**Dear Councillor** 

## FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Finance and Administration Committee will be held in the Committee Room at the Council Offices, London Road, Saffron Walden on Thursday 29 January 2009 at 7.45 pm, or at the conclusion of the question and answer session, whichever is the earlier.

Yours faithfully

JOHN MITCHELL

Chief Executive

Commencing at <u>7.30 pm</u>, there will be an opportunity of up to 15 minutes for members of the public to ask questions and make statements subject to having given two working days prior notice

# A G E N D A PART I

- 1 Apologies for absence and declarations of interest.
- 2 Minutes of the meeting held on 27 November 2008 (attached).
- **3** Business arising.
- 4 Chairman's Verbal Report (5 minutes).

Item for information

To receive the report of the Chairman of the Committee

5 Lead Officer Report (10 minutes).

Item for information

To receive the report of the Director of Central Services

6 Matter arising from IT Working Group -

it be recommended to the Finance and Administration Committee to substitute the replacement electoral system in the 2009/10 capital programme with a document imaging project with the same £50,000 funding,

7 2009/10 Finance & Administration Committee revenue budget (20 minutes).

Item for decision

To receive the report of the Director of Central Services and Chief Finance Officer

8 Treasury Management and Landsbanki update (15 minutes).

Item for information

To receive the report of the Chief Finance Officer

9 Use of Resources 2008/09 (15 minutes)

Item for information

To receive the report of the Chief Finance officer

10 Anti Fraud Policy (10 minutes)

Item for decision

To receive the report of the Assistant Chief Executive

11 Any other items that the Chairman considers to be urgent.

#### PART II

Consideration of a report containing exempt information within the meaning of s.101 I and paragraph 4 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

12 Relocation of the Great Dunmow Customer Information Centre (CIC) (15 minutes).

Item for decision

To receive the report of the Head of Customer Support & Revenue Services

To: Councillors <u>R P Chambers</u>, R Clover, J E N Davey, K L Eden, M L Foley, D M Jones, A J Ketteridge, T P Knight, R M Lemon, H S Rolfe, G Sell, R D Sherer, A D Walters and P A Wilcock.

Lead Officer: Adrian Webb
Democratic Services Officer: Catharine Roberts
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