### NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

## **DECISION SHEET**

Meeting of the Joint Staff Consultative Committee held in the To be advised on Wednesday, 9th March, 2022 at 10.00 am

## 1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from UNISON representative Dee Levett.

## 2 MINUTES - 15 DECEMBER 2021

IT WAS AGREED: That the Minutes of the Meeting of the Committee held on 15 December 2021 be approved as a true record of the proceedings and be signed by the Chair.

#### 3 CHAIR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

- (1) The Chair welcomed those present at the meeting;
- (2) The Chair advised that, in accordance with Council Policy, the meeting would be audio recorded and live streamed to the Council's Youtube channel;
- (3) The Chair drew attention to the item on the agenda front pages regarding Declarations of Interest and reminded Members that, in line with the Code of Conduct, and Declarations of Interest needed to be declared immediately prior to the item in question.

#### 4 STAFF CONSULTATION FORUM

IT WAS AGREED: That the minutes of the Staff Consultation Committee held in December 2021, January, February 2022 be noted.

**REASON FOR DECISION:** To enable the Joint Staff Consultative Committee to consider any issues addressed by the Staff Consultation Forum.

## 5 INFORMATION NOTE - HR UPDATE

IT WAS AGREED: That the Information Note entitled HR Update be noted.

**REASON FOR DECISION:** To enable the Committee to consider the Information Note entitled HR Update.

## 6 INFORMATION NOTE - EQUALITIES UPDATE MARCH 2022

IT WAS AGREED: That the Information Note entitled Equalities Update March 2022 be noted.

**REASON FOR DECISION:** To enable the Committee to consider the Information Note entitled Equalities Update March 2022.

## 7 STRATEGIC DISCUSSION PAPER

IT WAS AGREED: That the Strategic Discussion Paper on the employer's role in keeping staff healthy be noted.

**REASON FOR DECISION:** To enable the Committee to consider the discussion paper on the employer's role in keeping staff healthy.

# 8 FUTURE DISCUSSION TOPICS

Members considered which subjects should be discussed at future meetings and

IT WAS AGREED: That officers should continue to update the Committee on the work of the COVID Recovery Plan, and should be presented at the first Committee meeting of the new civic year.