



**DERBY CITY COUNCIL**

**SCRUTINY MANAGEMENT COMMISSION  
PETITIONS SUB-COMMISSION**

**TUESDAY 8 APRIL 2008 AT 5.30PM**

**COUNCIL CHAMBER, THE COUNCIL HOUSE**

**A G E N D A**

1. Apologies
2. Late items to be introduced by the Chair
3. Declarations of Interest  
*Members are invited to declare any interests they have in the business on the agenda, including;*
  - *personal interests*
  - *prejudicial interests*
  - *whether the Group Whip has been applied in respect of any of the matters under consideration*

**Items for Discussion**

4. **Consideration of a Petition concerning the Medieval Augustinian Abbey at Darley Abbey**

*To consider a petition and to propose actions to address the concerns raised in the petition. The petition was raised by history and community groups in Darley Abbey and Chester Green and was signed by 347 people. The petition reads as follows:*

*'The settlement at Darley Abbey, which lies within the Derwent Valley Mills World Heritage Site, had its beginnings in a medieval Augustinian Abbey of which scarcely anything remains above ground. On November 2006, walls of the former abbey were uncovered during development work but were not fully excavated. We, the undersigned residents of the City of Derby, petition Derby City Council to oversee and sponsor a community project to discover and interpret the layout of the abbey's buildings.'*

## NOTES:

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