

**SUMMARY OF SCRUTINY DECISIONS/ RECOMMENDATIONS
(For Information Only)**

Social Services, Housing and Community Safety Scrutiny Committee

Thursday, 12 December 2024

The attached summary contains scrutiny decisions/recommendations.

Members of Cabinet are notified of the recommendations that have come from Scrutiny for consideration.

The attached summary also details the following:

- Members Attendance
- Member Apologies
- Declarations

Please note the summary of the discussion will be included within the Minutes which will be published and available on the Website.

**F.O'Brien
Chief Executive**

**Civic Centre
Port Talbot**

12 December 2024

Members Present

Chairperson: **Councillor C.Galsworthy**

Councillors: H.Davies, J.Jones, A.R.Lockyer, A.Lodwig,
P.D.Richards and C.Williams

**Councillor
Apologies:** H.C.Clarke, O.S.Davies, S.E.Freeguard and
D.Whitelock

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PART 1

1. Chair's Announcements	The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting.
2. Declarations of Interest	There were no declarations of interest received.
3. Minutes of Previous Meeting	The minutes of the meeting held on 7 November 2024 were approved as an accurate record of proceedings.
4. To consider items from the Cabinet FWP	Members considered items from the Cabinet Forward Work Programme.
4A Care Inspectorate Wales (CIW) - Foster Wales Neath Port Talbot Inspection Report 2024	Following scrutiny, the report was noted.
4B Corporate Plan Annual Report 2023/2024	Following scrutiny, the report was noted.
5. To consider items from the Scrutiny Committee Work Programme	Members considered items from the Scrutiny Committee Forward Work Programme
5A Adult Services Prevention, Early Intervention and Community Services Progress Update Report	Following scrutiny, the report was noted.
6. Performance Monitoring	Members considered Performance Monitoring items from the Scrutiny Committee Forward Work Programme.
6A Care Inspectorate Wales (CIW) - Assurance Check of Neath Port Talbot Council	Following scrutiny, the report was noted.

Adult Services	
6B Corporate Plan 2024-2027 - Half Yearly Update 2024/2025	Following scrutiny, the report was noted.
6C Options for quarterly performance reporting to the Social Services, Housing and Community Safety Scrutiny Committee	Following scrutiny, members supported the recommendation outlined in the Scrutiny report.
7. Selections of items for future scrutiny	Members noted the Forward Work Programme.
8. Urgent Items	There were no urgent items.
9. Access to meetings	Resolved: to exclude the public for the following item(s) pursuant to Section 100A(4) and (5) of the Local Government Act 1972 and the relevant exempt paragraphs of Part 4 of Schedule 12A to the above Act.
10. Scrutiny of Private Items from the Cabinet Forward Work Programme	Members considered the private item from the Cabinet Forward Work Programme.
10A Direct Payments Payroll Service Review (Exempt under Paragraph 14) Para	Following scrutiny, the recommendation was supported to Cabinet.