

CABINET

TUESDAY, 5 MARCH 2013

DECISIONS

Set out below is a summary of the decisions taken at the Cabinet meeting held on **Tuesday, 5 March 2013**. The wording used does not necessarily reflect the actual wording that will appear in the minutes.

Members are reminded that, should they wish to call in a decision, notice must be given to Democracy Support Group no later than **4.00pm on Thursday 7 March 2013**.

If you have any queries about any matters referred to in this decision sheet please contact Jill Pickering (01904) 552061.

5. SCRUTINY REVIEW OF OUT OF HOURS CHILDCARE

RESOLVED: That Cabinet agree to:

- i) Note the contents of the final report of the Out of Hours Childcare Scrutiny Review at Appendix 1 of the report.
- ii) The implementation of recommendations 1 to 8, as listed at paragraph 4 of the report.

REASON: To fully inform the Cabinet of the outcome of this scrutiny review.

6. SCRUTINY REVIEW - END OF LIFE CARE REVIEW - 'THE USE & EFFECTIVENESS OF DNACPR FORMS'

RESOLVED: That Cabinet agree to:

- i) Note the contents of the final report of the End of Life Care Review – 'The Use and Effectiveness of DNACPR Forms', at Appendix 1 of the report.
- ii) The implementation of

recommendations 1 to 5, as listed at paragraph 4 of the report.

REASON: To fully inform the Cabinet of the outcome of this scrutiny review.

7. APPROVAL OF THE HOMELESS STRATEGY 2013-18

RESOLVED: That Cabinet approve Option 1, to adopt the Homeless Strategy 2013 – 18 and associated action plan.

REASON: To ensure that the council meet legal requirements and to adopt a framework on which to develop services for customers that are homeless or at risk of homelessness.

8. SMARTER YORK

RESOLVED: That Cabinet agree to:

- i) Note progress to date with Smarter York.
- ii) Approve the “Smarter Charter” as set out at Annex 1 of the report.

REASON: To make York an even better place to live.

9. STATUTORY REPORT OF THE MONITORING OFFICER

RESOLVED: That Cabinet agree to:

- i) Note the Local Government Ombudsman’s findings and recommendations and to endorse the steps already taken by Officers by way of offering a remedy.
- ii) Take no further action in relation to the matters set out in the report.

iii) Adopt this report as the Council's formal response under section 5A of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 and section 31 of the Local Government Act 1974 and arrange for it to be sent to every member of the Council and the Ombudsman.

REASON:

- i) To satisfy the legal requirement to consider the report and to confirm the appropriateness of the remedy recommended by the Ombudsman.
- ii) The steps already taken have been accepted by the Ombudsman as representing an appropriate remedy.
- iii) To comply with legal requirements.

10. COUNCIL RESPONSE TO CONSULTATION ON POLICE AND CRIME PLAN

RESOLVED: That Cabinet endorse the draft consultation response to the Draft Police and Crime Plan at Annex A of the report and delegate completion of the final response to the Director of Communities and Neighbourhoods in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Crime and Stronger Communities.

REASON: To ensure that the Council provides a timely response to the consultation in line with the Council Plan and priorities.