

**Meeting:** Cabinet

**Date:** 12 July 2022

**Wards affected:** All

**Report Title:** Adult Social Care - Annual Local Account 2021/22

**Is the decision a key decision?** No

**When does the decision need to be implemented?** For Information

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## 1. Purpose of Report

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- 1.1 The Government has asked that Local Accounts are put in place to offer councils the opportunity to share a common approach to the performance of adult social care. The Local Account for Adult Social Care sets out what we have achieved for local people in relation to adult social care by outlining our level of performance for last financial year and our commitment to future service delivery. It also outlines the details of our multi agency approach to adult safeguarding. This reflects the view of government that adult safeguarding as outlined in the Care Act, is on a statutory basis in the same manner that children's safeguarding is a statutory responsibility.

## 2. Reason for Proposal and its benefits

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- 2.1 The Local Account summary is a public facing document that offers everyone across Torbay the opportunity to reflect on and celebrate the achievements made in the preceding year.
- 2.2 The detailed contents consider service delivery primarily through the experience of people who have received and benefitted from social care interventions made possible via partnership working between statutory services, public and private providers and the VCSEs.

- 2.3 This is a Statutory Annual Report that also reflects how the Adult Social Services Directorate, delegated to TSDFT have performed against National and local KPIs.
- 2.4 Specific attention is given to how allocated funds have been spent to ensure value for money is achieved.

### 3. Recommendation(s) / Proposed Decision

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- (i) That the Local Account set out in Appendix 1 to the submitted report be approved
- (ii) To enable the Local Account to be published in accordance with Government requirements

#### **Appendices**

Appendix 1: The Local Account Summary 2020/21

#### **Background Documents**

None identified/required