

## **Report to Cabinet**

**Subject:** Changes to Outside Body Representation  
**Date:** 19 December 2013  
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### **Wards Affected**

Borough-wide

### **Purpose**

To enable Cabinet to authorise Gedling Borough Council's representation on the Nottinghamshire Health and Wellbeing Board.

### **Key Decision**

This is not a Key Decision.

### **Background**

- 1.1 The Chief Executive has received a letter from Councillor Joyce Bosnjak, Chair of the County's Health and Wellbeing Board, seeking nominations from each district Council to the Board. In the letter it was explained that the membership of the Board is being extended to all district councils to raise the profile of the Board's work.
- 1.2 This Council has been invited to nominate one representative and one substitute representative to the Board. Once these nominations are received the County Council will then formally make the appointment at its next Council meeting.

### **Proposal**

- 2.1 It is proposed that Councillor Jenny Hollingsworth be nominated as the Council's representative with Councillor John Clarke as the substitute member.

### **Alternative Options**

- 3.1 Not to appoint a representative to the Health and Wellbeing Board. This would exclude the Council from an important strategic meeting.
- 3.1 To appoint an alternative representative to the Board.

### **Financial Implications**

- 4 There are no financial implications associated with this report.
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## **Appendices**

5 None.

## **Background Papers**

6 None identified.

## **Recommendation**

### **THAT:**

Councillor Jenny Hollingsworth is appointed as Gedling Borough Council's representative on the Nottinghamshire Health and Wellbeing Board with Councillor John Clarke to act as substitute member.

## **Reason for Recommendations**

7 To ensure that the Council continues to be represented on outside bodies that are considered important to the Borough and its residents.