

ST ATHAN – HOME OF THE DEFENCE TECHNICAL ACADEMY AND AEROSPACE PARK

Dear Sir or Madam,

As you may be aware, we are currently conducting an extensive programme of public consultation on the proposals for the redevelopment of Ministry of Defence (MOD) St Athan. The development will chiefly consist of a new Defence Technical Academy, with associated housing and facilities, and an Aerospace Business Park which, through the creation of new jobs and investment in the local and regional economy, represents an exciting opportunity for the area.

Having completed the first phase of consultation – public exhibitions held during July 2008 in St Athan, Cowbridge and Llantwit Major – we are now pleased to announce that we will be holding a series of workshops and interest groups over the coming months. These events will provide an opportunity for us to discuss a number of topics in more depth with members of the local community and you are warmly invited to attend one or more of them.

The subjects of the workshops and interest groups have been identified through feedback received at the public exhibitions as key areas of interest to the local community. The first two workshops will focus on Transport and Community Facilities and the dates and locations are as follows:

Subject	When	Where
Community Facilities	Thursday 04 December	RAF St Athan Golf Club, Clive Road, St Athan, CF62 4JD
Transport	Tuesday 09 December	The Gathering Place, Flemingston Road, St Athan, CF62 4JH

These two workshops will enable attendees to find out more detailed information about the subject and allow the St Athan project team to seek the community's views on specific elements of the draft plan for the site's redevelopment. Two interest groups looking at Environment and Community Welfare will be held in early 2009 and will provide an opportunity for the project team to share further details and capture attendees' opinions and views.

Your views really do count and we hope that you will take this opportunity to participate in what should be a series of interesting and productive events. If you would like to attend, please complete and return the enclosed form by 1st December.

If you have any questions in the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact us on 0845 618 0016. You can also e-mail us at enquiries@st-athanconsultation.co.uk or write to us at Freepost RPKG-AZTG-JLJX, Camargue (St Athan), Eagle Tower, Montpellier Drive, Cheltenham, GL50 1TA

Yours sincerely,



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WORKSHOPS AND INTEREST GROUPS

I would like to attend the following workshops:

Community Facilities

Transport

I am interested in attending the following interest groups and would like to be contacted when further information is available:

Environment

Community Welfare

My contact details are:

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Specific topics I would like to see discussed in more detail at the workshops and interest groups are:

**Please return to:
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