

OPEN**EXECUTIVE****REPORT FOR INFORMATION****MEETING****22nd OCTOBER 2002****PRESENT:**

Councillor Nick Stanton, Leader (In the Chair)
Councillor Richard Thomas, Environment and Transport
Councillor Beverley Bassom, Housing
Councillor Richard Porter, Community Support and Safety
Councillor Lorraine Zuleta, Finance
Councillor Catherine Bowman, Regeneration and Economic Development.

**57.5 MOTION FROM MEMBERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH COUNCIL
PROCEDURE RULE 3.9- EAST LONDON LINE EXTENSION**

At the above meeting of the Executive we considered the following motion referred from Council Assembly on the 18th September 2002, which had been moved by Councillor Toby Eckersley and seconded by Councillor David Bradbury:

‘That this Council notes with approval the following statement in the draft Neighbourhood Renewal Strategy:

“Some of our renewal activity, like nurturing economic prosperity and improving transport links to centres of employment across London must be borough-wide,”

and notes that the most practicable of such links as are currently proposed is the southwestward extension of the East London Line through Peckham and Dulwich; and accordingly adopts as its policies the encouragement of the earliest possible completion of this link and resistance to the listing of structures or other similar steps which might have the effect of imperilling or delaying its completion.’

The Executive agreed the Leader of the Council be asked to write to the Secretary of State for Transport and the Strategic Rail Authority pressing the case for an East London Line extension.

COUNCILLOR NICK STANTON**LEADER OF THE COUNCIL**