

# Arts Leisure & Culture Select Committee

A meeting of Arts Leisure & Culture Select Committee was held on Wednesday, 26th March, 2008.

**Present:** Cllr Mrs Jean O'Donnell (Chairman), Cllr Dick Cains, Cllr Mrs Sylvia Walmsley, Cllr Mick Womphrey, Cllr Mrs Womphrey

**Officers:** P. Mennear, M. Jones (LD)

**Also in attendance:** A. Slater (British Waterways)

**Apologies:** Cllr Hilary Aggio, Cllr Ken Dixon, Cllr Jackie Earl, Cllr Mrs Kath Nelson, Cllr Andrew Sherris

## **1 Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations of interest made at the meeting.

## **2 Minutes of Meeting Held 28th February 2008**

Consideration was given to the content of the minutes of the meeting held 28th February 2008.

CONCLUDED that the minutes of the meeting held 28th February 2008 be agreed as a correct record.

## **3 Minutes of the Meeting Held 5th March 2008**

Consideration was given to the content of the minutes of the meeting held 5th March 2008.

CONCLUDED that the minutes of the meeting held 5th March 2008 be agreed as a correct record.

## **4 Review of River Based Leisure Facilities**

Members were presented with the draft final report for the Review of River Based Leisure Facilities.

The Chairman noted the contents of the draft report and gave Members the opportunity to make comments and ask questions. Members then agreed to forward the report to Cabinet for consideration.

All Members of the Committee thanked officers for their assistance in compiling the Committee's report, and in particular the support received from Alan Slater throughout the Committee's work. Members believed that the report provided a positive way forward for the future regeneration of the river.

A. Slater (British Waterways) gave an update on HMS Kellington, stating that the vessel had been subject to more vandalism in recent weeks.

CONCLUDED that the Review of River Based Leisure Facilities Final Report be forwarded to Cabinet for consideration