SHADOW COMBINED AUTHORITY (Report by the Leader of the Council)

Update on the Shadow Combined Authority

In November 2016, Cambridge City Council and its partner authorities in Cambridgeshire and Peterborough agreed the Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Devolution Deal. The attached report provided the Strategy and Resources Committee with an update on the processes and progress towards implementation.

On 22 November 2016, Council noted that a report would be submitted to Civic Affairs making Officer proposals for scrutiny of its representative on the Combined Authority. The Civic Affairs Committee will consider how the Council's representative on the Combined Authority should be scrutinised.

The City Council has two places on the Combined Authority Overview and Scrutiny Committee which need to be agreed by Council (one Labour and one Liberal-Democrat). Two representatives have been nominated accordingly.

In the meantime, as the shadow Combined Authority has met twice (in December and January), the Leader of the Council will update Council at the February and April meetings on the Combined Authority and answer questions from Members.

Accordingly, Council is recommended to:

 Agree the appointments of Councillor Baigent and Councillor Bick; to the Overview and Scrutiny Committee of the Combined Authority.