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SIGNING OF S75 AGREEMENT FOR THE BETTER CARE FUND 2017-19

Purpose of Report

To recommend the signing of a refreshed s75 agreement, underpinning the Better Care Fund 2017-19, which outlines how funding pooled between Wiltshire Council and Wiltshire Clinical Commissioning Group will be managed.

Consultation

The s75 agreement for the Better Care Fund 2017-19 was considered by the Wiltshire Health and Wellbeing Board, which brings together system leaders of health and social care, at its meeting of 25 January 2018. The Board gave strategic approval to the document.

The document has been developed collaboratively between officers of the council and CCG and rolls forward arrangements that have been in place in previous years.

Options Considered

- a) Sign the s75 agreement
- b) Not sign the s75 agreement
- c) Sign the s75 agreement with amendments

Reason for Decision

The s75 agreement underpins the delivery of schemes in the Better Care Fund. It provides ongoing financial certainty to Wiltshire Council and CCG now that the Better Care Plan 2017-19 has been approved by NHS England (December 2017).

DECISION MADE

This decision was published on 8 March 2018 and will come into force on 16 March 2018.

The following supporting documents are attached:

- Report_L_01_18_BetterCareFundAgreement
- Report_L_01_18_BetterCareFundAgreement_Appx1
- Report_L_01_18_BetterCareFundAgreement_Appx2

Date:8 March 2018..... Signed.....

Cllr Baroness Scott of Bybrook OBE
Leader of the Council