WORKSHOP ON 19TH May 2009 AT LA VILLETTE HOTEL

KEY POINTS OF CHOSEN STRATEGY GROUP NAME: MARTELLO

KEY ACTION POINTS

Environmental Sustainability.

Improve bus services – smaller, more efficient buses and longer timetable (evening routes).

Increase recycling – more bring banks (especially for plastics). Make them nearer dwellings/subterranean.

2 Respond to Needs of People.

Give everyone a say – increase accessibility/involvement for old/young to voice opinions.

3 Residential Development on Brownfield Sites.

Tidying up 'grotty' hotels.

Take account of existing infrastructure.

Larger sites for families. Consider allocation of housing for older/disabled people.

Protecting Farming to Protect Landscape Quality (Guernsey cows, goats etc.)

Farmers have a proven record of good land management (generally). Better than overstocked horse paddocks or creeping domestic cartilage. Preserve green spaces.

Providing Government incentives for alternative technology investments (heating, insulation, recycling bins for homes, etc.).

Expenditure now to subsidise alternative technology = invest to save.

OTHER POINTS CONSIDERED

Where will guest-workers live?

Island-wide glasshouse clearance. Liberal approach to re-use: allotments in rural areas; housing developments in urban areas.

No structure in place to encourage use of schools and community sites – no "out of hours" manager of buildings (St Martin's Community Centre is an exemplar).