

TEIGNBRIDGE DISTRICT COUNCIL

EXECUTIVE

LEADER: Cllr Gordon Hook

PORTFOLIO HOLDER: Cllr Martin Wrigley

DATE: 5 September 2019
REPORT OF: Business Improvement & Development Team
SUBJECT: Armed Forces Covenant Action Plan
PART I

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Executive is recommended to

Resolve

That The Committee is recommended to approve the Armed Forces Covenant Action Plan and that it be review in six months to monitor progress and to add any further actions that may be required.

1. PURPOSE

To share the new proposed Armed Forces Covenant Action Plan with Executive Members.

The action plan (appendix A) provides an overarching view of how we will work in the future to help and support to our current and ex- Armed Forces personnel who live in Teignbridge District Council.

2. BACKGROUND

Members are committed to delivering initiatives and signposting to support for all current and ex-Armed Forces personnel who live in the district. Teignbridge District Council previously signed the Devon County Council Armed Forces Covenant and now intends to develop a programme of initiatives to deliver support across the district.

3. MAIN IMPLICATIONS

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It is important to explore a range of opportunities when identifying initiatives that support our Armed Forces personnel. This action plan will therefore evolve over time as new opportunities are maximised. These may include working with our partners or by taking advantage of external funding to maximise the potential of what the council can achieve.

4. GROUPS CONSULTED

n/a

5. TIME-SCALE

The timescale for delivery is 1-3 years, after which time the action plan will be reviewed to ensure it is fit for purpose after this date.

6. JUSTIFICATION

The action plan sets out how we will provide support to armed forces personnel in the future.

7. DATE OF IMPLEMENTATION (CONFIRMATION OF DECISION SUBJECT TO CALL-IN)

12 September 2019 at 10am

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BELOW TO BE FILLED IN BY REPORT AUTHOR:

Wards affected	All
Contact for any more information	Kay O'Flaherty
Background Papers (For Part I reports only)	N
Key Decision	N
In Forward Plan	N
In O&S Work Programme	N
Community Impact Assessment attached:	N
Appendices attached:	A: Armed Forces Covenant Action Plan