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## Social Care System Replacement

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### 1.0 SUMMARY

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to seek authority for the Director of Adult Services to enter into negotiations and to award a contract for a replacement Adult and Children's Social Care IT system. Previous reports to Cabinet on 27th April 2016 agreed relevant funding for the project following which a procurement exercise identified a preferred bidder.
- 1.2 The replacement of a Social Care System was subsequently incorporated into the Digital Transformation Programme report that was submitted to and approved by Council on 21<sup>st</sup> July 2016.

### 2.0 SELECTING THE PREFERRED SUPPLIER

- 2.1 The requirements for a replacement Adults and Children's Social Care system were determined through engagement with officers from
- Adult Care team
  - Children's Care team
  - Finance
  - IT
  - Performance Management
  - Governance
  - Audit
- 2.2 These requirements included the functionality to enable on-going care provision within Adult and Children's services together with non-functional requirements to support such provision and supplier support arrangements.
- 2.3 The requirements of the solution were documented in an ITT (Invitation to Tender) document and placed on the Crown Commercial Services framework.
- 2.4 The evaluations are weighted across four criteria based upon factors agreed by the project team and evaluators.

### 3.0 RECOMMENDATION

3.1 It is therefore recommended that:

3.1.1 Authority is delegated to the Director of Adult Social Care in consultation with the Portfolio Holder for Corporate Support to negotiate and agree a contract with the identified preferred Social Care IT System provider, within the agreed budget for this system as set in the above mentioned Cabinet and Council reports.

<b>List of Background Papers (This MUST be completed for all reports, but does not include items containing exempt or confidential information)</b>
<b>Cabinet Member (Portfolio Holder):</b> Councillor Michael Wood
<b>Local Member:</b>
<b>Appendices:</b> None