

Meeting of the 20th July 2009

Executive Questions for Cllr Lewis Robinson:

- 1) Can you provide details of the future strategy for library provision in the borough?
- 2) Could you define what is meant by a '21st Century Leisure Centre', and how many do you expect Southwark to have by May 2010?
- 3) What support is the Council proposing to provide for facilities in Peckham Rye Park?
- 4) Can you outline what use the current Albion Street library will be put to once the new Canada Water library opens?
- 5) Can you set out how the council will be using the £0.5m revenue budget for Canada Water Library agreed for 2009/10?
- 6) Can you update this committee on the progress of options to either update or replace Seven Islands Leisure Centre? Can he give an assurance that the asbestos problems that caused the pool's closure in January are now fully resolved and will not lead to any future closures?
- 7) Could you outline progress on the plans for using the £6 million investment for Burgess Park? Local community councils have also been asked to fund projects in the park through Cleaner Greener Safer funds – how will the council ensure that funding proposals are co-ordinated?
- 8) Could the Executive Member give an update on what might be happening to the Old Town Hall Building on the Walworth Road, especially with reference to Newington Library. Might there be room for the reference Library to return?