

DECISION-MAKER:	SCRUTINY INQUIRY PANEL		
SUBJECT:	COMBATING LONELINESS IN SOUTHAMPTON – DRAFT FINAL REPORT		
DATE OF DECISION:	02 MARCH 2017		
REPORT OF:	SERVICE DIRECTOR – LEGAL AND GOVERNANCE		
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STATEMENT OF CONFIDENTIALITY	
None	
BRIEF SUMMARY	
At the concluding meeting of the Combating Loneliness Inquiry, the Panel are requested to discuss, amend and approve a final version of the draft report attached as Appendix 1.	
RECOMMENDATIONS:	
(i)	That the Panel discuss, amend and agree a final version of the draft final report attached as Appendix 1.
(ii)	That, to enable the comments made by Panel members at the meeting to be incorporated into the final report, authority be delegated to the Service Director, Legal and Governance to amend the final report, following consultation with the Chair of the Panel.
(iii)	That the Chair of the Inquiry Panel presents the final report to the Overview and Scrutiny Management Committee on 16 March 2017.
REASONS FOR REPORT RECOMMENDATIONS	
1.	To enable a final report to be presented to the Overview and Scrutiny Management Committee (OSMC) for consideration at the 16 March meeting.
ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND REJECTED	
2.	None.
DETAIL (Including consultation carried out)	
3.	The Inquiry Panel undertook the inquiry over 5 evidence gathering meetings and received information from a wide variety of organisations. This included health professionals, charitable and voluntary organisations, volunteers, commissioners, academics and lonely residents in receipt of support.
4.	The draft conclusions and recommendations, contained within Appendix 1, have been sent to key stakeholders who provided evidence to the Inquiry. Comments generated from this consultation process will be reported to the Panel at the meeting.
5.	The Panel is now invited to consider the attached draft document and

	comments from stakeholders and approve a final report for submission to the OSMC in March 2017.	
RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS		
<u>Capital/Revenue</u>		
6.	In practice any future resource implications arising from this review will be dependent upon whether, and how, each individual recommendations within the Inquiry report are progressed by the Executive. More detailed work will need to be undertaken by the Executive in considering its response to each of the recommendations set out in the Inquiry report.	
<u>Property/Other</u>		
7.	None.	
LEGAL IMPLICATIONS		
<u>Statutory power to undertake proposals in the report:</u>		
8.	The duty to undertake overview and scrutiny is set out in Part 1A Section 9 of the Local Government Act 2000.	
<u>Other Legal Implications:</u>		
9.	None	
POLICY FRAMEWORK IMPLICATIONS		
10.	None	
KEY DECISION?		No
WARDS/COMMUNITIES AFFECTED:		None directly as a result of this report
<u>SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION</u>		
Appendices		
1.	Combating Loneliness in Southampton – Draft Final Report	
Documents In Members' Rooms		
1.	None	
Equality Impact Assessment		
Do the implications/subject of the report require an Equality and Safety Impact Assessments (ESIA) to be carried out.		No
Privacy Impact Assessment		
Do the implications/subject of the report require a Privacy Impact Assessment (PIA) to be carried out.		No
Other Background Documents		
Title of Background Paper(s)		Relevant Paragraph of the Access to Information Procedure Rules / Schedule 12A allowing document to be Exempt/Confidential (if applicable)
1.	None	