

THIS PAPER RELATES TO ITEM 3 ON THE AGENDA

MINUTES OF MEETING of the PARTNERSHIP AND PERFORMANCE COMMITTEE held Via MS Teams, on THURSDAY 26 AUGUST 2021 at 9.30 am.

PRESENT

Councillor Donald Balsillie (Vice Convenor) (Chair)

Councillor Martha Benny

Councillor Dave Clark

Councillor Kenneth Earle

Councillor Ellen Forson

Councillor Graham Lindsay (S)

Councillor Les Sharp

Councillor Mike Watson

IN ATTENDANCE

Stuart Crickmar, Strategic Director (Partnership and Performance) (Clerk to the Committee) Lindsay Sim, Chief Finance Officer

Chris Alliston, Senior Manager, Human Resources and Workforce Development

Cherie Jarvie, Senior Manager, Partnership and Transformation

Ewan Murray, Chief Finance Officer, Clackmannanshire & Stirling Health and Social Care Partnership

Carolyn Wyllie, Head of Community Heath and Care, Clackmannanshire & Stirling Health and Social Care Partnership

Elizabeth Hutcheon, Team Leader - Management Accountancy

Sarah Farmer, Team Leader - HR Policy and Operations

Alastair Hair, Team Leader - Workforce Development and Learning

Rose Hetman, Strategy and Performance Advisor, Legal and Governance

Lee Robertson, Team Leader - Legal Services, Legal and Governance

Gillian White, Committee Services, Legal and Governance

PPC(21)14 APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Mike Watson and Councillor Helen Lewis (Convenor). In the Convenor's absence, the Vice Convenor, Councillor Donald Balsillie took the Chair. Councillor Graham Lindsay acted as substitute for Councillor Lewis.

PPC(21)15 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None.

PPC(21)16 MINUTE OF PARTNERSHIP AND PERFORMANCE COMMITTEE HELD ON 13 MAY 2021

The minutes of the meeting of the Partnership and Performance Committee held on Thursday 13 May 2021 were submitted for approval.

Decision

The minutes of the meeting of the Partnership and Performance Committee held on Thursday 13 May 2021 were agreed as a correct record by the Committee.

PPC(21)17 FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE 2021/22 – JUNE OUTTURN

The report, submitted by Chief Finance Officer, provided an update on the financial performance for the Partnership and Performance Division of the Council in respect of revenue spend for the current financial year 2021/22. This was based on forecast information as at 30 June 2021. Capital expenditure will be reported to the Audit Committee on 30 September 2021 as part of the overall Council's financial performance report.

Motion

That the Committee agrees the recommendation as set out in the report.

Moved by Councillor Donald Balsillie. Seconded by Councillor Ellen Forson.

Decision

Having challenged and commented on the report, the Committee agreed to note:

- 1. the forecast General Fund revenue overspend relating to the Partnership and Performance Division for the year of £0.329m;
- the forecast centrally held Corporate Services revenue overspend for the year of £0.130m;
- 3. the forecast revenue overspend of the Clackmannanshire & Stirling Health & Social Care Partnership (HSCP) for the year of £1.673m, and
- 4. delivery of planned savings in the year forecasted to achieve 82.5%.

PPC(21)18 BUSINESS PLAN REVIEW 2021/23

Partnership & Performance delivers a diverse range of services, including a number of statutory and essential support functions. The report, submitted by the Strategic Director, Partnership and Performance, presented the Partnership and Performance Business Plan 2021/23 for the consideration of Committee. The Business Plan was contained within Appendix 1 to the report.

Motion

That the Committee agrees the recommendation as set out in the report.

Moved by Councillor Donald Balsillie. Seconded by Councillor Ellen Forson.

Decision

Having challenged and commented on the Business Plan Review 2021/23, the Committee agreed to note the report.

PPC(21)19 HR POLICIES

The report, submitted by the Strategic Director, Partnership and Performance, sought Committee approval of the following revised policies: Capability; Redeployment; and Learning and Development.

Motion

That the Committee agrees the recommendation as set out in the report.

Moved by Councillor Donald Balsillie. Seconded by Councillor Ellen Forson.

Decision

Having challenged and commented on the HR Policies, the Committee:

- 1. Agreed, subject to formal approval by Council, the revised policies which were attached at Appendix 1.
- 2. Noted that the Policy group met where extensive discussions took place with both Trade Unions and Management in the review and/or development of these policies.
- 3. Noted that on 16 June 2021 the Tripartite agreed that these policies be presented to the Partnership and Performance Committee for consideration.

Action

Strategic Director (Partnership and Performance)

PPC(21)20 LOCAL CHILD POVERTY ACTION REPORT (2019/20 AND 2020/21)

The report, submitted by the Strategic Director, Partnership and Performance, presented Clackmannanshire's Local Child Poverty Action Report for the periods 2019/20 and 2020/21 as required under the Child Poverty (Scotland) Act 2017. The report had been jointly prepared with NHS Forth Valley with contributions from a wide range of additional partners in line with the statutory guidance.

Motion

That the Committee agrees the recommendation as set out in the report.

Moved by Councillor Donald Balsillie. Seconded by Councillor Graham Lindsay.

Decision

Having challenged and commented on the report, the Committee agreed to note that the report will be considered by the Clackmannanshire Alliance on the 10th September 2021 and published on the Council's website thereafter.

Ends 11.15 hours