Call In Request Form

Decision taken by: Cabinet * Please indicate Date of Decision...1 July 2014.

Title of agenda item/report Mountview Services Review item 11 agenda pages 99 to 102

Reason for Call In**

inadequate consultation relating to the decision

There was a consultation carried out and the results of the consultation were that Mountview should be kept open for dementia care and respite care. The current decision ignores the consultation results.

If it is claimed that the alternative provision provided is adequate and addresses concerns raised in the consultation then that should be the subject of further consultation.

relevant information not considered

a care home in Congleton has recently closed (I believe that this was as a result of Care Quality Commission activity). This will impact on the availability of care beds in Congleton and therefore this should be taken into account before deciding to cease respite care at Mountview.

At full Council Cllr Clowes said in response to a question about Mountview "We will take our lead from the coroner and the CQC"

Council was told that we would take our lead from the coroner and the CQC. Therefore no decision on the closure of Mountview for respite care should be taken until the coroner and/or CQC have reported.

The report from the coroner and CQC must be relevant information (as confirmed by Cllr Clowes at full council). Therefore by making the decision before the coroner has reported Cabinet is ignoring relevant information.

justification for the decision open to challenge on the basis of the evidence considered.

It is widely acknowledged that dementia care provision will have to increase as the number of dementia sufferers increases. Therefore the decision to cease respite care at Mountview before alternative provision in the area has expanded is perverse.

Call In Signatories (to be signed by 6 Members)

Signed Councillor Dorothy Flude Irene Faseyi

Signed Councillor Laura Jeuda Janet Jackson

Signed Councillor Steven Hogben Sam Corcoran

Date of call in Notice 9/7/2014.....

**The Call-in rules as set out in the constitution stipulate that any 6 or more Members of the Council may submit a call-in notice in writing within 5 days of the decision being taken and recorded. In giving reasons for the call in, Members should consider the following criteria:

- (1) Decision is taken outside the policy/budgetary framework
- (2) Inadequate consultation relating to the decision
- (3) Relevant information not considered
- (4) Viable alternatives not considered
- (5) Justification for the decision open to challenge on the basis of the evidence considered

Head of legal Services and Monitoring Officer Signature