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Report of the Interim Chief Executive of Peterborough and Stamford Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

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PETERBOROUGH AND STAMFORD HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

1. PURPOSE

- 1.1 At the request of the Chair, the Interim CEO of Peterborough and Stamford Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust has been asked to attend the Commission to provide an update on the Peterborough and Stamford Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.

2. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 2.1 That the Commission notes the content of the report and comment and make any recommendations.

3. LINKS TO THE SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITY STRATEGY

- 3.1 This links to the Sustainable Community priority area of creating opportunities and tackling inequalities.

4. BACKGROUND

- 4.1 Peterborough and Stamford Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (PSHFT) is the main provider of acute hospital services to the people of Peterborough. The Scrutiny Commission has requested reports on:
- a. Vision/objectives for the Trust
 - b. Key performance issues – A&E attendance; radiotherapy; outpatients
 - c. Stamford Hospital redevelopment

5. KEY ISSUES

- 5.1 The Board of Directors has developed a new strategy for the Trust. In addition, last month it published a summary of the five year Financial Plan which has been required to prepare by Monitor, the Regulator of foundation trusts. The summary (which includes the new strategy) is presented at Appendix A. Members of the Commission may wish to consider the strategy alongside the overall financial challenge facing the Trust.
- 5.2 Key performance measures are covered in Appendix B (extract from report to PSHFT Board of Directors, August 2012). Angus Maitland, Chief Operating Officer, will present this report.
- 5.3 The Trust has developed (jointly with South Lincolnshire Clinical Commissioning Group) a Proposed Clinical Strategy for Stamford Hospital. A stakeholder engagement paper summarising the proposals is presented in Appendix C. Mr John Randall, Medical Director, will present this report.

6. IMPLICATIONS

- 6.1 These are city-wide reports with no specific Financial; Legal; Human Resources; ICT, Environmental, Human Rights, Property, Procurement, LAA targets implications for the Council.

7. CONSULTATION

- 7.1 No consultation is required or planned with regard to the first two items. A process of stakeholder engagement is underway with regard to the Proposed Clinical Strategy for Stamford Hospital, of which presentation to this Scrutiny Commission meeting forms part. This stakeholder engagement precedes any possible formal public consultation. Lincolnshire Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee is the body responsible for determining whether such formal public consultation will be required.

8. NEXT STEPS

- 8.1 The Scrutiny Commission may wish to consider receiving follow-up reports at suitable future dates.

9. APPENDICES

- 9.1 Appendix A – Monitor Financial Plan Summary
Appendix B – PSHFT Performance Report (April – August 2012)
Appendix C – Proposed Clinical Strategy for Stamford Hospital