



Subject:	<b>Motion - Support for Positive Life HIV Charity</b>
Date:	16 <sup>th</sup> February, 2018
Reporting Officer:	Stephen McCrory, Democratic Services Manager
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<b>Restricted Reports</b>	
Is this report restricted?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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After Committee Decision	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Some time in the future	<input type="checkbox"/>
Never	<input type="checkbox"/>

<b>Call-in</b>	
Is the decision eligible for Call-in?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

<b>1.0</b>	<b>Purpose of Report or Summary of Main Issues</b>
<b>1.1</b>	To consider a motion in relation to providing support for the Positive Life HIV Charity which, in accordance with standing orders, was referred to the Committee by the Council at its meeting on 4 <sup>th</sup> December.
<b>2.0</b>	<b>Recommendation</b>
<b>2.1</b>	The Committee is asked to consider the motion and to take such action thereon as may be determined.

<b>3.0</b>	<b>Main Report</b>
<b>3.1</b>	<p><u>Key Issues</u></p> <p>At the meeting of the Council on 4<sup>th</sup> December, the following motion, which was proposed by Councillor Nicholl and seconded by Councillor McDonough-Brown, was, in accordance with Standing Order 13(f), referred to the Committee for consideration:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">“This Council notes the increasing number of people diagnosed with HIV in Belfast year on year; is concerned at the levels of stigma experienced by people living with HIV; acknowledges the need for a new campaign to promote awareness and prevention, specifically tailored to Northern Ireland and the City of Belfast; commends the work of Belfast based, Positive Life, Northern Ireland's only dedicated charity working to support people diagnosed with HIV; and agrees to support this organisation in the development of a centre of excellence at its new headquarters.”</p> <p><u>Financial and Resource Implications</u></p> <p>None associated with this report.</p> <p><u>Equality or Good Relations Implications</u></p> <p>None</p>
<b>4.0</b>	<b>Documents Attached</b>
	None