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To: Elected Members and Officials on the Ayrshire Joint Structure Plan and Transportation Committee.

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Dear Councillor

**AYRSHIRE JOINT STRUCTURE PLAN AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE -
2 JUNE 2006**

You are requested to attend a meeting of the **Ayrshire Joint Structure Plan and Transportation Committee** to be held on **FRIDAY 2 JUNE 2006 at 1400 HOURS** in **COMMITTEE ROOM 1, NORTH AYRSHIRE COUNCIL, CUNNINGHAME HOUSE, IRVINE**, in order to discuss the undernoted business.

Yours sincerely

Bill Walkinshaw
Clerk to the Joint Structure Plan Committee

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B U S I N E S S

INTIMATE APOLOGIES

1. MINUTES

- 1.1** Submit Minutes of the Ayrshire Joint Structure Plan and Transportation Committee held on 20 January 2006 (copy enclosed).
- 1.2** Submit Minutes of the Chairs' Sub-Committee of 27 February 2006 (copy enclosed).

- 1.3 Submit Minutes of the Chairs' Sub-Committee of 5 May 2006 (copy enclosed).
2. **AYRSHIRE JOINT STRUCTURE PLAN: UPDATE ON PROGRESS** - Submit report by Structure Plan Manager (copy enclosed) on the progress of submission of the Joint Structure Plan to the Scottish Executive.
3. **AGREED HOUSING LAND SUPPLY AUDIT 2005-2012** - Submit report by the Structure Plan Manager (copy enclosed) informing that the Housing Land Supply Audit for the period 2005-2012 has been agreed with Homes for Scotland and to advise that the results of the Audit demonstrate that a five year effective land supply is being maintained within each Council area.
4. **ASSESSMENT OF THE IMPACT OF DEVELOPMENT - MEADOWHEAD AND STEVENSTON DRAINAGE CATCHMENTS** - Submit report by the Structure Plan Manager (copy enclosed) advising of the findings of an assessment of the impact future development could have on the Meadowhead and Stevenston drainage catchments, the study was commissioned by Scottish Water on behalf of the Joint Committee.
5. **RENEWABLE GENERATION AND ELECTRICITY NETWORKS** - Submit report by the Structure Plan Manager (copy enclosed) on the current situation with regard to the electricity transmission and distribution grids in relation to the arrangements for grid access for renewable generators and to detail the current situation with regard to capacity of the network in relation to current developer/generator interest, emerging Government advice and Structure Plan Policy.
6. **GLASGOW AND CLYDE VALLEY STRUCTURE PLAN - THIRD ALTERATION 2006** - Submit report by the Structure Plan Manager (copy enclosed) advising that the eight Local Authorities in Glasgow and the Clyde Valley have submitted a third alteration to the approved Structure Plan of 2000 for the Glasgow and Clyde Valley and that representations and objections require to be made formally to the Scottish Ministers before Friday 9 June 2006.
7. **DRAFT SCOTTISH FORESTRY STRATEGY AND CONSULTATION ON THE PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE SCOTTISH FORESTRY GRANTS SCHEME** - Submit report by the Structure Plan Manager (copy enclosed) on the publication of the Draft Scottish Forestry Strategy 2006 and the Consultation on the Proposed Changes to the Scottish Forestry Grants Scheme and to seek the Committee's approval for the draft responses to these documents.
8. **CONSULTATION ON THE RURAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME FOR SCOTLAND 2007-2013** - Submit report by the Structure Plan Manager (copy enclosed) advising of the consultation on the new Rural Development Programme for Scotland and seeking approval for the draft response to the consultation.

- 9. SCOTLAND'S NATIONAL TRANSPORT STRATEGY - A CONSULTATION**
- Submit report by the Structure Plan Manager (copy enclosed) informing of the publication by the Scottish Executive of a consultation document on the future National Transport Strategy for Scotland.

- 10. DATE OF NEXT MEETING** - To note that the next meeting will be held on 1 September 2006 within the County Hall, South Ayrshire Council, County Buildings, Wellington Square, Ayr.