

To: Planning and Environment Committee	Subject: Petition – Request for improved provision of public transport – Holytown and New Stevenson, Motherwell	
From: Director of Administration		
Date: 6 March 2002	Ref: PE/27/1/PS	

1 Purpose of Report

- 1.1 Members are advised of the submission of a Petition from Mrs P Mallaghan, addressed to Mr Heaney of Strathclyde Passenger Transport and forwarded to Councillor Coyle, on behalf of residents of Holytown and New Stevenson requesting improved public transport provision in their areas.

2 Background

- 2.1 A petition containing 1252 signatures has been received from Mrs P Mallaghan on behalf of residents on Holytown and New Stevenson requesting an improvement in the provision of public transport in their areas. The petition indicates that there are no public transport services between these areas and Glasgow, Coatbridge, Airdrie or Bellshill, and no service at all on Sundays.
- 2.2 In terms of the policy agreed by the Council for dealing with Petitions, adopted by the Council on 22 May 1997, the Director of Planning and Environment will report further to the Committee on this matter.

3 Recommendation

That the Committee consider the terms of the Petition for an improvement to public transport services within Holytown and New Stevenson, Motherwell

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