Cabinet

20 October 2020

COVID-19 Response: update

Report by the Chief Executive

Electoral division(s): all

Summary

Attached at the Appendix is an update on West Sussex County Council's continued response to the COVID-19 pandemic, providing information on cases in West Sussex, local outbreak management, the re-opening of schools and other priority issues.

West Sussex County Council is ensuring the ongoing COVID-19 response is managed in an integrated way with the other challenges potentially facing the authority and its partners over the next few months. A verbal update will be provided at the meeting to ensure an up-to-date picture is provided given the fast-moving nature of current events.

Recommendation

(1) Cabinet is asked to consider and comment on the Council's response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Proposal

1 Proposal details

1.1 The details of this item for consideration are set out in the attached Appendix.

2 Resource/risk implications

- 2.1 The resource implications of the COVID-19 emergency response continue to be assessed. There are significant risk implications.
- 2.2 Decisions required to address COVID-19 include assessments in accordance with Council policy and the statutory framework of duties and responsibilities including those relating to Equality, Human Rights, Social Value, Sustainability and Crime and Disorder Reduction implications.

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Chief Executive

Appendix A - West Sussex COVID-19 response - update