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Report title: Adult Community Learning Strategy	
Report to: People and Families Policy and Scrutiny Committee	
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County Divisions affected: Not applicable	

1. Introduction

This is a follow-up requested by the Committee (see Background below).

2. Action required

The Committee is asked to consider:

- (i) The attached update; and
- (ii) Identify any follow-up scrutiny actions

3. Background

- 3.1 On 10 November 2022 the Committee discussed the development of the Adult Community Learning Strategy. It was agreed at that meeting that a further update would be brought to the Committee in the new year to include a work plan (particularly on implementation of the Strategy and related workstreams), progress and impact of actions so far. A link to the minutes is here and a link to the meeting documents is here.
- 3.2 The Cabinet Member for Education Excellence, Life-Long Learning and Employability, and Lisa Jarentowski Adult Community Learning Principal have been asked to attend to provide the update.

4. Update and Next Steps

The update is attached in the Appendix to this report. Next steps are as proposed under Action Required.

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Expected attendees to support the discussion:

County Councillor Tony Ball, Cabinet Member for Education Excellence, Life-Long Learning and Employability

Lisa Jarentowski - Adult Community Learning Principal

5 Appendix

Briefing paper: PAF Scrutiny Committee - ACL Strategic Plan Implementation