

APPOINTMENT TO OTHER ORGANISATIONS 2019/20 - NON-EXECUTIVE

Council - 23 July 2019

Report of Chief Officer Corporate Services

Status: For Consideration

Key Decision: No

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Recommendation: That the appointment of Cllr Harrison to the Dartford & Gravesham NHS Trust Stakeholder Council, be agreed.

Introduction

- 1 It is the responsibility of the Annual Meeting of the Council to confirm the Council's non-executive appointments to other organisations which took place on 21 May 2019.
- 2 Unfortunately an administration error omitted Cllr Lynda Harrison's name as an appointee to the Dartford & Gravesham NHS Trust Stakeholder Council along with Cllr Glynnis Darrington, which this report seeks to rectify.

Key Implications

Financial

Attendance at meetings of Outside Bodies to which an Elected Member has been appointed by the Council constitutes an approved duty and there are costs involved.

Legal Implications and Risk Assessment Statement.

Appointments to represent the Council on outside bodies are made in accordance with s.111 Local Government Act 1972 where the Council is satisfied that such appointments are necessary to, conducive to, or calculated to facilitate the discharge of their statutory functions. In not appointing to those Outside Bodies listed within the Appendix, there is a risk that the Council's designated representation on such organisations would not be fulfilled.

Equality Impacts

The decisions recommended through this paper have a remote or low relevance to the substance of the Equality Act. There is no perceived impact on end users.

Conclusion

Members are requested to consider and approve the appointment.

Appendices None

Background documents None

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