

## **12 PLANNING AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT - ESTABLISHMENT OF FIXED TERM POST (AN59-2005)**

Reference is made to Article III of the minute of meeting of the Policy and Resources Committee of 11th February 2005, wherein the Committee will be asked to consider and a report on the Establishment of a Central Waterfront Partnership.

With the establishment of this partnership to develop the Central Waterfront and the mechanism to manage the regeneration of Stobswell, there is a need to establish a dedicated post to lead the day to day management of these projects.

Accordingly, the Committee is requested to approve the establishment of a post of Project Director, grade SCP53-56, £39,822 - £42,687, for a fixed term up to 31st March 2008. The Committee is asked to note that, depending on future funding, it is probable that the duration of this post will be extended in due course. In that event, a further recommendation will be submitted to this Committee.

Furthermore, it is proposed to fill this post by advertising it as a secondment opportunity within the Planning and Transportation Department.

The cost of this post will be £52,662 in 2005/06, £53,954 in 2006/07, and £55,248 in 2007/08, all figures being inclusive of employer's costs. These costs will be funded from a combination of Cities Growth Fund monies allocated by the Scottish Executive and a contribution from Communities Scotland.

The Committee's approval is requested.