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MOTION AGREED AT AUTUMN CONFERENCE 2018

A Future for Hywel Dda Health Board

Conference notes:

- A. Hywel Dda Health Board's consultation on re-organising acute services and the Carmarthenshire and Pembrokeshire Liberal Democrats' response to it,
- B. The Parliamentary Review of Health and Social Care's comments on the need to transform health and social care in Wales and recommendations for transforming services,
- C. The Welsh Liberal Democrat commitment to increasing co-operation between health and social services whilst avoiding a mass top-down reorganisation imposed by Ministers,
- D. The immense financial and staffing pressures facing health and social care, including the budget deficits faced by Hywel Dda health board,
- E. The decision of Hywel Dda to repurpose Withybush and Glangwili so they lose round the clock A&E services, keep Prince Phillip as a centre for acute medicine and build a new general hospital between Narberth and St Clears.

Conference calls for:

- 1. A costed plan from Hywel Dda health board, supported by Welsh Government on how the proposed changes will be paid for and alleviate Hywel Dda's budget deficit,
- 2. A fully-funded transport plan to address accessibility and the increased transport times to the proposed new hospital, including ambulances and public and private transport,
- 3. Greater integration between health and social care services to effectively implement the proposed changes,
- 4. Hywel Dda to provide greater clarity on the details and funding for locating paramedics in the areas furthest away from hospitals.