3 NEIGHBOURHOOD RESOURCES AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT - ESTABLISHMENT OF FIXED TERM POSTS (AN162-2002)

The Committee is asked to approve the establishment of two posts of Community Information Technology Worker, graded AP3/4 (£16,673 - £20,897), for three years.

Neighbourhood Resources and Development Department has been awarded a grant of £142,176 from the New Opportunities Fund to further develop ICT Learning Activities in Libraries and Centres across the City.

The project, entitled "Community Access to Lifelong Learning", will run for three years. Two Community Information Technology Workers will be employed for the duration of the project and will develop individual and group learning activities which will enable people to become more computer-literate.

The cost in the current year (September 2002 - March 2003) will be £20,050, Year 2 (April 2003 - March 2004) £43,066, Year 3 (April 2004 - March 2005) £46,182 and Year 4 (April 2005 - August 2005) £32,878 and will be fully funded from the New Opportunities Fund.