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Report to: Executive Committee
Date of Meeting: 16 November 2011
Report by: Chief Executive

Subject: Local Government By-Election - Electoral Ward 18

(Hamilton West and Earnock)

1. Purpose of Report

- 1.1. The purpose of the report is to:-
 - advise on arrangements for the by-election for Electoral Ward 18 (Hamilton West and Earnock)

2. Recommendation(s)

- 2.1. The Committee is asked to approve the following recommendation(s):
 - that the arrangements being made to hold the by-election for Electoral Ward 18 (Hamilton West and Earnock) on Thursday 8 December 2011 be noted.

3. Background

- 3.1. Following the recent sad death of Councillor Tommy Gilligan, arrangements have been made to hold a by-election for Electoral Ward 18 (Hamilton West and Earnock) on Thursday 8 December 2011.
- 3.2. Polling hours will be from 7.00am to 10.00pm. The last date for lodging nomination papers for the by-election will be Wednesday 16 November 2011 by 4.00pm.
- 3.3. At close of poll, votes will be counted electronically at Council headquarters, Hamilton.

4. Employee Implications

4.1. None.

5. Financial Implications

5.1. All costs will be met from existing budgets.

6. Other Implications

6.1. There are no implications in relation to risk or sustainability.

7. Equality Impact Assessment and Consultation Arrangements

7.1. No equality impact assessment or consultation was required in relation to this matter.

Archibald Strang
Chief Executive

Link(s) to Council Objectives/Improvement Themes/Values

- Governance and accountability
- ♦ Accountable, effective and efficient

Previous References

None

List of Background Papers

None

Contact for Further Information

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