Meeting of the Full Council - 22 October 2015

Report on the Scrutiny Committee Meetings held on 17 July and 18 September 2015

Chair: County Councillor Bill Winlow

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17 July 2015

Lancashire Safeguarding Children Board Update

The Committee considered a report from Lancashire Safeguarding Children Board following a request in December 2014 for an update to be provided to the Committee. The update outlined additional information around a number of key safeguarding activities which had been referred to in December 2014.

It was agreed that the Committee would receive a further report from the LSCB during the autumn to include the LSCB Annual Report, a summary of service inspections, Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH) diagnostic and a summary of two recent serious case reviews.

Work Plan and Task Group Update

A report was presented summarising the work to be undertaken by the Committee in the coming months, including an update on task group work.

18 September 2015

Lancashire Enterprise Partnership Update

The Committee received an update on the Lancashire Enterprise Partnership (LEP).

Learning Disabilities - Challenges and Opportunities Report

The Committee received a report on Learning Disabilities which highlighted some of the key challenges, risks and opportunities in improving outcomes for people with learning disabilities while at the same time delivering savings to ensure the sustainability and affordability of services.

The report included information about the Pan-Lancashire 'Fast Track' arrangements to transform care for a particular cohort of individuals with learning disabilities, and changes in the pipeline for Calderstones hospital.

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