

Report to: Health and Wellbeing Board Date of Meeting: 19th February 2014

Subject: Sefton Strategy for Older Citizens 2014-16

Report of: Kevin Thorne

Wards Affected: ALL

Is this a Key Decision? No

Is it included in the Forward Plan? No

Exempt/Confidential No

Purpose/Summary

To receive the draft “Sefton Strategy for Older Citizens 2014-16” which has been prepared by the Sefton Partnership for Older Citizens

Recommendation(s)

1. That the Board approves the “Sefton Strategy for Older Citizens 2014-16”
2. That the Sefton Partnership for Older Citizens (SPOC) be asked to prepare an Action Plan; to monitor its implications; and to present regular progress reports to the Programme Group of the Health and Wellbeing Board.

How does the decision contribute to the Council’s Corporate Objectives?

	<u>Corporate Objective</u>	<u>Positive Impact</u>	<u>Neutral Impact</u>	<u>Negative Impact</u>
1	Creating a Learning Community	X		
2	Jobs and Prosperity	X		
3	Environmental Sustainability	X		
4	Health and Well-Being	X		
5	Children and Young People		X	
6	Creating Safe Communities	X		
7	Creating Inclusive Communities	X		
8	Improving the Quality of Council Services and Strengthening Local Democracy	X		

Reasons for the Recommendation:

In view of Sefton’s ageing population it is vital to make strategic plans to deal with its impact, and to develop a partnership approach from all agencies and service providers.

What will it cost and how will it be financed?

The report sets out strategic plans and aspirations, and its approval does not in itself have cost implications.

Implications:

Legal		
None		
Human Resources		
None		
Equality		
1.	No Equality Implication	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2.	Equality Implications identified and mitigated	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.	Equality Implication identified and risk remains	<input type="checkbox"/>

Impact on Service Delivery:

If the objectives in the strategy are achieved, the delivery of services to Sefton’s older population will be significantly improved.

What consultations have taken place on the proposals and when?

The Head of Corporate Finance and ICT has no comments on this report because the contents of the report have no direct financial implications for the Council (FD2797/13)

The Head of Corporate Legal Services has been consulted and has no comments on the report (LD 2103/14)

The draft strategy was considered in detail by the 3 Older Peoples Forums in Sefton during September and October; and was circulated widely for comments to Council Officers, the E-Consult Panel and the Sefton CCG’s ‘Big Chat’ circulation list.

Are there any other options available for consideration?

No alternative options have been considered.

Implementation Date for the Decision

Immediately following the Health and Wellbeing Board meeting.

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Background Papers:

The draft strategy is attached to this report.