

**To: City Executive Board**

**Date: 19 January 2017**

**Report of: Scrutiny Committee**

**Title of Report: Devolution plans for Oxfordshire**

## **Summary and Recommendations**

**Purpose of report:** To present the recommendations of the Scrutiny Committee's Devolution Review Group on Devolution Plans for Oxfordshire

**Scrutiny Lead Member:** Councillor Marie Tidball, Chair of the Devolution Review Group

**Executive lead member:** Councillor Bob Price, Leader of the Council and Executive Member for Corporate Strategy and Economic Development

**Recommendation** of the Scrutiny Committee to the City Executive Board:

**That the City Executive Board states whether it agrees or disagrees with the nineteen recommendations set out in the body of this report.**

## **Appendices**

- *Devolution plans for Oxfordshire report*
  - *Appendix 1: Scope of Devolution Review*
  - *Appendix 2: Assessment of Proposed Governance Models for Oxfordshire*
  - *City Executive Board response to the recommendation of the Scrutiny Committee's Devolution Review Group on devolution plans for Oxfordshire*
1. The Scrutiny Committee established the Devolution Review Group in autumn 2016 and approved the report for submission to the City Executive Board at a special Scrutiny Committee meeting on 12 January 2016. The Committee would like to thank Council Leader Councillor Bob Price and Caroline Green, Assistant Chief Executive, for attending the meeting to support the Committee's discussion.
  2. The report is attached for consideration by the Board.
  3. A written response to the recommendations provided by the Leader of the Council is also included for consideration and agreement by the City Executive Board.

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