# KENT COUNTY COUNCIL - PROPOSED RECORD OF DECISION

### **DECISION TO BE TAKEN BY:**

Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care **DECISION NO:** 17/00112

## For publication

## Key

Affects more than 2 Electoral Divisions

# Subject: The Future of the Independent Living Service

**Decision:** As Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care, I propose, subject to the outcome of formal consultation to

- a) REPROVIDE the Independent Living Service through alternative services to meet the current assessed need for those individuals who currently access the service; and
- **b) DELEGATE** authority to the Corporate Director of Adult Social Care, or other nominated officer, to undertake the necessary actions to implement the decision

**Reason(s) for decision:** Supports the strategic statement to improve lives by ensuring every pound spent is delivering better outcomes for Kent' residents, communities and businesses and the strategic outcome that older and vulnerable residents are safe and supported with choices to live independently.

### **Financial Implications:**

There would be no direct savings from within in-house provision. All potential savings would be from Commissioning budgets and will be integral to the wider transformation savings targets in the division.

### Legal Implications:

There are no legal implications with the proposed decision

### **Equality Implications:**

An Equality Impact Assessment has been completed.

Cabinet Committee recommendations and other consultation: The proposed decision will be discussed at the Adult Social Care Cabinet Committee on 23 November 2017 and the outcome included in the paperwork which the Cabinet Member will be asked to sign.

### Any alternatives considered:

None

Any interest declared when the decision was taken and any dispensation granted by the Proper Officer:

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