

Item no 5.4

QUESTION NO 4

By Councillor Whyte for answer by the Convener of the Health, Social Care and Housing Committee at a meeting of the Council on 24 November 2016

Homelessness

- Question** (1) What is the cost of provision of services to homeless people in each of the last five years: (2012/13 – 2016/17)
- a) In-house provision
 - b) With external partners through SLA's/Grants/Procurement – broken down by partner
- Answer** (1)
- Question** (2) What different service areas of the Council support the homeless directly or indirectly and in what ways?
- Answer** (2)
- Question** (3) How many people/households were registered as homeless in Edinburgh in each of the years 2012/13 - 2016/17?
- Answer** (3)
- Question** (4) What estimates do we have of numbers of people in the following categories in each of these years:
- a) homeless but not registered
 - b) sleeping rough
 - c) people asking for money on the streets
- Answer** (4)
- Question** (5) What actions does the Council take directly or indirectly to assist people asking for money on the streets to ensure it is not a necessity?
- Answer** (5)

Question (6) How many people asking for money on the streets have been assisted in each of the last five years and to what aims/outcomes?

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