

## **NORTH YORKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**

**18 May 2022**

**THIS STATEMENT COVERS THE PERIOD FROM THE MEETING OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL  
ON 16 FEBRUARY 2022 TO THE COUNTY COUNCIL ELECTIONS ON 5 MAY 2022**

### **STATEMENT OF THE CORPORATE AND PARTNERSHIPS OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN**

The Corporate and Partnership Overview and Scrutiny Committee has a remit that includes the following:

- The Council's corporate organisation and structure, resource allocation, asset management, procurement policy, people strategy, equality and diversity, performance management, communication and access to services
- Partnership working, community development, community engagement, community strategies and community safety
- This Committee is the Crime and Disorder Committee for the Council for the purposes of Part 3 of the Police and Justice Act 2006.

Since the Chairman's last statement to Council in February 2022, the Corporate and Partnership Overview and Scrutiny Committee has met once on 7 March 2022. The following items were discussed:

- Annual workforce update
- Corporate volunteering project update
- Update on Council Plan refresh.

There were in-depth discussions around the following:

- The support being given to staff in response to Covid-19 and the sickness absence rate associated with Covid-19
- The young people's employment initiative and apprenticeships
- Resourcing for the Council's Health and Adult Services, ongoing support for and intervention in the care market and recruitment of staff into care roles
- An overview of the impact of Covid-19 upon the number of people volunteering with Council services
- Amendments and updates to the Council Plan 2022/23.

It is anticipated that the committee work programme will be reviewed by the new committee when they first meet on 6 June 2022.

**COUNTY COUNCILLOR ANDY PARASKOS**  
**CHAIRMAN CORPORATE AND PARTNERSHIPS OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE**  
**3 May 2022**