

#### **Belfast City Council**

**Report to:** Strategic Policy and Resources Committee

**Subject:** Standing Order 55 – Employment of Relatives

**Date:** 18 March 2011

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#### Relevant Background Information

To inform the Committee of delegated authority exercised by the Director of Finance and Resources to the employment of individuals who are related to existing officers of the Council.

The Director of Finance and Resources has authorised the appointments of the following individuals who are related to existing officers of the Council in accordance with the authority delegated to her by the Policy and Resources (Personnel) Sub-Committee on 27 June, 2005. The Committee is asked to note the appointments authorised by the Director under Standing Order 55.

NAME OF NEW EMPLOYEE	POST APPOINTED TO	RELATIONSHIP TO EXISTING OFFICER	NAME OF EXISTING OFFICER	DEPARTMENT
Anne Ross	Project Support Officer (Healthy Ageing) (FTC to 31 March 2012)	Wife	James Ross	Health and Environmental Services
Roisin Fleming	Part-time Community Centre Assistant Supervisor	Wife	John Fleming	Development

# **Resource Implications**

## Financial

Provision for these posts exists within the revenue budgets of the relevant departments.

## **Human Resources**

There are no Human Resource considerations. All appointments have been made on the basis of merit in accordance with the Council's Recruitment Policies.

## **Asset and Other Implications**

There are no other implications.

## Recommendations

Committee is asked to note the appointments authorised by the Director of Finance and Resources in accordance with Standing Order 55.