

meeting ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

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REFERRAL FROM THE HEALTH SELECT COMMITTEE

Sherwood Forest NHS Trust – Appointment of Project Board Member

1. Purpose of report

1.1 To consider appointing a member to the Sherwood Forest Hospitals Trust Project Board for their Foundation Status application.

2. Background

2.1 Following the award of 3 star status, Sherwood Forest Hospitals Trust has decided to apply for Foundation Status. The aim is to become a Foundation Trust by 2006. After a presentation to the Health Select Committee on its proposal at its meeting on 1st March 2005, a letter was received from Brian Meakin, Chairman seeking a board member from the County Council for the Foundation bid project. The Health Select Committee at its meeting on 11th July 2005 considered this request and suggested that subject to the approval of the Administration Committee Councillor John Allin be appointed as the representative on the Project Board.

3. Recommendation

3.1 That Councillor John Allin be appointed as the representative on the Foundation Status Project Board of Sherwood Forest Hospitals Trust.

4. <u>Legal Services' Comments (KK)</u>

4.1

The Administration Committee is responsible for appointments to outside bodies, relating to functions of Council. The proposal in this report is therefore within the remit of this Committee.

5 <u>Director of Resources Financial Comments</u> (MB)

5.1 There are no specific financial implications arising from the report.

6. <u>Background Papers Available for Inspection</u>

6.1 Letter dated 22nd March 2005 from Chairman of Sherwood Forest Hospitals Trust to Mr A McGrady.

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