



RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

RECORD OF DECISIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE

DECISION MADE BY: Cabinet DATE DECISION MADE: 19th September 2017

Agenda Item: 5

SUBJECT: SCRUTINY RECOMMENDATIONS – SUPPORTING PEOPLE TO LIVE INDEPENDENTLY AT HOME

**Cabinet Members Present
County Borough Councillors:**

A.Morgan (Chairman), M. Webber, R.Bevan, A.Crimmings,
G.Hopkins, M.Norris, R.Lewis & C.Leyshon.

**Apology for Absence
County Borough Councillor:**

J.Rosser

Other Councillor(s) in Attendance:-

P Jarman, E Stephens, E Webster, M Weaver & J Williams.

1. DECISION MADE:

Agreed –

1. To note the review provided by the Council's Health & Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee provided in Appendix 1 of the report.
2. The recommendations listed at 2.21 to 2.27 within the report (and detailed below), subject to further consideration by the Cabinet Portfolio holder for this area, following which a detailed response is provided to the Health & wellbeing Scrutiny Committee:-
 - That Scrutiny continues to review the impact of the implementation of the Social Services and Wellbeing (Wales) Act;
 - That Scrutiny scrutinises the further development of preventative services in conjunction with key partners to meet gaps in current provision;
 - That Scrutiny revisits the Extra Care Housing Strategy in 12 months to assess its progress;
 - That Scrutiny continues to monitor delayed transfers of care performance;
 - That Scrutiny evaluates the impact of the new Stay Well @ Home Services;
 - That Scrutiny continues to monitor carers' performance in relation to statutory performance measures and wider carer related matters in general;
 - That Scrutiny is provided with regular updates on the current performance of the home care providers and an assessment of potential risk.

2. REASON FOR THE DECISION BEING MADE:

The need to provide Cabinet Members with the conclusions and recommendations of the Health & Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee which conducted a review in relation to 'Supporting People to Live Independently at Home'.

3. LINKS TO CORPORATE PRIORITIES / FUTURE GENERATIONS – SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT.

The Council's Corporate Plan priority of Health – Supporting vulnerable adults and older people to live independently.

4. CONSULTATION UNDERTAKEN PRIOR TO DECISION BEING MADE:

Consultation was conducted through the reviews carried out by the Health & Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee.

5. PREVIOUS CONSIDERATION BY A COMMITTEE OF THE COUNCIL

None

6. PERSONAL INTERESTS DECLARED:

Councillor R Bevan declared the following personal and non pecuniary interest and remained within the meeting when the item was discussed:-
"My daughter works within the Social Services Sector of the Council"

7. DISPENSATION TO SPEAK (AS GRANTED BY STANDARDS COMMITTEE):

N/A

8. (a) IS THE DECISION SUBJECT TO CALL-IN BY THE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE:

YES NO

8. (b) IF NO, REASONS WHY IN THE OPINION OF THE DECISION-MAKER THE DECISION IS DEEMED EXEMPT OR NON APPLICABLE:

- I. COUNCIL FUNCTION (CALL IN IS THEREFORE NON APPLICABLE):-
Reason: **Cabinet are endorsing the recommendations put forward following a 2 year scrutiny review into this area.**

- II. URGENT DECISION:-
Reason:.....**N/A**.....

8. (c) IF DEEMED URGENT - SIGNATURE OF MAYOR OR DEPUTY MAYOR OR HEAD OF PAID SERVICE CONFIRMING AGREEMENT THAT THE PROPOSED DECISION IS REASONABLE IN ALL THE CIRCUMSTANCES FOR IT BEING TREATED AS A MATTER OF URGENCY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PROCEDURE RULE 17.2:

N/A

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(Mayor)

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(Dated)

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(Proper Officer)

19th September, 2017
(Dated)