

REPORT OF THE LEADER OF THE COUNCIL

THE NATIONAL REHABILITATION CENTRE - UPDATE

Purpose of the Report

1. To provide members with an update on the ongoing development of the new National Rehabilitation Centre (NRC).

Information and Advice

2. The National Rehabilitation Centre is being developed at the Stanford Hall Rehabilitation Estate near Loughborough with the opening planned for Summer 2024. Nottingham University Hospitals Trust is the NHS sponsor and leads the NRC Programme.
3. The Council's Chief Executive is a member of the NRC Programme Group, representing the County Council and the Midlands Engine.
4. The Programme Director for the Centre, Miriam Duffy, provided an introduction to the NRC at the Policy Committee meeting of 30th September 2020 and will attend this meeting remotely to outline the latest update with progress (see **Appendix**) and to respond to Members' queries.

Other Options Considered

5. None – the Committee has previously agreed to receive updates on the Centre.

Reason/s for Recommendation/s

6. To update Members on this new programme and underline the Council's support for the development of this national facility.

Statutory and Policy Implications

7. 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.

Financial Implications

8. There are no direct financial implications arising from this report.

RECOMMENDATION/S

- 1) That Members consider the latest update and decide whether any further information is required at this stage.
- 2) That the Committee welcomes the ongoing progress with the development of the Centre and supports the revised timetable.
- 3) That a further update report be provided to a future meeting of Policy Committee.

Leader of the Council

For any enquiries about this report please contact:

Miriam Duffy, NRC Programme Director

Constitutional Comments (KK 06/07/2021)

9. Policy Committee is the appropriate body to consider the content of the report. If Committee resolves that any actions are required it must be satisfied that such actions are within the Committee's terms of reference.

Financial Comments (SES 06/07/2021)

10. 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