

# Swindon Borough Council

## Town Twinning Network

**Thursday, 15 September 2005**

Committee Room 2, Civic Offices, Swindon (Anticipated meeting room)

**At 6.00 p.m.**

**Conservative  
Councillors**

Deborah Baylies  
Doreen Dart  
Chris Van Roon

**Labour  
Councillors**

David Glaholm  
Derique Montaut

**Liberal Democrat  
Councillors**

Stan Pajak

John Mayell, Swindon Ocotal Link  
Philip Young, Swindon Chamber of Commerce and Industry  
Mr Reg Clarke, Swindon Salzgitter Twinning Association  
Mr Bruce Clarke, Swindon Ocotal Link  
Mr Phil Eagle, La Garenne Link  
Mr D Ainscough, Lydiards - Tessy sur Vire Twinning Association  
Mike Ide, Wroughton - St Germain les Corbeil Twinning Association  
Dr D Worsnip, Highworth - Pontorson Twinning Association  
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## **AGENDA**

- 1. Apologies for Absence**
- 2. Minutes** (Pages 1 - 4)  
To receive the minutes of the meeting held on 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2005.
- 3. Public Question Time**  
See explanatory note below. Please phone the Committee Officer whose name and number appears at the top of this agenda if you need further guidance.
- 4. Town Twinning Link with Chattanooga, USA** (Pages 5 - 10)
- 5. Update on Swindon Borough Council Projects** (Pages 11 - 14)
- 6. Reports from the Town Twinning Associations and Links** (Pages 15 - 16)
- 7. Town Twinning Network Financial Position** (Pages 17 - 24)

**Date of Despatch:** 07 September 2005

**Public Question Time** - Swindon Borough Council is committed to increasing its accountability to the public and to promoting active citizenship. Up to 15 minutes will be

*allowed at the start of all Council meetings for questions to the Chair from members of the public about the work of the Committee (except for confidential matters and specific planning applications). Questions must be relevant, clear and concise. Because of time constraints Public Question Time is not an opportunity to make speeches or statements. Prior notice of a question to the Director of Law and Corporate Governance is desirable - particularly if detailed background information is needed.*

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