

LEAD MEMBER FOR ADULT SOCIAL CARE

DECISIONS made by the Lead Member for Adult Social Care, Councillor Bill Bentley, on 31 March 2016 at County Hall, Lewes

Councillors David Elkin and John Ungar spoke on item 4 (see minute 11)

10 DECISIONS MADE BY THE LEAD MEMBER ON 18 JANUARY 2016

10.1 The Lead Member for Adult Social Care approved as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 18 January 2016.

11 CONSULTATION IN RELATION TO CHARGING FOR LEARNING DISABILITY COMMUNITY SUPPORT SERVICES

11.1 The Lead Member for Adult Social Care considered a report by the Director of Adult Social Care & Health regarding the consultation in relation to charging for the Learning Disability Community Support Service.

11.2 The Lead Member for Adult Social Care RESOLVED to:

- 1) note the feedback that had been received as part of the consultation process which sought comments and views about whether the Council should charge for the Learning Disability Community Support Service; and
- 2) introduce charges for the Learning Disability Community Support Service from 1 July 2016.

Reason

Under the "Charging for Care and Support Policy", which outlines government legislation and guidance about how care charges should be determined, the service should be chargeable, so the key reasons for the change are that it is fair and equitable under the charging policy.