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## **MEDIA RELEASE**

### **SHARE IN THE PLANNING OF PRECINCT 1**

Manningham residents are invited to discuss plans and provide input for the development of Doncaster Hill's Precinct 1 at a visioning workshop being held in October.

The Precinct 1 area covers the non-residential area north of Doncaster Road, between Council Street and JJ Tully Drive and includes major civic and educational facilities, such as Council Offices and Doncaster Primary School. Also included are key historic buildings and areas of open space.

It is envisioned that to address future requirements of the residents, Precinct 1 will be redeveloped to consist of improved open space, new social and community facilities plus other key civic services.

Council is keen to ensure the needs and desires of the local community are incorporated into its planning, and would encourage people of all ages to participate in the visioning workshop and have their voice heard.

As Precinct 1 is visualised as being a community centre point on Doncaster Hill with a number of facilities and open space features, this workshop is a great opportunity for residents to provide Council with the input required to ensure Precinct 1 becomes a community hub for all to enjoy.

The workshop will take place on Wednesday, 25 October 2006, from 7.00-9.00pm, in Function Room 1, Manningham City Council Offices, 699 Doncaster Road, Doncaster.

To take part in these workshops, please RSVP by phone to Jeanette Baker, 9840 9129, by Friday 20 October 2006.

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