

**Open Report on behalf of the Director of Children's Services**

Report to:	<b>Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee</b>
Date:	<b>20 April 2012</b>
Subject:	<b>Child Poverty Strategy and Action Plan</b>

**Summary:**

This item invites the Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee to consider a report on the Child Poverty Strategy and Action Plan, which is due to be considered by the Executive on 1 May 2012. The views of the Scrutiny Committee will be reported to the Executive, as part of its consideration of this item.

**Actions Required:**

- (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 Child Poverty Strategy and Action Plan on 1 May 2012. 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	Report and Appendices to the Executive

#### **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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