#### BARNSLEY METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL

North East Area Council Meeting:

3<sup>rd</sup> October 2013

Agenda item: 5a

Report of the North East Area Council Manager

# Appointment of a community representative to Monk Bretton Ward Alliance

# 1. Purpose of report

1.1 The report seeks formal approval for the appointment of a community representative to Monk Bretton Ward Alliance.

# 2. Recommendation

2.1 That the North East Area Council approves the community representative named in this report as a Monk Bretton Ward Alliance member, until the end of the 2013/14 municipal year.

### 3. Background

- 3.1 A report setting out changes to the Council's Governance arrangements was submitted to Cabinet on 10<sup>th</sup> October 2012 and was subsequently recommended to Full Council on 8<sup>th</sup> November, where it was approved. This instigated revised arrangements that included the creation of six Area Councils, supported by Ward Alliances.
- 3.2 A further report providing detail, including the Area Governance Handbook and Terms of Reference for the Area Councils, was submitted to Cabinet on 8<sup>th</sup> May 2013. In approving the recommendations in the report, Cabinet agreed that Area Councils would formally approve the appointment of community representatives to the Ward Alliances. This report is submitted on that basis.

#### 4. Proposal

- 4.1 That the Area Council considers the following individual, with a view to him being formally approved as a community representative on Monk Bretton Ward Alliance:-
  - John Townsend

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