

**Meeting of the Full Council – 17 December 2015**

**Report on the Scrutiny Committee Meetings held on 16 October and 13 November 2015**

**Chair: County Councillor Bill Winlow**

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**16 October 2015**

**Road Safety Report**

The Committee received a report on the latest road safety statistics for Lancashire which focussed on the identification of current issues and priorities, set out the action being taken and outlined plans to address the rising casualty levels. The context of the road safety budget was also delivered, along with an update on the 20mph speed limit programme.

**Work Plan and Task Group Update**

The work plan and task group update were noted.

**13 November 2015**

**Report of the Fire Suppression Measures Task Group**

The Committee received the report of the Fire Suppression Measures Task Group.

It was agreed that the recommendations of the Task Group be supported subject to suggested amendments outlined in the minutes.

**Lancashire Safeguarding Children Board Update**

The Committee received an update on the Lancashire Safeguarding Children Board (LSCB). It was noted that a shorter more accessible version of the report would be available on the LSCB website in the near future.

It was agreed that the Committee would write to Government regarding national funding for Children's Boards.

**Transforming Care and Calderstones NHS Foundation Trust - Notice of Motion**

The Committee noted that letters had been sent to Government and the CEO of NHS England as agreed at Full Council on 22 October 2015.

**Workplan and Task Group Update**

The work plan and task group update were noted.

**Urgent Business – Request to establish a task group**

The Committee supported a request from the Health Scrutiny Committee to establish a task group to explore reasons for the shortage of nurses.