

**REPORT OF THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE****RECOGNITION OF MEMBERS AND OFFICERS OF GROUPS****Purpose of the Report**

1. To report details of the current membership of the political Groups of the Council, together with the names of officers appointed within the Groups

**Information**

2. The Constitution requires the membership of political Groups of the Council and their Leader, Deputy Leader and Business Manager (officers of the Groups) to be noted at the Annual Meeting.
3. There are currently three political Groups on the Council, which are:-
  - the Nottinghamshire County Council Conservatives and Mansfield Independent Group
  - the Nottinghamshire County Labour Group
  - the Ashfield Independents Group
4. In addition to the three Groups detailed within this report, there are two non-aligned County Councillors who are not part of any political Group of the Council. These are Councillor Steve Carr (Liberal Democrats) and Councillor Maureen Dobson.
5. The membership of each Group is set out in Appendix A along with the officers of each Group (Leader, Deputy Leader and Business Manager).
6. There has been no change to the membership of the Groups since the last report to Full Council on 13<sup>th</sup> December 2018.
7. There is a statutory requirement for seats on Committees and Sub-Committees to be allocated to the political groups in a way which reflects the overall balance of the Council. Details of these are dealt with elsewhere in the agenda.

**Other Options Considered**

8. None, it is a requirement of the Constitution to report annually to Full Council

**Reason for Recommendations**

9. It is necessary for Council to note the political Groups on the Council and their Officers.

## **Statutory and Policy Implications**

10. This report has been compiled after consideration of implications in respect of crime and disorder, data protection and information governance finance, human resources, human rights, the NHS Constitution (public health services), the public sector equality duty, safeguarding of children and adults at risk, service users, smarter working, sustainability and the environment and where such implications are material they are described below. Appropriate consultation has been undertaken and advice sought on these issues as required.

## **RECOMMENDATION/S**

- 1) That the membership of the political groups be noted
- 2) That the Officers of the Groups be noted.

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### **Constitutional Comments (SLB 03/05/2019)**

11. Full Council is the appropriate body to consider the content of this report.

### **Financial Comments (SES 07/05/2019)**

12. There are no specific financial implications arising directly from this report.

## **Background Papers and Published Documents**

Except for previously published documents, which will be available elsewhere, the documents listed here will be available for inspection in accordance with Section 100D of the Local Government Act 1972.

- None

## **Electoral Division(s) and Member(s) Affected**

- All