

Full Council – 14th September 2009

Motion selected for debate by Councillor Ann John, Leader of the Labour Group

Building of John Kelly Schools/Crest Academies

This Council deplores the failure of the Liberal Democrat led administration to secure the land adjoining the John Kelly Schools/Crest Academies site, as promised. As a result of this, the new academies will be built without discrete outdoor sports facilities. Furthermore, the failure to secure the land will prolong the planned construction period from 18 months to 4 years and the £5 million earmarked for land purchase will be wasted on temporary accommodation.

This Council resolves to seek an urgent meeting with Government Ministers to see if the Government can help the Council to purchase the land and avoiding building schools, which are unfit for purpose.