

CORPORATE POLICY AND PERFORMANCE COMMITTEE

29 NOVEMBER 2011

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APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO THE OLDER PEOPLE'S ADVISORY GROUP – CG/12/114

1. With reference to article 4 of the minute of its previous meeting, the Committee had before it a report by the Director of Corporate Governance which requested that a decision be taken with regard to the remaining place on the Older People's Advisory Group as a result of the Liberal Democrat Group not wishing to take up their place on the Group at this time.

The report recommended:-
that Committee:-

- (a) keep the remaining place as a vacancy; or
- (b) suspend Standing Order 22(2) to revoke the decision taken in relation to the composition of the Older People's Advisory Group at the last meeting of the Committee, and appoint a member from another Group to take up the fifth place.

The Committee resolved:-

- (i) to instruct the Convener to write to Councillor Malone, Lead of the Liberal Democrats, reminding Councillor Malone that Council only operates successfully on the good will of all Councillors taking up positions on outside bodies and working groups, thus sharing the workload;
- (ii) to ask Councillor Malone to reconsider her Group's position and to appoint a Liberal Democrat Councillor to the Older People's Advisory Group; and
- (iii) to move this matter to full Council on 19 December 2012 for further consideration.