County Council

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Durham County Council

Review of the Corporate Management Team

Report of Terry Collins, Chief Executive Councillor Simon Henig, Leader of Durham County Council

Purpose of the Report

1 To advise Council of the proposals by the Chief Executive for a new structure for the Corporate Management Team

Background

- 2 Following taking up the post of Chief Executive in February 2016, Terry Collins has been consulting with current members of the Corporate Management Team on an appropriate structure for the team going forwards.
- 3 He has also considered new developments, including the retirements of Don McLure, the Corporate Director of Resources, and Anna Lynch, the Director of Public Health. The Chief Executive's appointment from within the Corporate Management Team also created a vacancy in the structure for the Corporate Director of Neighbourhood Services which was filled on an interim basis. In a more recent development, the Corporate Director for Children and Adults Services, Rachael Shimmin, has been offered the post of Chief Executive of Buckinghamshire County Council.
- 4 At the time of the circulation of the Agenda for this meeting, he is engaged in consultation with Members, and will be presenting to Council Members either before or at the meeting, a proposed new structure for the Corporate Management Team which he can recommend for Council approval.

Recommendation and reasons

5 Council will be asked to consider the recommendation of the Chief Executive for a new Corporate Management Team.

Appendix 1: Implications

Finance – will be provided where relevant in the report to be submitted to Council

Staffing – will be provided where relevant in the report to be submitted to Council

Risk – will be provided where relevant in the report to be submitted to Council

Equality and Diversity / Public Sector Equality Duty - will be provided where relevant in the report to be submitted to Council

Accommodation – will be provided where relevant in the report to be submitted to Council

Crime and Disorder - will be provided where relevant in the report to be submitted to Council

Human Rights – will be provided where relevant in the report to be submitted to Council

Procurement – will be provided where relevant in the report to be submitted to Council

Legal Implications - will be provided where relevant in the report to be submitted to Council