CORPORATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Corporate Affairs Committee was held on 13 May 2009.

PRESENT: Councillor Clark (Chair), Councillors Brunton, McPartland, McTigue and Purvis.

OFFICERS: S Harker, R Long, R Painter and E Waites.

** APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE were submitted on behalf of Councillor Mrs H Pearson.

** DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No declarations of interest were made at this point of the meeting.

** MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held on 15 April 2009 were taken as read and approved as a correct record.

SCHOOL GOVERNING BODIES - APPOINTMENT OF LOCAL AUTHORITY SCHOOL GOVERNORS

A report of the Head of Commissioning and Resources was presented regarding vacancies for Local Authority appointed School Governors which had arisen as a result of resignations, the expiry of terms of office or the removal of Governors due to non-attendance.

It was noted that there were currently 12 vacancies out of a total of 142 Governorships for Local Authority representatives, which equated to 8.4%. The nominations received for such vacancies were outlined in Appendix 1 of the report submitted and a further update was tabled at the meeting.

The Committee was advised that the Governing Body for the new Trinity College would be constituted in September 2009 and it was likely that there would be a vacancy for one Local Authority representative.

ORDERED as follows:-

1. That the following appointments be approved for a four-year term of office:

School	Governor
Captain Cook Primary School	Mr C Walton (wef 13.5.09)
Green Lane Primary School	Councillor J Elder (wef 13.5.09)
Marton Manor Primary School	Mrs M McGee (wef 13.5.09)
Thorntree Primary School	Mr M Thompson (wef 13.5.09)
Viewley Hill Primary School	Councillor N J Walker (wef 31.8.09) Mr R Said (wef 31.8.09)

2. That appointments to the following vacancies be deferred pending the receipt of nominations in respect of:

Breckon Hill Primary School Chandlers Ridge Primary School Pennyman Primary School Rosewood Primary School Holmwood Special School Hall Garth Secondary School Kings Manor Secondary School Newlands FCJ Secondary School.