

## Greenfield, Alloa, Scotland, FK10 2AD (Tel.01259-450000)

# **CLACKMANNANSHIRE COUNCIL MEETING**

# **THURSDAY 4th JUNE 2009**

## Meeting start time: 9.30 am

9.15 am: Presentation: APSE Apprentice of the Year Awards (Commended)

Venue: Council Chamber, Greenfield, Alloa, FK10 2AD

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There are 32 Unitary Councils in Scotland. Clackmannanshire Council is the smallest mainland Council. Eighteen Councillors are elected to represent the views of the residents and businesses in Clackmannanshire. The Council has approved Standing Orders that detail the way the Council operates. Decisions are approved at the 6 weekly meetings of the full Council and at Committee Meetings.

The Council is responsible for approving a staffing structure for the proper discharge of its functions, approving new policies or changes in policy, community planning and corporate governance including standards of conduct. Co-option of religious representatives in respect of Education policy decisions is also a Council responsibility.

The Council has further responsibility for the approval of budgets for capital and revenue expenditure, it also has power to make, alter or cancel any scheme made under statute and to make, alter or cancel any orders, rules, regulations or bye-laws and to make compulsory purchase orders. The Council also determines the level of Council Tax and approves recommendations relating to strategic economic development.

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### A MEETING of the CLACKMANNANSHIRE COUNCIL will be held within the Council Chamber, Greenfield, Alloa, on THURSDAY 4th JUNE 2009 at 9.30 am.

#### PETER J BROADFOOT Head of Administration and Legal Services

### BUSINESS

#### 9.15 am: Presentation

APSE Apprentice of the Year Awards (Commended) - Kristopher Fraser, Apprentice Plumber, Clackmannanshire Council

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#### **EXEMPT INFORMATION**

It is considered that the undernoted report be treated as exempt from the Council's general policy of disclosure of all papers by virtue of Schedule7A, Part 1, Paragraph 11 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973. It is anticipated, (although this is not certain) that the Council will resolve to exclude the press and public during consideration of this item.

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16. Single Status - report by the Head of Human Resources 147 and Organisational Development (Copy herewith)

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## Clackmannanshire Council – Councillors and Wards

#### Councillors

#### Wards

| Councillor | Eddie Carrick     | 1 | Clackmannanshire West    | LAB |
|------------|-------------------|---|--------------------------|-----|
| Councillor | George Matchett   | 1 | Clackmannanshire West    | LAB |
| Councillor | Tina Murphy       | 1 | Clackmannanshire West    | SNP |
| Councillor | Janis Paterson    | 1 | Clackmannanshire West    | SNP |
| Councillor | Donald Balsillie  | 2 | Clackmannanshire North   | SNP |
| Councillor | John S Biggam     | 2 | Clackmannanshire North   | SLD |
| Councillor | Walter McAdam     | 2 | Clackmannanshire North   | SNP |
| Councillor | Robert McGill     | 2 | Clackmannanshire North   | LAB |
| Councillor | Sam Ovens         | 3 | Clackmannanshire Central | LAB |
| Provost    | Derek Stewart     | 3 | Clackmannanshire Central | LAB |
| Councillor | Gary Womersley    | 3 | Clackmannanshire Central | SNP |
| Councillor | Janet Cadenhead   | 4 | Clackmannanshire South   | LAB |
| Councillor | Kenneth Earle     | 4 | Clackmannanshire South   | LAB |
| Councillor | Mark English      | 4 | Clackmannanshire South   | SNP |
| Councillor | Craig Holden      | 4 | Clackmannanshire South   | IND |
| Councillor | Alastair Campbell | 5 | Clackmannanshire East    | CON |
| Councillor | Irene Hamilton    | 5 | Clackmannanshire East    | SNP |
| Councillor | Harry McLaren     | 5 | Clackmannanshire East    | LAB |

## **Religious Representatives**

| Rev Mairi Lovett      | Church of Scotland    |
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| Father Michael Milton | Roman Catholic Church |