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Via email to Pieter Montyn, Chairman, Performance & Finance Scrutiny Committee.

Dear Pieter,

Recommendations from Performance & Finance Scrutiny Committee 1 November 2021

At its meeting on 1 November 2021, the Performance & Finance Scrutiny Committee requested that the Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny review the cost implications of delayed discharges from hospital for both this Council and the NHS, and to review the continuing pressures experienced in the social care market.

The Committee's Business Planning Group received an update on this subject at its meeting on 14 December 2021. Members understood that this was a resource rather than financial issue at present, and they recognised the current pressures given the age profile of the county and workforce issues. However, it was felt that the longer-term implications of this needed further reflection, in the Summer of 2022. Therefore the Business Planning Group was satisfied with the update, but requested to be kept informed at a later date.

Yours sincerely

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