Subject: Social Care, Health and Housing Overview and Scrutiny Committee comments on Local Welfare Provision

The Social Care, Health and Housing Overview and Scrutiny Committee considered the report relating to the local welfare provision scheme at their meeting on 29 January 2013. In addition to requesting that a 6-month progress report be provided to the Committee, Members drew specific attention to the financial risks of implementing the local welfare provision scheme and the present funding shortfall. It was recommended to Executive:-

1. that the Committee endorses the recommendations as set out in the Executive report subject to the delegation of responsibility to the Director of Social Care, Health and Housing in consultation with the Executive Member for Social Care, Health and Housing to make any amendments to the Local Welfare Provision Scheme.