

**Open Report on behalf of Dr Tony Hill,
Executive Director of Community Wellbeing and Public Health**

Report to:	Community & Public Safety Scrutiny Committee
Date:	09 March 2016
Subject:	The Future Shape of the Coroners Service

Summary:

This item invites the Community & Public Safety Scrutiny Committee to consider a report on the Future Shape of the Coroners Service which is due to be considered by the Executive on 5 April 2016. The views of the Scrutiny Committee will be reported to the Executive, as part of its consideration of this item.

Recommendation(s):

- (1) To consider the attached report and to determine whether the Committee supports the recommendation(s) to the Executive set out in the report.
- (2) To agree any additional comments to be passed to the Executive in relation to this item.

1. Background

The Executive is due to consider the report on the Future Shape of Coroners Service on 5 April 2016. The full report to the Executive is attached at Appendix A to this report.

2. Conclusion

Following consideration of the attached report, the Committee is requested to consider whether it supports the recommendations in the report and whether it wishes to make any additional comments to the Executive. The Committee's views will be reported to the Executive.

3. Consultation

a) Policy Proofing Actions Required

Not applicable.

4. Appendices

These are listed below and attached at the back of the report	
Appendix A	The Future Shape of the Coroners Service

5. Background Papers

No background papers within Section 100D of the Local Government Act 1972 were used in the preparation of this report.

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