Southend-on-Sea Borough Council

Report of Corporate Director for People

to
People Scrutiny Committee
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Outcome of Formal Consultation on the proposals for the future provision of in-house day services for People with Learning Disabilities

THIS IS A PRE-CABINET SCRUTINY ITEM

Executive Councillor: Councillor Salter Part 1 Public Agenda Item

1. Purpose of Report

For the Committee to consider a draft report to Cabinet on the above subject by way of pre-Cabinet scrutiny.

2. Recommendations

The views of the Committee are sought on the draft report to Cabinet which is **attached**.

3. Background

3.1 On 18th June 2013 the Cabinet considered a report on the evaluation of options for the future of the provision of day services for people with learning disabilities. The report included details of an options review undertaken by the Project Board and a report prepared by Alders, a firm of consultants.

The Cabinet resolved:

- "1. That the findings of the evaluation should be the subject of formal consultation with all the existing service users and their families.
- 2 That a further report be submitted to Members following completion of the consultations on potential options for day services for people with learning disabilities "

(Minute 50 refers)

- 3.2 The Consultation started on the 21st October 2013 and closed on 12th January 2014.
- 3.3 <u>Attached</u> is a draft report to Cabinet on the options for the future provision of inhouse day services for people with learning disabilities.

The report sets outs the background, the consultation process, the consultation responses and all other material considerations necessary for the Cabinet to make a decision on the matter.

3.4 It is intended that the report will go to Cabinet on 18th March 2014. However, the People Scrutiny Committee is being given the opportunity to consider the draft report in advance by way of pre-Cabinet scrutiny. The views of the Committee will be included or reflected in the final report to Cabinet.

4. Background Papers

None

8. Appendices

Draft report to Cabinet on 18th March 2014.