

## **CASTLEREAGH BOROUGH COUNCIL**

Minutes of the proceedings of the Finance & General Purposes Committee meeting, held in committee, in the Council Chamber, Civic & Administrative Offices, Bradford Court, Upper Galwally, Castlereagh, BT8 6RB, on Thursday, 3 March 2011 at 7.00 p.m.

**PRESENT:** Alderman J Beattie MBE  
(in the chair)

**ALDERMEN:** M Henderson MBE  
G Rice MBE  
J White

**COUNCILLORS:** A Beattie  
J Bunting  
M Chambers  
J Cochrane  
M Copeland  
D Drysdale  
C Hall  
B Hanvey  
T Jeffers  
V McCoy  
G Robinson  
S Skillen  
J Spratt MLA  
D Vitty

**IN ATTENDANCE:** Chief Executive, Director of Finance, Director of Administration & Community Services, Health & Safety Officer and Members' Services Officer

**APOLOGIES:** Apologies were received on behalf of Alderman Norris and Councillors Duncan, Long and Tosh

### **F&GP/2011/34 : MEETING PROCEDURES**

Due to the Leisure Services Committee meeting ending early, it was suggested that the Finance & General Purposes Committee meeting should commence earlier than scheduled and that, as some officers had not yet arrived, that agenda items relating to finance should be considered first.

The Chair pointed out to Members that this would be the last meeting of the Finance & General Purposes Committee in this Council term and he thanked Members for their cooperation and hard work. Councillor Copeland congratulated Alderman Beattie on his successful chairmanship of the Committee and thanked him for his work. Alderman Henderson concurred with Councillor Copeland's comments.