

meeting Administration Committee

date 28 July 2010

agenda item number **4(e)**

LEADERSHIP ACADEMY GRADUATE SUMMER SCHOOL AUGUST 2010

1. Purpose of the Report

- 1.1 To consider a request from Councillors Tsimbiridis and Creamer to attend the IDeA Leadership Academy Graduate Summer School in Warwick on 4th and 5 August 2010

2. Background

- 2.1 As graduates of the Leadership Academy, Councillors Tsimbiridis and Creamer are invited to attend the annual Graduate Summer School. The aim of bringing graduates together is to reinforce the insights and learning gained during the programme.

- 2.2 The 2010 Summer school includes sessions on

- Decision-making
- Developing questioning and listening skills
- Leading through the Recession
- Communicating difficult choices to staff and residents
- Enabling Change
- Social Media for Councillors

- 2.3 The fee is £500 per person including accommodation, meals, tuition, and course materials. Travel would be £44 per vehicle.

3. RECOMMENDED

It is recommended that

- I. The request to attend the Leadership Academy Graduate Summer School be considered

David Ellis
Service Manager (Member Support)

Service Director (Finance) Comments

Legal Services Comments

Background Papers Available for Inspection

Invitation from IDeA

Electoral Divisions Affected