ARGYLL AND BUTE COUNCIL

OBAN, LORN AND THE ISLES AREA COMMITTEE 11th JUNE 2014

CUSTOMER SERVICES

MEMBERSHIP OF THE WORLD WAR 1 COMMEMORATION STEERING GROUP.

1. SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to update Members in regards Oban, Lorn and the Isles membership of the World War 1 Commemoration Steering Group.

2. **RECOMMENDATIONS**

2.1 That the Area Committee note that following the resignation of Cllr Hall from the Council there is no Oban, Lorn and the Isles Area Committee representative on the WW1 Steering Group, and the Committee is asked to consider appointing another Member to undertake that role.

3. DETAIL

- 3.1 At the Council meeting held on 29th August 2013 Members received an update in regards the work being carried out by the Armed Forces Champion, Cllr Corry. Following consideration of that update the Council made a number of decisions, including agreeing to invite Area Committees to nominate a representative to serve on the World War 1 Commemoration Steering Group.
- 3.2 At the October meeting of the Oban, Lorn and the Isles Area Committee Members considered this decision of the Council, and agreed to nominate Cllr Fred Hall as the OLI Area Committee representative on the WW1 Steering Group.
- 3.3 Due to the recent resignation of Cllr Hall from the Council the Oban Lorn and the Isles Area Committee currently has no representative on the WW1 Steering Group. Members are therefore asked to consider appointing a Member of the Area Committee to serve on this group.

4. CONCLUSION

4.1 The Area Committee is asked to note that following the resignation of Cllr Hall from the Council there is no Oban, Lorn and the Isles Area Committee representative on the WW1 Steering Group, and to consider appointing another Member to undertake that role.

5. IMPLICATIONS

Policy -In keeping with the Council's commitment to work in partnership with other agencies and organisations Financial -Members expenses in regards travel etc to attend meetings Legal -None HR -None Equalities -None Risk -None Customer None Service -

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