



Cyngor Castell-nedd Port Talbot
Neath Port Talbot Council

NEATH PORT TALBOT COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

Cabinet Scrutiny Committee

25 September 2019

Report of the Chair of Cabinet Scrutiny Committee – Councillor Mike Harvey

Matter for information

Wards Affected: All Wards

Response from the Chair of the Public Services Board

Purpose of the Report:

For Members of the Cabinet Scrutiny Committee to note the response received from the Chair of the Public Services Board, which is attached at appendix 1 to the report.

Executive Summary:

Following a request from the Chair of the Cabinet Scrutiny Committee, the Annual Report of the Public Services Board Wellbeing Plan was presented to the Scrutiny Committee on the 10 July 2019.

Subsequent to this Members of the Scrutiny Committee requested that there be further scrutiny of Wellbeing Objectives 2 (Building Safe

and Resilient Communities) and 4 (To Support Wellbeing Through Work and in the Workplace).

In addition, a request was made for a response on why certain areas such as a first class digital and transport infrastructure, was not currently a priority of the Public Services Board, even though this had been included in the vision of the Public Services Board.

Background:

The Cabinet Scrutiny Committee has been identified by the Council as the Committee that will exercise the powers to scrutinise the work of the Public Services Board set out in section 35 of the Wellbeing of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015. In addition to those powers, the Cabinet Scrutiny Committee is listed as a statutory consultee on the Public Services Board's Draft Local Wellbeing Plan under section 43 of the Act.

Financial Impacts:

No Implications

Integrated Impact Assessment:

There is no requirement to undertake an Integrated Impact Assessment as this report is for information purposes.

Valleys Communities Impacts:

No Implications

Workforce Impacts:

No Implications

Legal Impacts:

No Implications

Risk Management Impacts:

There are no risks associated with this report.

Consultation:

There is no requirement for external consultation on this item

Recommendations:

That the response from the Chair of the Public Services Board be noted.

Appendices:

Appendix one –Response of the Chair of the Public Services Board

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