28 June 2004

Dear Councillor

SCRUTINY COMMITTEE 2 – RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT

A meeting of the Scrutiny Committee 2 – Resources and Environment will be held at the Council Offices, London Road, Saffron Walden, on Wednesday 7 July 2004 at 7.45 pm or at the conclusion of the question and answer session, whichever is the earlier.

Commencing at 7.30 pm, 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.

Yours faithfully

ALASDAIR BOVAIRD

Chief Executive

A G E N D A PART I

- 1 Apologies for absence and declarations of interest.
- 2 Minutes of the meeting held on 31 March 2004 (previously circulated).
- 3 Business arising.
- 4 Forward Plan of Scrutiny Committee 2004/05.
- 5 Reports from Internal Audit to be considered during 2004/05.
- 6 Performance Management Reporting for 2003/04.
- 7 Best Value Reviews 2004/05 Young Persons and Access to Services.
- 8 Best Value Reviews 2003/04 Planning/Revenues/Waste and Recycling.
- 9 Work Programme for Scrutiny 2 Committee 2004/05.
- 10 Scrutiny and Overview Options for the Future. Page 1

- To consider any matters arising from the meeting of the Environment Committee held on 8 June 2004.
- To consider any matters arising from the meeting of the Transport and Highways Committee held on 21 June 2004.
- To consider any matters arising from the meeting of the Resources Committee held on 24 June 2004.
- To consider any items arising from the meeting of the Licensing Committee 9 June 2004.
- 15 To consider any matters referred to the Committee by an individual Member.
- Any other items that the Chairman considers to be urgent.
- To:- Councillor H D Baker, C A Bayley, R J Copping, **S Flack**, M A Hibbs, R M Lemon, D J Morson, J P Murphy, S V Schneider and F E Silver.

Enc:- Reports as listed on Agenda.

Lead Officer: Ian Orton

Committee Officer: Rubina Kirmani

MEETINGS AND THE PUBLIC

Members of the public are welcome to attend any of the Council's Committee meetings and listen to the debate.

You also have the opportunity to ask questions or make statements before meetings of the Council and the Resources, Community and Leisure, Environment and Transport, Health and Housing and Scrutiny Committees. This 'question time' takes place at 7.30 pm prior to the normal business of the meeting. You must give at least 2 working days notice if you intend to speak. Also, it would be helpful if you could let us know what the questions are, so that we can investigate the issue for you, if possible.

The agenda is split into 2 parts. Most of the business is dealt within Part I which is open to the public. Part II includes items which must be discussed in the absence of the press or public, as they might deal with information which is personal or sensitive for some other reason. You will be asked to leave the meeting before Part II items are discussed.

You are entitled to see any of the background papers that are listed at the end of each report.

If you want to inspect background papers or speak before a meeting please contact either Mick Purkiss on 01799 510430, Rubina Kirmani on 01799 510433, Maggie Cox on 01799 510369, Cathy Roberts on 01799 510434 or Peter Snow on 01799 510431 or by fax on 01799 510550.