

11 LEISURE AND ARTS DEPARTMENT - ESTABLISHMENT OF FIXED TERM POST (AN282-2005)

Agreement has been reached between the Leisure and Arts Department, the Forestry Commission Scotland, Greenspace Scotland and Scottish Natural Heritage, to set up the Dundee's Trees, Woods and Green Space Partnership Project. This Project will look at the development of and opportunities for woodland and green space within the City's environment.

To co-ordinate the activities of the partnership, it is proposed to establish a post of Woodland and Greenspace Development Officer, graded AP4, £20,808 - £23,034, for a fixed term period until 31st March 2009.

The financial implications arising from this proposal, inclusive of employer's costs, are £12,857 in the current financial year, £26,550 in 2006/07, £27,596 in 2007/08 and £28,513 in 2008/09, and will be funded by the external partners of this Project.

The Sub-Committee's approval is sought.