

Board of Directors Cover Sheet

Subject:	Chair's Report	Date: 22 nd February 2017		
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Approved By:	Ray Dawson, Acting Chair			
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Purpose				
To provide the Board of Directors with an update on developments at the Trust and within the local community		Decision		
		Approval		
		Assurance ✓		
Strategic Objectives				
To provide outstanding care to our patients	To support each other to do a great job	To inspire excellence	To get the most from our resources	To play a leading role in transforming health and care services
✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Overall Level of Assurance				
	Significant	Sufficient	Limited	None
	✓			
Risks/Issues				
Financial				
Patient Impact				
Staff Impact				
Services				
Reputational				
Committees/groups where this item has been presented before				
Executive Summary				
Community Hub opening				
<p>A new community hub which houses King's Mill Hospital's charity and voluntary services was officially opened on 14 February. Based in the main entrance of King's Mill - at the heart of the hospital – it is the new “front door” of the hospital's volunteer and charity services and will be staffed by hospital volunteers from 9am to 4pm, Monday to Friday.</p>				
Sustainability and Transformation Plan				
<p>Peter Wozencroft, SFH's Director of Strategic Planning attended two public engagement events in Newark and Mansfield about the Nottinghamshire Sustainability and Transformation Plan (STP). The events were convened and chaired by Healthwatch Nottinghamshire and gave the public an opportunity to hear about the objectives of the STP, offer comments and raise queries to inform a future refreshed version of the plan and its implementation. In Newark, the main focus of discussion was on local provision and the future role and function of Newark Hospital, while the Mansfield event stimulated a discussion about the overall funding levels for public services, and importance of mental health service provision.</p>				