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CITY COUNCIL MOTIONS ON NOTICE

DATE: MONDAY 2 AUGUST 2010
TIME: 2.00 PM
PLACE: COUNCIL HOUSE, PLYMOUTH (NEXT TO THE CIVIC CENTRE)

Members –

The Lord Mayor, Councillor Mrs Aspinall, Chair
Deputy Lord Mayor, Councillor Coker, Vice Chair
Councillors Ball, Mrs Beer, Berrow, Bowie, Bowyer, Mrs Bowyer, Mrs Bragg, Brookshaw, Browne, Dann, Delbridge, Mrs Dolan, Drean, Evans, K Foster, Mrs Foster, Fox, Fry, Gordon, Haydon, James, Jordan, King, Martin Leaves, Michael Leaves, Sam Leaves, Lock, Lowry, Dr. Mahony, McDonald, Monahan, Murphy, Mrs Nelder, Nicholson, Mrs Nicholson, Mrs Pengelly, Rennie, Reynolds, Ricketts, Roberts, Dr. Salter, Smith, Stark, Mrs Stephens, Stevens, Thompson, Tuohy, Vincent, Viney, Mrs Watkins, Wheeler, Wignens, Wildy, Williams and Wright

I refer to the agenda for the above meeting of the City Council and attach two motions on notice for the meeting.

BARRY KEEL
CHIEF EXECUTIVE

CITY COUNCIL

10. MOTIONS ON NOTICE

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To consider motions from councillors in accordance with paragraph 13 of the Constitution.

- Building Schools for the Future
- Leisure Passes for children and young people in care

PLYMOUTH CITY COUNCIL

2 August 2010

MOTIONS ON NOTICE

- (1) Motion on Notice No 4 10/11: Building Schools for the Future**
- (2) Motion on Notice No 5 10/11: Leisure Passes for Children and Young People in Care**

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PLYMOUTH CITY COUNCIL

2 AUGUST 2010

**MOTION ON NOTICE NO 4 10/11:
BUILDING SCHOOLS FOR THE FUTURE**

Council notes the Government's withdrawal of the above programme.

1. Council further notes that at present there are no plans regarding the rebuilding of Stoke Damerel Community College;
2. The provision designated for refurbishment at Lipson Community College and the ICT suite for Woodview Learning Campus has been cancelled;
3. All Saints Academy and Marine Academy Plymouth are designated as 'to be discussed', presumably with Department for Education and Sponsors;

Students, parents, teachers and their communities have been left uncertain about the prospect for building programmes at all these schools.

In view of the above, Council resolves:-

1. To ask our Members of Parliament; Gary Streeter MP, Alison Seabeck MP and Oliver Colvile MP to lead a cross party delegation including City Councillors to meet with the Secretary of State at the earliest opportunity to ensure Plymouth's case receives proper consideration;
2. To campaign vigorously for the above schools to receive the funding previously allocated to enable them to provide high quality learning environments for our young people;
3. To involve all our partners, including the Academy Sponsors; Faith Groups; Children's Trust; Local Strategic Partnership, Chamber of Commerce, the Plymouth Herald to gather City-wide support for this campaign.

Proposed by Councillor Wildy

Seconded by Councillor Evans

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PLYMOUTH CITY COUNCIL

2 AUGUST 2010

**MOTION ON NOTICE NO 5 10/11:
LEISURE PASSES FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE IN CARE**

We note the email sent to some elected members on 20 July 2010 that Leisure Centre passes enabling Children and Young People in the care of Plymouth City Council to attend Plymouth City Council Leisure Centres be removed by the end of July. Given that all Councillors are Corporate Parents and that the Plymouth Pledge explicitly states that Young People who have been in Care of Plymouth City Council for one month should receive a free Leisure pass.

Council resolves to request the cabinet and portfolio holder -

1. restore as from today the free Leisure Pass to Children and Young People in Care;
2. present to the next meeting of the Children and Young People Overview and Scrutiny Panel a model of how the free Leisure Pass for Children and Young People in Care will be funded;
3. confirms its commitment to honour all sections of the Plymouth Pledge.

Proposed by Councillor Wildy

Seconded by Councillor Bowie

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