



Leicester
City Council

**MINUTE
EXTRACT**

Minutes of the Meeting of the
RESOURCES AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Held: THURSDAY, 6 APRIL 2006 at 5.00pm

P R E S E N T :

Councillor Willmott - Chair
Councillor Renold – Liberal Democrat Spokesperson
Councillor Porter – Conservative Spokesperson

Councillor J Blackmore
Councillor Fitch (for Cllr. Hunt)

Councillor Karim
Councillor Kitterick

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104. 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 applied to them.

Councillor Willmott declared that he held an employment contract with the Audit Commission but this did not include Leicester City Council.

108. ANNUAL AUDIT LETTER 2004/05

The Chair welcomed Phil Jones, Relationship Manager, Audit Commission and Grant Patterson, District Auditor, Audit Commission to the meeting.

Phil Jones outlined the main points of the Annual Audit Letter for 2004/05, confirming continued improvements in the Council's performance in a number of areas, as well as identifying areas where improvements were indicated.

A Member of the Committee asked about the future work plan of inspection of the Council. It was explained that under the Audit Commission principles of strategic regulation, the Council inspection programme would be reduced, because the Council had achieved four stars in the last CPA score and was judged to be "improving well".

RESOLVED:

That the Committee considers the letter and asks Cabinet to consider and note the Report.