

#### Minutes of the Meeting of the OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY MANAGEMENT BOARD

Held: THURSDAY, 5 MARCH 2009 at 5.30pm

# <u>PRESENT:</u>

Councillor Mugglestone–Chair Councillor Westley - Vice-Chair

Councillor Bhavsar(for Cllr Joshi) Councillor Hall Councillor Russell

<u>Co-opted Members</u> Mr Mohammed Alauddin Al-Azad – Parent Governor

Rebecca Barrow

Standing Invitees Youth Representative

Councillor Dempster

Also In Attendance Cabinet Lead Member for Children, and Schools.

## 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors J. Blackmore, Follett, and Suleman and Michael Asquith, Church of England Diocese.

## 2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members were asked to declare any interests they may have in the business on the agenda, and/or indicate that Section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 applies to them.

No declarations were made.

#### 20. REPORT OF THE REGENERATION AND TRANSPORT TASK GROUP – FINAL REPORT – REVIEW OF ISSUES RELATING TO A COMMUNITY ALLOWANCE

Councillor Russell submitted a report that presented the findings of the review held on 9<sup>th</sup> February 2009 into charges imposed by the City Council Highways Maintenance Department.

Councillor Russell stated that this review was widened to include issues around worklessness and enterprise across the city.

**RESOLVED**:

That the recommendations set out in paragraph 2 be supported.