

STAFFORDSHIRE MOORLANDS DISTRICT COUNCIL

COMMUNITY OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY PANEL (SPECIAL) MEETING

Minutes

TUESDAY, 5 JUNE 2018

- PRESENT: Councillor A Banks (Chair)
- Councillors E Fallows, B A Hughes, J T Jones, L D Lea, M A Lovatt, M M Lovatt, T McNicol and T Riley
- ALSO PRESENT: Councillor M Bowen – Portfolio Holder for Communities, Leisure, Sport, Parks, Countryside & Housing.
Councillor I Lucas
- APOLOGIES: Councillors J Bull, D Grocott, K J Jackson and C Pearce.

92 **NOTIFICATION OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS, IF ANY.**

There were none.

93 **DECLARATION OF INTERESTS:**

There were no declarations of interests made.

94 **URGENT ITEMS OF BUSINESS.**

There were none.

95 **CALL-IN OF CABINET DECISION - HOMELESSNESS STRATEGY.**

The Panel received a report introduced by Councillor Bowen, Portfolio Holder for Communities, Leisure, Sport, Parks, Countryside & Housing, to consider the call-in request of the Cabinet Decision in relation to the Homelessness Strategy.

Cabinet's decision was:-

“That the Alliance wide Homelessness Strategy and Action Plan be approved.”

The call-in of this decision had been signed by Councillors: C Atkins, W Cawley, M Gledhill, L Malyon, D Price and C Wood.

The reasons for the call-in were:-

- Clarity of aims and desired outcomes.
- Taking due regard of all relevant considerations and disregarding irrelevant considerations.

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Unfortunately, those members who had signed the Call-in were not present at the meeting. Councillor Cawley was unable to attend due to travel difficulties and had registered his apologies.

It was proposed that the Cabinet Decision in relation to the Homelessness Strategy not be referred back to Cabinet for reconsideration and a vote was taken.

The voting was as follows:-

Those voting **FOR**: (7 members of the Panel)

ABSTENTIONS: (2 members of the Panel)

DECIDED: That the decision **NOT** be referred back to Cabinet for reconsideration.

The meeting closed at 10.11 am

_____Chairman _____Date