Part I For Decision

WELWYN HATFIELD BOROUGH COUNCIL CABINET – 9 JANUARY 2017

Recommendations from the Social Overview and Scrutiny Committee on 22 November 2017:-

Members received a report of the Executive Director (Housing and Communities) which proposed a revised Equality Policy for Welwyn Hatfield Borough Council. The Policy met the requirements of the Equality Act 2010 and has been developed by the Council's New Equality Steering Group, which was set up following the reintegration of the Housing Service back into the Council.

Members were advised that once the Policy has been approved it will replace the Council and Housing Trust's respective Equality and Diversity Policies and reflect the five refreshed equality objectives agreed by the new Equality Steering Group. A presentation headed 'Embedding equality in our Council' supplemented the report.

Members

RESOLVED:

That the Committee endorses the new Equality Policy and recommends its approval to Cabinet.