

West Sussex County Council

Proposed Executive Decision for **30 April 2019** call-in deadline **5 p.m. on 10 May 2019**

The following proposed decision has been endorsed by the Cabinet Member and will come into effect at the end of the call-in period unless the call-in procedure is activated.

Decision Title & Ref No:	Community Based Social Support AH2 19/20
Cabinet Member responsible for Decision	Mrs Jupp - Cabinet Member for Adults and Health
West Sussex Plan priority	A Safe Strong Sustainable Place
Electoral Divisions	All Divisions
Key Decision	Yes
Purpose	<p>This report seeks to begin a procurement process in June 2019 leading to the award of contracts for the provision of community based social support for people with lifelong disabilities, autism and/or complex needs.</p> <p>The current contractual arrangements expire on 31st March 2020 and have a combined value of £1.2m per annum.</p> <p>The Council is the lead commissioner of adult learning disability (LD) services under the terms of a Section 75 agreement between the Council and the three West Sussex Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs). For 2019-20 the LD pooled budget is £100m, of which the Council funds 81.45% and West Sussex CCGs fund 18.55%.</p>
Decision	<p>The Cabinet Member for Adults and Health has approved:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1) the commencement of a competitive procurement exercise to secure the community based social support services specified in Section 2 of this report;2) the new contracts will commence on 1st April 2020 for a period of 3 years with the option to extend for a further 4 further years to a maximum period of 7 years; and3) the delegation of authority to the Director of Adults' Services to award the contracts to the successful bidder(s).
Interest and nature of interest declared	None.
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Background Papers	See report for details

