

FC39. Annual Report of the Chief Social Work Officer 2018/19

Council considered a report by the Chief Social Work Officer providing an overview of how the statutory responsibilities had been fulfilled by the Chief Social Work Officer (CSWO) during 2018/19, CSWO's were required to submit an annual report in accordance with Scottish Government guidance.

The report provided information on:-

- Summary of Performance
- Partnership Working
- Social Services Delivery Landscape
- Finance and Resources
- Service Quality and Performance including delivery of statutory functions
- Workforce Planning and Development
- Good Practice Examples

Decision

Council:-

- (1) noted the contents of the CSWO's Annual Report, which is attached at Appendix 1;**
- (2) agreed to its onward submission to Scottish Government and the Integration Joint Board, and**
- (3) acknowledged the commitment, skills and experience of Social Work staff in continuing to deliver high quality services to Falkirk citizens.**