

# Overview and Scrutiny Task Group - Streetscene

**Wednesday, 20 August 2008**

**Present:** Councillor Adrian Lowe (Chair) and Councillors Julia Berry, Doreen Dickinson, Pat Haughton, June Molyneaux, Debra Platt, Shaun Smith, Joyce Snape and Peter Wilson

## 08.06 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were submitted on behalf of Councillors Terry Brown and Stella Walsh.

## 08.07 DECLARATIONS OF ANY INTERESTS

No Members declared an interest in respect of items on the agenda.

## 08.08 PUBLIC QUESTIONS

There were no questions from members of the public.

## 08.09 CONSIDERATION OF THE DRAFT SCOPING DOCUMENT

The Group considered the scoping document that had been drawn up since the last meeting taking into account the issues and concerns Members had expressed.

Members highlighted the specific areas the inquiry should be focused upon.

**RESOLVED – That the scoping document for the inquiry be accepted subject to the addition of the Parish Councils in those to be consulted.**

## 08.10 COLLECTION AND CONSIDERATION OF EVIDENCE

As had been requested at the previous meeting the Task Group Members received the schedule of maintenance relating to Street Cleaning and Grounds Maintenance as well as for litter bins and recycling sites.

In view of the detail the schedules contained it was requested that Members submit their observations to enable a full discussion to be made at the next meeting.

Members raised several issues and concerns relating to the submitted documents and these would be answered at the next meeting.

To progress the inquiry it was suggested that the next meeting be held as soon as possible.

Chair