

**NORTH LANARKSHIRE COUNCIL
REPORT**

To: ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES COMMITTEE		Subject: CONFERENCES	
From: HEAD OF CENTRAL SERVICES			
Date: 21 July 2009	Ref: CA/CLM/RM		

1. Purpose of Report/Introduction


The purpose of this report is to advise the Committee of invitations received in respect of Member attendance at conferences.

2. Background

Since the last meeting of the Environmental Services Committee seven invitations, coming under the remit of this Committee, have been received for representatives to attend conferences, as detailed in the attached Appendix.

3. Recommendation

That consideration be given to the conference invitations received.


Head of Central Services

Members seeking further information on the contents of this report are asked to contact Clare Louise McDonald on Ext. 2359.

ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES COMMITTEE OF 19 AUGUST 2009

Invitations Received to Attend Conferences

1. Hand, Arm and Vibration Syndrome – 3 June 2009 – Hamilton
Consider invitation from APSE
2. Water Sewerage and Waste Exhibitions – 18 June 2009 – London
Consider invitation from PSE
3. Frontline Services; Climate Change and Carbon Reduction Commitment – 1 July 2009 – Manchester
Consider invitation from APSE
4. Energy from Waste – 28-29 September 2009 – London
Consider invitation from SMi Conferences
5. Scottish Waste and Resources Conference 2009 - Delivering Zero Waste in Scotland – 6-7 October 2009 – Glasgow
Consider invitation from IWM Business Services Limited
6. Environment 09 Creating the Climate for Change – 9-10 November 2009 – London
Consider invitation from the Environment Agency
7. River Restoration Centre 11th Annual Network Conference – 14-15 April 2010 – York
Consider invitation from the River Restoration Centre