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**Title: Social Affairs Thematic CPP Group**

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**1. SUMMARY**

- 1.1 The fourth Social Affairs Thematic CPP Group meeting was held on 9 August 2010.

**2. RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 2.1 Note progress in the development of the Social Affairs Thematic CPP scorecard.
- 2.2 Note that the group agreed to sign the proposed partnership agreement subject to some amendments.

**3. BACKGROUND**

- 3.1 The group considered a report providing an update on progress of the performance management arrangements for the Social Affairs Thematic CPP Group.

The Thematic Lead Officer also reported on background work currently being undertaken by the Council in respect of changes to the Pyramid system which will be rolled out over the next 2 to 3 weeks.

The group noted the details of these reports and agreed some changes to the scorecard which is likely to be further amended following feedback from the recent 'Forward Together' events.

- 3.2 The group considered a report outlining details of the integration of strategic partnerships and a proposed partnership agreement and agreed to sign the agreement subject to a couple of minor amendments.
- 3.3 The group noted progress on the pilot currently being undertaken to enable Partners to access the Council's performance management system, Pyramid and that 3 Argyll and Bute CHP representatives had access to it.

- 3.4** The group considered a report from NHS Highland which highlighted the type of work being undertaken by the Highland Improvement Planning and Performance Group (HIPAG) and agreed to request that HIPAG identify a measure which could be included in the groups' scorecard.

#### **4. CONCLUSION**

- 4.1** The group has made progress in taking forward the scorecard and the integration of strategic partnership arrangements.

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