Membership and Office Holders of the Community Wellbeing Board 2008/2009 and Terms of Reference

Decision

1. The Board is invited to note its Membership and terms of reference and to confirm its office holders (listed below) for 2008/2009.

Chair: Cllr David Rogers OBE (East Sussex CC)

Vice-Chairman: Cllr Gareth Barnard (Bracknell Forest UA) Deputy Chair: Cllr Susan Woodward (Staffordshire CC)

Deputy Chair: Clr David Beechey (Bridgnorth)

Summary

2. The Membership of the Board is <u>attached as Appendix 1</u>, and terms of reference are <u>attached as Appendix 2</u>.

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Councillor	Authority
Conservative (6)	
Gareth Barnard [Vice-Chairman]	Bracknell Forest UA
* Pat Case CBE	Lancashire CC
James Couchman	Oxfordshire CC
Dawn Cousins	Isle of Wight UA
Brian Hood	Monmouthshire CC
Shireen Rtchie	Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea
Substitutes:	
Patricia Banks	Hampshire CC
Mike Colston	Buckinghamshire CC
Labour (4)	
Richard Grant	Warwickshire CC
*Nargis Khan	Hackney
Roger Lawrence	Wolverhampton MBC
Susan Woodward [Deputy Chair]	Staffordshire Staffordshire
Substitute:	
Mary Aspinall	<i>Plymouth</i>
Sue Whitaker	Norfolk CC
Liberal Democrat (3)	
David Rogers OBE [Chair]	East Sussex CC
Rabi Martins	Watford BC
Zoe Patrick	Oxfordshire CC
Substitutes	
Kathy Newbound	Windsor & Maidenhead RB
Independent (1)	
David Beechey [Deputy Chair]	Bridgnorth

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^{*} new member

Terms of Reference

1. The Community Wellbeing Board will have responsibility for LGA activity in the areas of the well-being of adults, including life long learning, training, health and social care and for the well-being of all people in the areas of social inclusion, equalities, asylum and immigration.

In that regard it will:

- (i) provide strategic direction for LGA policy development in the areas of its responsibility, working in conjunction with its member task groups, and taking into account linkages with other policy areas where appropriate;
- (ii) undertake either collectively or individually representational and lobbying activities on behalf of the LGA and be responsible collectively for the dissemination of policy through public statements in its area of responsibility;
- (iii) contribute to the achievement of the Association's overall policy priorities and objectives, as identified in its business plan;
- (iv) agree and monitor the project plans of the member task groups in its area of responsibility; and commission new ones, with the agreement of the LGA Executive;
- (v) make an appropriate contribution to the income generation of the Association;
- (vi) report significant new policy developments to the LGA Executive.
- 2. The Board may appoint members to relevant outside bodies in accordance with the guidance in the Political Conventions (paragraph 5 (i)).
- 3. The Board may allocate responsibility to one or more of its members for particular areas within its responsibility.