



**Business Overview and Scrutiny Committee  
Wednesday, 29 March 2017**

<b>REPORT TITLE:</b>	<b>Transforming Wirral - Access Wirral</b>
<b>REPORT OF:</b>	<b>The Chair of the Committee</b>

**REPORT SUMMARY**

At the meeting of the Business Overview & Scrutiny Committee held on 12<sup>th</sup> July 2016, the interim Director of Transformation presented a report relating to the involvement of scrutiny in reviewing new service models as they are developed. As a result, a workshop was held on 14<sup>th</sup> February 2017 for Members of the Business Overview & Scrutiny Committee to scrutinise the service development proposals relating to Access Wirral in further detail. The outcomes from the workshop are detailed in this report which has been referred to Cabinet for consideration.

**RECOMMENDATION/S**

- 1) Members are requested to note the contents of the report.

## **1.0 REASON/S FOR RECOMMENDATION/S**

1.1 This report has been referred to Cabinet and is for noting only.

## **2.0 OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED**

Not applicable

## **3.0 BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

3.1 A workshop was held on 14th February 2017 to review the Access Wirral service development proposals. All Members of the Business Overview & Scrutiny Committee were invited to attend.

3.2 The session was led by Councillor Matthew Patrick who delivered a presentation and was supported by Fiona Johnstone, Director for Health and Wellbeing, Lisa Jamieson, Head of Customer Services and Peter Walker, Project Manager. The presentation is attached as Appendix 2. Following the presentation, a question and answer session was held and Members had the opportunity to comment on the proposals.

3.3 The final report, attached as Appendix 1, reflects the comments made by Members at the workshop. Following agreement by the Chair and Party Spokespersons, the report has now been referred to the Cabinet meeting scheduled for 27<sup>th</sup> March 2017 for a decision to be made on the proposals.

## **4.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

There are no financial implications arising from this scrutiny process.

## **5.0 LEGAL IMPLICATIONS**

There are no legal implications arising from this scrutiny process.

## **6.0 RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS: ICT, STAFFING AND ASSETS**

There are no resource implications arising from this scrutiny process.

## **7.0 RELEVANT RISKS**

Not applicable

## **8.0 ENGAGEMENT/CONSULTATION**

Not applicable

## 9.0 EQUALITY IMPLICATIONS

Not applicable

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## APPENDICES

## REFERENCE MATERIAL

## SUBJECT HISTORY (last 3 years)

Council Meeting	Date