## **RECORD NO.**

## **FLINTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**

## **EXECUTIVE RECORD OF DECISION**

DATE OF MEETING: 27 MARCH 2012 AGENDA ITEM NO. 6

REPORT OF: Chief Executive

SUBJECT: STRATEGIC EQUALITY PLAN 2012- 2016

**RECOMMENDATIONS OF REPORT:** That Executive approves the local

equality objectives for publication and the

Strategic Equality Plan 2012-2016.

That Executive note the requirements of the specific duties of the Equality Act

2010.

**DECISION:** As recommendation.

**REASON FOR DECISION:** As in report.

**CONSULTATION REQUIRED:** All public bodies are required to engage

and involve people from the protected groups in the development of the equality

objectives and SEP.

**CONSULTATION UNDERTAKEN:** A regional consultation event has been

facilitated with public bodies across North Wales to develop a more co-ordinated and efficient way of engaging and

consulting with stakeholders.

In addition involvement activities have been undertaken with local stakeholders

and with services.

**FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:** There are financial implications for rolling

out a training programme to ensure

employees have the skills and knowledge

for the Council to meet its statutory duties. A budget for equalities training is held by the Corporate Training Manager and the costs of associated training will be met form this budget. It is difficult to assess the cost of implementing the plan. The costs (if any) of any initiatives undertaken or proposed by Directorates will be expected to be met from existing resources.

**DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST:** None.

**DISPENSATIONS** None.

**DATE PUBLISHED:** 28<sup>th</sup> March 2012

SIGNED (Proper Officer)

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