

Additional Item

14th November 2019



Glasgow City Council

Wellbeing, Empowerment, Community and Citizen Engagement
City Policy Committee

Report by Director of Governance and Solicitor to the Council

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MALE MENTAL HEALTH WORKING GROUP

Purpose of Report:

To seek approval for the establishment and Terms of Reference of a Male Mental Health Working Group as agreed by the Council.

Recommendations:

The committee is asked to approve

- (1) the arrangements for the establishment and Terms of Reference of the Male Mental Health Working Group;
- (2) the membership of the Group.

Ward No(s):

Citywide:

Local member(s) advised: Yes No consulted: Yes No

1 Background

- 1.1 It is proposed that a Male Mental Health Working Group be established in response to a motion approved by the Council on 31st October 2019. The full text of that motion is available at

<https://www.glasgow.gov.uk/councillorsandcommittees/viewSelectedDocument.asp?c=P62AFQDN0GZ3UTZLOG>

2 Terms of Reference

- 2.1 It is proposed that the Terms of Reference of the Group will be to establish how best the Council might support grass-roots and community efforts to look at mental health and related support services through the lens of combating toxic masculinity.

3 Timescale

- 3.1 The Council instructed that this working group report to the Wellbeing, Empowerment, Community and Citizen Engagement City Policy Committee by February 2020.

4 Membership

- 4.1 It proposed that membership of the Group will be as follows:-

Elected member representation:-

- 3 elected members appointed by the Administration, one of whom to be nominated as chair;
- 2 elected members appointed by the Majority Opposition Group; and
- 1 elected member appointed by each of the Minority Opposition Groups.

Officer representation:-

- Executive HR Manager (or representative)
- Interim Chief Officer, Glasgow City Health and Social Care Partnership (or representative)
- Other officers as required

5 Policy and Resource Implications

Resource Implications:

Financial: None at present

Legal: None

Personnel: None

Procurement: None

Council Strategic Plan: A Healthier City:

- Outcome: we have more sustainable, integrated transport networks across the city and less congestion

Priority No 44.

Equality and Socio-Economic Impacts:

Does the proposal support the Council's Equality Outcomes 2017-22 n/a

What are the potential equality impacts as a result of this report? n/a

Please highlight if the policy/proposal will help address socio economic disadvantage. n/a

Sustainability Impacts:

Environmental: None

Social, including opportunities under Article 20 of the European Public Procurement Directive: None

Economic: None

Privacy and Data Protection impacts: None identified

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