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(1) Third Sector Action Plan (2) NE Review - Disabled People (3) West Sussex LINK - News Bulletin (4) Tier 4 Personality Disorder Consultation (5) Quality of life 'deteriorated in past year' for older people (6) Kidz Stuff Festival

Dear members,

- 1 The Government recently announced their action plan 'Real Help for Communities : Volunteers, Charities and Social Enterprises' to help and support the Third Sector during the current economic recession. Further details can be found at:
http://www.cabinetoffice.gov.uk/third_sector/news/news_stories/090209_real_help.aspx
- 2 Brian Hughes, Assistant Chief Executive, West Sussex PCT, has forwarded the attached short explanatory note which clarifies information contained in the NER Report regarding Disabled People. This note will also be placed on the PCT Website alongside the NER Report so that those using the report in future will have access to this clarification.
- 3 For the latest news from the West Sussex Local Involvement Network (LINK), please open the attached News Bulletin.
- 4 Please see the latest release from West Sussex Primary Care Trust: Four regions launch the Tier 4 Personality Disorder Consultation. "From today, people in West Sussex are being encouraged to have their say on services for people with complex or severe personality disorder..." [Read more...](#)
Any questions or queries please call Laura Skelcey, Press and Public Relations Officer, West Sussex Primary Care Trust
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- 5 Follow the link for information from GovNet Communications on 'Strategies for an Ageing Population' which some organisations may find of interest.
<http://govnet.msgfocus.com/q/14yovuKaIWzXZP/wy>
- 6 Kidz Stuff Festival: 29-31 May 2009: please find a news item from Horsham District Council and the Rotary Club of Horsham.

I do hope the above may be of interest to you –

Many thanks –
Janet

Attachments: [N E Review](#) [LINK](#) [KIDZ Stuff](#)

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