Motions Submitted to Council

In accordance with Chapter 2, Part 2 (Rule 15) of the Council's Constitution

Motion 4

Submitted by Councillor Snell

Thurrock Council resolves to write to the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care as well as NHS England setting out a detailed case supporting the need for a new hospital in Thurrock to help address the future needs of the borough.

Statement

Whilst we welcome the introduction of new Integrated Medical Centres in Thurrock, we call on the Council to write to the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care as well as NHS England setting out a detailed case for a new hospital in Thurrock. Orsett Hospital is out of date and in the wrong place, a new hospital in Thurrock will give us a modern and effective health service, fit for the future needs of our borough.

Monitoring Officer Comments:

The Motion relates to a matter which affects the Authority or the Authority' area and for which the Authority has a relevant function.

Section 151 Officer Comments:

On the assumption that the council holds all of the relevant data for such a business case, there would be no direct financial implications arising from this motion. If further data was required this could lead to additional cost.

Is the above motion within the remit of Council to approve?

Yes