

# BARNSELY METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL

**Dearne Area Council Meeting:**

**Agenda Item 7**

**Report of Dearne Area  
Council Manager**

## **Dearne Area Ward Alliance Notes**

### **1. Purpose of Report**

- 1.1 This report appraises the Dearne Area Council of the progress made by each Ward in relation Ward Alliance action plans and review of the priorities.

### **2.0 Recommendation**

- 2.1 That the Dearne Area Council receives an update on the progress of the Dearne North and South Ward Alliances for information purposes. Members are reminded of requirement for Ward Alliance minutes to be received by the Area Council.

### **3.0 Introduction**

- 3.1 This report is set within the context of decisions made on the way the Council is structured to conduct business at Area, Ward and Neighbourhood levels (Cab.21.11.2012/6), Devolved Budget arrangements (Cab16.1.2013/10.3), Officer Support (Cab.13.2.2013/9) and Communities and Area Governance Documentation (Cab.8.5.2013/7.1). This report is submitted on that basis.

### **4.0 Ward Alliance Meetings**

- 4.1 The Dearne South Ward Alliance meeting was held on the 20<sup>th</sup> January 2016. The self-improvement and assessment plans were agreed and flood/resilience plans were discussed. Applications were approved and consideration has been given to purchasing a container to store flood/resilience equipment.
- 4.2 The Dearne North Ward Alliance was held on the 12<sup>th</sup> January 2016. The Alliance discussed the various events taking place and the allocation of finances in order to deal with any emergency.

#### **Appendix One: Dearne South Ward Alliance Meeting notes**

#### **Appendix Two: Dearne North Ward Alliance Meeting notes**

The reporting into the Dearne Area Council, of the Ward Alliance notes is in line with the approved Council protocols. The notes are for information only.

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