

**ANGUS COUNCIL**

**COMMUNITIES COMMITTEE – 14 JANUARY 2020**

**INFORMATION REPORT FOR THE PERIOD – 13 NOVEMBER 2019 TO 14 JANUARY 2020**

**REPORT BY DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITIES**

**ABSTRACT**

This Report provides information to members with regard to services in the Communities Directorate, albeit that a decision is not required in terms of the current Scheme of Delegation to Officers and the Order of Reference of Committees.

**1. BACKGROUND**

- 1.1 Angus Council, at a special meeting on 19 November 2013, took a number of decisions which changed the way the Council conducted its committee business. Fundamental to this was the streamlining of processes with a focus on key strategy and policy matters.
- 1.2 One element of this was the production of “Information Reports”. These information reports summarise information that would in the past have gone to a council committee for “noting”.

The information attached to this report is in accordance with that principle.

**2. SIGNIFICANT INFORMATION - SCHEDULES**

- 2.1 There is 1 schedule which contains key background information related to services delivered for the above period. These are accessed via the Council's internet page.
- 2.2 Where there are references to other documents (eg: consultation documents/audit reports) that are associated with the relevant schedule, a link to that document has also been included.

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**List of Appendices:**

Schedule 1 – Introduction of the Deposit Return Scheme for Scotland