

# Report

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Report to:	<b>Conference Allocation Committee</b>
Date of Meeting:	<b>6 April 2005</b>
Report by:	<b>Executive Director (Corporate Resources)</b>

Subject:	<b>Elected Member Representation at Conferences, etc</b>
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## **1 Purpose of Report**

1.1 The purpose of the report is to:-

- ◆ provide details on various conferences and seminars which the Council has been invited to attend to allow elected member representation to be determined.

## **2 Recommendation(s)**

2.1 The Committee is asked to:-

- (1) consider the invitations received for the various conferences and seminars listed in the appendix to this report and decide on which elected members should attend particular conferences/seminars, etc if it is considered appropriate for the Council to be represented.

## **3 Background**

3.1 Invitations have been received in respect of the various conferences, seminars, etc contained in the list attached to this report. In accordance with agreed procedures for dealing with conferences, etc, details of the conferences and seminars have been issued to the Chairs of the appropriate Committees and to the Leader of the Opposition Groups. Their comments are available to assist the Conference Allocation Committee with its consideration of particular invitations.

## **4 Employee Implications**

4.1 There are no employee implications.

## **5 Financial Implications**

5.1 Delegate fees associated with members' attendance at those conferences, etc at which it is considered that the Council should be represented, can be met from within the existing budget.

## **6 Other Implications**

6.1 There are no other implications for the Council associated with this report.

## **7 Consultation**

- 7.1 Other than consultation with the appropriate elected members in terms of the process established for dealing with invitations received to attend conferences and seminars, no formal consultation was required.

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**Executive Director (Corporate Resources)**

**30 March 2005**

**Link(s) to Council Objectives**  
Managing Resources

**Previous References**  
None

**List of Background Papers**  
Invitations received in respect of individual conferences, seminars, etc

**Contact for Further Information**  
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## **SOUTH LANARKSHIRE COUNCIL**

### **CONFERENCE ALLOCATION COMMITTEE – 6 APRIL 2005**

#### **List of Conferences, Seminars, etc**

	<b>Start Date</b>	<b>End Date</b>	<b>Conference Title</b>	<b>Organiser(s)</b>	<b>Venue(s)</b>
<b>1</b>	07/04/2005	08/04/2005	Leading for Health - Scottish NHS Confederation Annual Conference and Exhibition	The Scottish NHS Confederation	St Andrews
<b>2</b>	18/04/2005	18/04/2005	The Future for Scottish Water	MacKay Hannah	Edinburgh
<b>3</b>	20/04/2005	20/04/2005	Preventing and Responding to Racist Incidents - A Holistic Approach	Grampian Racial Equality Council	Dundee
<b>4</b>	20/04/2005	20/04/2005	Flooding - The Risks and the Response	QMW Public Policy	London
<b>5</b>	20/04/2005	20/04/2005	Community Consultation - Where Next for Effective Engagement?	Neil Stewart Associates	London
<b>6</b>	21/04/2005	21/04/2005	Negotiating the Funding Maze - Resourcing Community and Neighbourhood Projects	Neil Stewart Associates	London
<b>7</b>	25/04/2005	25/04/2005	Bullying and Behaviour Management	MacKay Hannah; Napier University	Edinburgh
<b>8</b>	25/04/2005	25/04/2005	Developing Services for Scotland's Gypsy Travellers - Growing Good Practice	Scottish Executive; The City of Edinburgh Council; Scottish Human Rights Centre	Edinburgh
<b>9</b>	28/04/2005	28/04/2005	Joined up Services for People with Dementia and their Carers - Planning Organisation and Delivery	Dementia Services Development Trust; Joint Improvement Team; University of Stirling	Stirling
<b>10</b>	13/05/2005	13/05/2005	Problem Girls - Understanding and Supporting Troubled and Troublesome Girls and Young Women	The University of Edinburgh	Edinburgh
<b>11</b>	17/05/2005	18/05/2005	Infrastructure Investment in Scotland	Scottish Executive	Edinburgh
<b>12</b>	08/06/2005	08/06/2005	Transforming Social Care Raising Standards for the Future	Local Government Chronicle (LGC)	London
<b>13</b>	09/06/2005	09/06/2005	UK Roads - In Step with the World?	World Road Association	Birmingham
<b>14</b>	14/06/2005	15/06/2005	Annual Conference - Reclaiming Childhood in Residential Child Care	Scottish Institute for Residential Child Care (SIRCC)	Glasgow