



CABINET – 4TH JUNE 2014

SUBJECT: THE WITHDRAWAL OF INCENTIVE PAYMENTS TO SERVICE USERS WITH LEARNING DISABILITIES WITHIN COMMUNITY SUPPORT SERVICES

REPORT BY: ACTING DIRECTOR OF CORPORATE SERVICES AND SECTION 151 OFFICER

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- 1.1 The attached report was considered by the Health Social Care and Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee on 13th May 2014.
 - 1.2 The report informed Members of the current position in Community Support Services in relation to incentive payments made to service users and sought their views on the proposal to withdraw incentive payments and make a one off payment to the establishments concerned, prior to the report being submitted to Cabinet for approval.
 - 1.3 During the course of the debate appreciation was expressed of the work undertaken by Caerphilly People First in relation to this matter. It was moved and seconded that the recommendations in the report be approved. By a show of hands this was endorsed by the majority of Members present.
 - 1.4 Members are therefore asked to consider the following recommendations: -
 1. To approve the proposal to withdraw incentive payments for the reasons set out in the report.
 2. To approve the proposal for a one off payment of £100 to be made to each of the establishments concerned for 2014/15.

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Appendix 1: Report to Health Social Care and Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee on 13th May 2014 – Agenda item 7(2)