

<b>HEALTH SCRUTINY COMMITTEE</b>
<b>22 JUNE 2017</b>
<b>NOTTINGHAM HOMECARE MARKET</b>
<b>REPORT OF CORPORATE DIRECTOR FOR STRATEGY AND RESOURCES</b>

**1 Purpose**

- 1.1 To review how effective the Council's response to pressures in the homecare market has been over the last six months; and longer term plans for the homecare market in Nottingham.

**2 Action required**

- 2.1 The Committee is asked to scrutinise the Council's approach to responding to pressures within the homecare market.

**3 Background information**

- 3.1 Being aware of the pressures within the homecare market nationally and in Nottingham and the impact that this has on both citizens in need of homecare and other health and social care services, in November 2016 the Committee spoke to the then Portfolio Holder for Adults and Health and the Director for Quality and Change about how the Council was responding to those pressures and mitigating the impact on citizens.
- 3.2 At that meeting the Committee heard that homecare was a top priority for the Council and that a vision was being developed for future provision. The current commissioning framework was coming to an end and re-commissioning would be based on the new service model.
- 3.3 In the meantime, there were plans in place to try and address the immediate pressures on the homecare service. The Committee decided to review how effective those actions had been, with a particular focus on the impact on citizens, after six months.
- 3.4 The Director of Quality and Change will be attending the meeting to give a presentation with the latest information on current performance of the homecare service and plans for changes to homecare provision in the future.

**4 List of attached information**

- 4.1 None

**5 Background papers, other than published works or those disclosing exempt or confidential information**

5.1 All

**6 Published documents referred to in compiling this report**

6.1 Report to and minutes of the meeting of the Health Scrutiny Committee held on 24 November 2016

**7 Wards affected**

7.1 All

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