REPORT OF THE CENTRAL AREA PLANNING SUB-COMMITTEE

Meetings Held on 11th June, 9th July, 6th August & 3rd September, 2003

Membership:

Councillors: Councillor D.J. Fleet (Chairman)

Councillor R. Preece (Vice-Chairman)

Councillors Mrs. P.A. Andrews, Mrs. W.U. Attfield, Mrs. E.M. Bew,

A.C.R. Chappell, Mrs. S.P.A. Daniels, P.J. Edwards, J.G.S. Guthrie, T.W. Hunt (ex-officio), G.V. Hyde, Mrs. M.D. Lloyd-Hayes, R.I. Matthews, J.C. Mayson, J.W. Newman, Mrs. J.E. Pemberton, Ms G.A. Powell, Mrs. S.J. Robertson, D.C. Short, W.J.S. Thomas, Ms A.M. Toon, W.J. Walling, D.B. Wilcox,

A.L. Williams, J.B. Williams (ex-officio) and R.M. Wilson.

PLANNING APPLICATIONS

- 1. The Sub-Committee has met on 4 occasions and has dealt with the planning applications referred to it as follows:-
 - (a) applications approved 38;
 - (b) applications refused 3;
 - (c) deferred applications 5; and
 - (d) site inspections 3, the Sub-Committee also decided to undertake 1 site inspection before the planning application had been referred to it.
- 2. The Sub Committee took the view that there were sufficient grounds to refuse 3 applications contrary to officer recommendations and Council policies and these have been dealt with in the following way under the Council's referral procedure:-

the Divisional Planning Officer decided that the 3 applications did not need to be referred to the Head of Planning Services and that these can be refused:

APPEALS ABOUT PLANNING WHICH HAVE BEEN REFUSED BY THE SUB COMMITTEE OR THE OFFICERS

3. The Sub-Committee received information reports about 13 Appeals that have been received and 13 which have been determined. Of the latter, 3 have been allowed, 8 have been dismissed, 1 has been withdrawn and 1 was partly dismissed and partly allowed.

ENFORCEMENT ACTION

4. The Sub-Committee has received reports about enforcement proceedings within the Central Area in relation to breaches of the Council's Development Control and Building Control conditions.

D.J. FLEET CHAIRMAN CENTRAL AREA PLANNING SUB-COMMITTEE

BACKGROUND PAPERS – Agenda for meetings held on 11th June, 9th July, 6th August & 3rd September, 2003