

**Motherwell, 15 September 1998 at 10 am.**

**A Meeting of the ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES (COMMUNITY SAFETY)  
SUB-COMMITTEE**

**PRESENT**

Councillor McCabe, Convener; Councillor Craigie, Vice-Convener; Councillors Gordon and Heberton.

**CHAIR**

Councillor McCabe (Convener) presided.

**IN ATTENDANCE**

The Committee Services Officer, Local Officer, Chief Executive's Department and Environmental Education Manager, Environmental Services, Liz Hamilton, ROSPA and Sergeant J. Lafferty.

**APOLOGIES**

Councillors Gilchrist and McLaughlin, W. Spalding, Cumbernauld Area Enterprise and Scott Baxter, Monklands Enterprise Development Company Limited.

**COMMUNITY SAFETY STRATEGY DEVELOPMENT - PROGRESS REPORT**

1. There was submitted a report (docketed) dated 8 September 1998 by the Chief Executive providing an update of the development of the Community Safety Strategy for North Lanarkshire in relation to (1) the progress made to date by the Community Safety Task Group; (2) the role of the Local Authority Liaison Officer in the development of partnership working in Community Safety, and (3) the future workload identified by the Task Group in the next phase of the development of the Community Safety Strategy.

**Decided:** that the terms of the report be noted.

**COMMUNITY SAFETY STRATEGY - LAUNCH ARRANGEMENTS**

2. There was submitted a report dated 7 September, 1998 by the Chief Executive (1) outlining the background to the Community Safety Task Group; (2) advising that the Community Safety Task Group had developed three working groups to progress work on the Community Safety Strategy; (3) intimating the Co-ordination and Strategy Development Working Group had prepared a mission statement and developed proposals for the launch of a Community Safety Strategy for North Lanarkshire; (4) proposing that launch of the Strategy would take place on Tuesday, 27 October 1998 at the Watersport Complex, Strathclyde Park, Motherwell, and (5) including that the cost of the launch estimated £8,000 would be met from the Chief Executive's budget.

**Decided:**

- (1) that the arrangements for the launch of the strategy be approved, and
- (2) that the terms of the report be otherwise noted.