LONDON BOROUGH OF BRENT

COUNCIL MEETING - 19th APRIL 2004

Items Selected by Non-Executive Members under Standing Order 40

(a) From Councillor R Colwill

Review of Street Name Signage

This Council calls on the Executive to carry out a full review of street name signage across Brent. In particular, that, where necessary, legible street signs are provided where these have been damaged or vandalised. As there has been a substantial increase in the Environmental budget, this should allow adequate funds for this purpose.

This Council therefore asks the Executive to look into the request from the residents with a view of implementing adequate street signage without delay.

(b) From Councillor O' Sullivan

Chalkhill Estate CCTV

This Council notes that the residents of Chalkhill have been asking for Brent Council to install CCTV cameras on the Chalkhill Estate. This Council further notes that repeated requests have been made to the Executive for CCTV provision. No policy procedure has so far been undertaken by the administration. This Council calls on the Executive to consider the climate of crime and fear that exists today and to honour the residents' request for CCTV cameras.

This Council therefore asks the Executive to again look into people's request with a serious view of implementing these important safety cameras.

(c) From Councillor Farrell

Disposal of Waste

This year's budget sees the largest growth ever in environmental services -the services that affect us all. May I welcome all of the initiatives housed in the budget package. As Welsh Harp was one of the first wards in the borough to introduce alley-gating I particularly welcome the programme of alley-gating.

To give a boost to the measures may I call on the Executive to launch a public awareness campaign about the consequences for the local environment of people using unscrupulous disposal operators and to remind traders of their responsibilities in disposing of waste.