ANGUS COUNCIL

20 JUNE 2024

DEFERRAL OF REPORT TO COUNCIL – HOUSING SERVICE IMPROVEMENT PLAN 2024-2025

REPORT BY DIRECTOR OF LEGAL, GOVERNANCE AND CHANGE

1. ABSTRACT

This Report provides information to members on a decision of the Communities Committee on 11 June 2024 and asks members to determine the matter.

2. ALIGNMENT TO THE COUNCIL PLAN

- 2.1 Caring for our people.
 - Reduce inequalities in all our communities.
 - Provide the best start in life for children.
 - Create more opportunities for people to live well and achieve their personal goals.
 - Improve physical, mental health and wellbeing.
- 2.2 Caring for our place.
 - Protect and enhance our natural and built environment.
 - Enable inclusive, empowered, resilient and safe communities across Angus.

3. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 3.1 The Council is asked to: -
 - (i) note the contents of the Report; and
 - (ii) to consider Report No 185/24 by the Director of Vibrant Communities and Sustainable Growth and make a decision.

4. BACKGROUND

4.1 At the meeting of the Communities Committee on 11 June 2024, Report No 185/24 entitled "Housing Service Improvement Plan 2024-2025" by the Director of Vibrant Communities and Sustainable Growth was an item of business on the agenda. A copy of the Report is attached as an Appendix to this Report.

The recommendations of the Report were that the Communities Committee: -

- (i) approves the Housing Service Improvement Plan 2024-25 (Appendix 1), noting that a longer-term improvement plan will be developed by the end of this financial year; and
- (ii) approves the proposed governance and reporting arrangements (Appendix 1).
- 4.2 At the meeting, the Communities Committee unanimously agreed to defer the matter to Council.

5. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

5.1 The financial implications of agreeing to the recommendations of Report 185/24 are detailed in that Report.

6. EQUALITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT, HUMAN RIGHTS AND FAIRER SCOTLAND DUTY

6.1 An Equality Impact Assessment has been carried out and is attached to Report 185/24

NOTE: No background papers, as detailed by Section 50D of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 (other than any containing confidential or exempt information) were relied on to a material extent in preparing the above report.

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