

Motions

To consider the following motions submitted in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 11.

(a) Roding Road, Loughton – Closure

“ This Council notes the following:

- (i) the damage done to the Roding Road Central line bridge on Tuesday 13 June 2006;
- (ii) the subsequent closure, since that date, of Roding Road for through traffic; and
- (iii) the resulting hold-ups and traffic congestion on the local road network;

and calls on:

- (i) Essex County Council Highways and Metronet to work together to get this road reopened at the earliest possible date; and
- (ii) the Leader of the Council, appropriate Portfolio Holders and the Joint Chief Executives to communicate our concerns about this situation to all appropriate bodies.”

Mover: Councillor S Murray

Seconder: tba

(b) Cabinet Portfolios

“That the revisions to Cabinet Portfolios agreed at the Annual Council on 18 May 2006 (Minute 9) be amended for the purposes of clarification as follows:

- (i) Leader’s Portfolio

Add:

Chairmanship of the Cabinet
Management and Co-ordination of Cabinet business
Constitutional matters
Major property/development proposals affecting the Council’s property portfolio (where necessary in consultation with the Housing Portfolio Holder) but excluding ongoing estate management
Local Land Charges
Staff Development Reviews for Joint Chief Executives

- (ii) Customer Services, Media, Communications and ICT

Add:

Customer Services Champion initially dealing with the customer services aspects of the introduction of wheeled bins for refuse/recycling

(iii) Environmental Protection

Add:

Waste Management Contract (operational issues only, ie excluding customer services aspects which are included in the Customer Services, Media, Communications and ICT Portfolio)

And that these changes be published in the Council's Constitution."

Mover: Councillor Mrs D Collins

Seconder: Councillor C Whitbread