



## Report of the Chair

Scrutiny Programme Committee – 8 January 2018

### Scrutiny Performance Panel Progress Report

<b>Purpose</b>	The committee is responsible for managing the overall work of scrutiny and its effectiveness. Performance Panel conveners will regularly provide a progress report, updating the committee on headlines from their Panel's work and impact.
<b>Content</b>	This report focuses on the following Performance Panel: a) Adult Services
<b>Councillors are being asked to</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ensure awareness and understanding of the work of the Panel</li><li>• Consider its effectiveness and impact</li><li>• Consider any issues arising and action required</li></ul>
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#### 1. Introduction

- 1.1 There are six Performance Panels established by the committee. Whilst the work of Inquiry Panels leads to the production of a final report with conclusions and recommendations for cabinet based on evidence gathered on a specific issue, the work of Performance Panels represent regular monitoring of particular services.
- 1.2 Performance Panels are expected to have on-going correspondence with relevant cabinet members in order to share views and recommendations, arising from monitoring activities, about the performance of services and service delivery.

1.3 The committee is responsible for managing the overall work of scrutiny and its effectiveness. Performance Panels Conveners will therefore provide a regular progress report to the committee to enable:

- a discussion on the work of each Panel, achievements, effectiveness and impact
- the committee to consider any issues arising from Panel activities which may have an impact on the overall scrutiny work programme
- awareness amongst the committee as well as visibility across the council and public.

1.4 This report is about the following Performance Panel:

a) Adult Services

To focus the discussion a short written report has been provided by the convener of the Panel, and is **attached**. This includes a summary of Panel activities, correspondence between the Panel and Cabinet Members, proposals made and impact.

1.5 The membership of the Adult Services Performance Panel is made up of 8 councillors and 2 cooptees:

**Labour Councillors: 3**

Mandy Evans	Gloria Tanner
Alyson Pugh	

**Liberal Democrat/Independent Councillors: 4**

<b>Peter Black (CONVENER)</b>	Jeff Jones
Chris Holley	Susan Jones

**Conservative Councillor: 1**

Paxton Hood-Williams	
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**Cooptees: 2**

Tony Beddow	Katrina Guntrip
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**2. Legal Implications**

2.1 There are no specific legal implications raised by this report.

**3. Financial Implications**

3.1 There are no specific financial implications raised by this report.

**Background Papers:** None

**Appendices:**

**Appendix 1 – Adult Services Performance Panel Update**