

Christchurch City Council

COUNCIL SEMINAR AGENDA

WEDNESDAY 13 JUNE 2007

AT 5.30PM TO 7.30PM

IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, CIVIC OFFICES

(Note: This forum has no decision making powers, and is purely for the purpose of information sharing)

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1. APOLOGIES

2. NEW FIRE LEGISLATION: FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICES ACT

Presenters: Chris Gilbert, Murray Sinclair and Keith Marshall.

The Department of Internal Affairs has published a discussion document which presents two key proposals:

- A new framework for fire and rescue services; and
- A new funding system to pay for a large proportion of those services.

The Department of Internal Affairs (DIA) is seeking submissions on their document by 30 June 2007. The seminar will outline the current system, the DIA proposal, and discuss the issues, with a view to seeking a direction on the submissions that should be made on behalf of the Council.

CATERING

Refreshments will be available at 5.15pm