

## **Thurncourt ward meeting, Monday 13 February 2017**

### **Re. TNS North East decision following consultation**

I am writing with an update on the Transforming Neighbourhood Services (TNS) project in the North East area of the city which includes Belgrave, Rushey Mead, Troon, Humberstone & Hamilton and Thurncourt wards.

Following a public consultation between 12 September – 23 October 2016 proposals were taken to the Neighbourhoods Scrutiny Committee for ten community buildings in the North East area of the city. The decision for these buildings was taken on 23 January 2017.

The decision for neighbourhood buildings in the Thurncourt ward is as follows:

#### **Thurnby Lodge Youth and Community Centre**

- Retain the youth and community centre
- Increase use of the youth and community spaces to accommodate some relocated activities
- Explore ways of reducing centre running costs with existing partners

#### **Ocean Road Community Centre**

- Explore options for disposal of the building including demolition or sale
- Work with groups to identify the best location for their needs

I would like to reassure you that we will continue to work with local people to make these changes.

A report with details of the decision for all 10 buildings in the north east neighbourhood is available on the Council's website.

Thank you once again for your interest in the Transforming Neighbourhood Services project, and for your participation in the consultation process.

Lee Warner, Head of Neighbourhood Services