Chief Executives' Group – North Yorkshire and York 6 September 2018 Future meetings of the group

1 Purpose of the Report

The report proposes

- a strategic priority discussion on housing and homelessness at November meeting of the group
- dates for meetings in 2019, based on feedback from members of the group

2 Strategic priority: housing and homelessness

2.1 It was agreed at the February 2018 meeting of the group that housing and homelessness would be discussed at a future meeting of the group. This was one of a number of strategic priorities identified through engagement with members of the group and other strategic partnership leads.

Aspects of housing which were particularly mentioned in feedback were:

- affordability
- key role in supporting economic growth and health
- major developments
- local plan delivery performance
- supported housing
- preventing homelessness
- ensuring we attract and make maximum use of external funding opportunities (including Community Housing Funds)
- 2.2 The Chief Executives' Group is asked to support the proposal for a discussion on this priority at the November 2018 meeting, and to agree a group (for example, the chief housing officer group) to prepare and lead this discussion

3 Proposed meeting dates - for discussion

- 3.1 Recently members of the group were asked for availability in relation to meeting dates, with the view to not always having meetings of the group on a Thursday afternoon. In order to influence and support the agenda of LGNYY meetings the Chief Executives' Group meetings are held approximately one month before a scheduled meeting of LGNYY.
- 3.2 Unfortunately no one day or time was best for all members of the group who responded so it is suggested that the following dates are scheduled which spread the meetings across different days and times:
 - Thursday 7 February 2019 2pm 4pm (already scheduled)
 - Monday 3 June 2019 2pm 4pm
 - Wednesday 4 September 2019 10am 12noon
 - Friday 8 November 2019 10am 12noon

3 Recommendations

- 3.1 The Group is recommended to support the proposed discussion on housing at the November meeting and to agree a group (for example, the chief housing officer group) to prepare and lead this discussion
- 3.2 The Group is recommended to consider the proposed dates for meetings in 2019.

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