Cover Report - Universal Credit and other welfare benefit changes: likely favourable and adverse impacts, risks and local partnership response

Committee name	Social Care, Housing and Public Health Policy Overview Committee
Officer reporting	Debbie Weller, Policy and Strategy Manager (Housing)
Papers with report	Scoping Report - Universal Credit and other welfare benefit changes: likely favourable and adverse impacts, risks and local partnership response
Ward	All

HEADLINES

To receive the draft scoping report on the proposed review topic.

RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Committee:

- 1. Gives consideration to the detail contained in the draft scoping report and makes comments and suggestions on the detail contained within.
- 2. Requests clarification and further information from officers.
- 3. Agrees the report title, scoping report and the witnesses that will be required for the Committee to conduct its review.

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Following discussion at the June 2018 meeting of the Committee, it was agreed that officers would produce a scoping report for consideration at the July 2018 meeting.

Subject to the agreement of the Committee, officers will make arrangements for witness sessions to be held at the September 2018, October 2018, November 2018 and January 2019 Committee meetings. This will be followed by presentation of the draft final report at the February 2019 meeting.

Implications on related Council policies

Policy Overview Committees are at the heart of how the Council shapes policy at Member level.

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How this report benefits Hillingdon residents

Policy Overview Committees directly engage residents in shaping policy and recommendations from the Committees seek to improve the way the Council provides services to residents.

Financial Implications

None at this stage.

Legal Implications

None at this stage.

BACKGROUND PAPERS

See Scoping Report.

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