Argyll and Bute Community Planning Partnership

Management Committee Date: 17<sup>th</sup> October 2012



Title: Community Planning Partnership Nominations to Council Performance Review and Scrutiny Committee

## 1. SUMMARY

**1.1** This report updates the Management Committee on progress in appointing 3 CPP partner nominees to serve on the Council's Performance Review and Scrutiny Committee.

## 2. RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1 That the Management Committee note the intimations of interest which have been received to date to serve on the PRS Committee, note that the invitation from the Council was for 3 CPP partners to become members of the Committee, and consider making that third appointment at this time.

## 3. BACKGROUND

- **3.1** The Management Committee was updated at its meeting of 22<sup>nd</sup> August on decisions which the Council had recently made regarding its Political Management arrangements and putting in place a governance framework to support effective and efficient decision making. As part of that process the Council has agreed to form a Performance Review and Scrutiny Committee, and agreed that membership of the Committee would comprise 11 Members, 3 of whom will be CPP Partner nominees. The Management Committee was invited to nominate 3 such nominees, and agreed that a formal letter to all partners, inviting nominations, should be sent by the Council.
- **3.2** The Chief Executive sent a letter to all CPP partners in late August, as a result of which Douglas Cowan of HIE and Jim Scott of Strathclyde Fire and Rescue have intimated their willingness to become members of the Committee.
- **3.3** Given that the request was for 3 CPP partners to become members of the Committee, the Management Committee at this time is asked to agree the nominations of Douglas Cowan and Jim Scott, and to appoint a third partner to the PRS Committee.

## 4. CONCLUSION

**4.1** The Council have agreed their Political Management arrangements, including provision of a Performance Review and Scrutiny Committee, and have further agreed that 3 of the

Members of that Committee should be CPP Partner nominees. The Management Committee is invited to finalise those 3 nominations at this time to enable the composition of the Committee to be finalised and the first meeting called.

For further information contact: Shirley MacLeod, Area Governance Manager, Customer Services

Telephone

01369 707134