Reference Number: HOSC/32/20

Report title: Chairman's Report

Report to: Health Overview Policy and Scrutiny Committee

Report author: Richard Buttress, Democratic Services Manager

Date: 4 November 2020

For: Discussion and identifying any follow-up scrutiny actions

Enquiries to: Richard Buttress, Democratic Services Manager

(richard.buttress3@essex.gov.uk or Sophie Campion, Democratic Services Officer (sophie.campion2@essex.gov.uk)

County Divisions affected: Not applicable

1. Introduction

1.1 This is the latest update reporting on discussions at HOSC Chairman's Forum meetings (Chairman, Vice Chairmen and Lead JHOSC Member).

2. Action required

2.1 The Committee is asked to consider this report and identify any issues arising.

3. Background

3.1 The Forum usually meets monthly in between scheduled Committee meetings to discuss work planning. In addition, there are also meetings with the Cabinet Member for Health and Adult Social Care on a bi-monthly basis and quarterly meetings with senior officers.

4. Update and Next Steps

4.1. Due to the short amount of time between the September and October HOSC and owing to the fact there was no business that required discussion, the Chairman's Forum did not meet before publication of the agenda.

5. **List of Appendices** – none