <p><b>(b) How frequently does this body meet?</b><br/><b>(AB)</b> This committee has 2 meetings a year one the annual conference in and around end of September and one in march in London.</p> <p><b>(c) How desirable is it for this appointment to continue?</b><br/><b>(AB)</b> The rural commission is very rural and deals with mainly to the Midlands and the North of England. If honest I am not sure if it does in fact have any value to us as a local authority due to the very close proximity of London. I am happy to discuss in more detail if required Essex County does in fact have representation.</p> <p><b>(d) Would the Council benefit from receiving regular reports on its activities?</b></p> |
| <p><b>11. Museums in Essex Committee</b></p>  | <p>R Gadsby (RG)<br/>T O'Connor</p>              | <p><b>(RG)</b> Representation is not necessary as far as I am concerned. Meetings are too far away. Went to 1 or 2 with Tony a few years ago, but not since then. Tony might feel different.</p> <p><b>(TOC)</b> Museums in Essex is being wound up to be replaced this year by Museums Essex. For the new body member representation won't be required to attend although their attendance as members would be valued.</p>  |
| <p><b>18. Epping Town Centre Partnerships</b><br/><br/><b>18 (b) Epping Town Centre Partnership</b></p> | <p>T Church (TC)<br/>J M Whitehouse<br/>(JW)</p> | <p><b>(a) Do you receive any papers from this body?</b><br/><b>(TC)</b> Yes, by Email.<br/><b>(JW)</b> Yes</p> <p><b>(b) How frequently does this body meet?</b><br/><b>(TC)</b> Infrequently, about once every six weeks.<br/><b>(JW)</b> Up to monthly, depending on the time of year</p> <p><b>(c) How desirable is it for this appointment to continue?</b></p>  |

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|  |  | <p>(TC) believe it is important as it shows a commitment by EFDC to Epping High Street and traders/businesses.<br/> (JW) Very</p> <p><b>(d) Would the Council benefit from receiving regular reports on its activities?</b><br/> (TC) Most meetings are progressions of previous meetings without any substantially new matters that would be of interest to the Council, but if requested, I would be happy to report regularly.<br/> (JW) Regular infrequent reports would be desirable.</p>   |
| <p><b>18 (e) Ongar Town Forum – Steering Group</b></p> | <p>D Jacobs (DJ)<br/> P Keska (PK)</p> | <p><b>(a) Do you receive any papers from this body?</b><br/> (DJ) yes<br/> (PK) Yes</p> <p><b>(b) How frequently does this body meet?</b><br/> (DJ) monthly normally---though they had alt meetings concerning xmas lights during xmas period..which would not have been applicable<br/> (PK) Monthly (approx) or more regularly if dealing with specific proposals</p> <p><b>(c) How desirable is it for this appointment to continue?</b><br/> (DJ) links council to forum for ongar business so would have thought desirable<br/> (PK) Very important</p> <p><b>(d) Would the Council benefit from receiving regular reports on its activities?</b><br/> (DJ) I think so--in past have asked secretary to forward copy of minutes to EFDC<br/> (PK) Yes. I could submit a report if that helps or the secretary could copy EFDC in on minutes etc</p> |
| <p><b>18 (f) Waltham Abbey Town Partnership</b></p>    | <p>H Kane (HK)<br/> J Lea (JL)</p>     | <p><b>(a) Do you receive any papers from this body?</b><br/> (HK) Yes</p>  |

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|  |  | <p><b>(b) How frequently does this body meet?</b><br/><b>(HK)</b> Every month (second Tuesday of every month)</p> <p><b>(c) How desirable is it for this appointment to continue?</b><br/><b>(HK)</b> According to the WATP constitution- the meetings can ONLY take place if there is an EFDC representation</p> <p><b>(d) Would the Council benefit from receiving regular reports on its activities?</b><br/><b>(HK)</b> Of course, I think it would benefit and it does. The Council does receive regular reports. There is a meeting in EFDC with all the Chairs of the 6 existing Town partnerships, where the chairs give a report to the Portfolio Holder, Ann Grigg, and Officers, John Houston, John Gilbert, John Preston so the Council is always informed about the activities of the Waltham Abbey town partnership and the other partnerships, around the district. The minutes of the meetings of the WATP are <b>published and distributed</b> to the Council's officers and councillors i.e. Kassandra Polyzoides, Vicki Willis, John Houston, Tony Boyce, Chris Whitbread, and others.<br/>I think there is a lot of information and transparency regarding the existence and the activities of the Town partnership in Waltham Abbey.</p> |
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