

Children and Young People Committee Decision Statement

Meeting: Tuesday 27th June 2023

Published: Thursday 29th June 2023

Each decision set out below will come into force, and may then be implemented on the expiry of three full working days after the publication of the decision statement and may then be implemented, unless subject to a decision review request [see note on decision review below].

1. Notification of the Chair and Vice Chair of the Children and Young People Committee 2023/24

To note the appointment of Councillor Bryony Goodliffe as chair of the committee and Councillor Michael Atkins as Vice Chair for 2023/24. These appointments were made by Council on 16th May 2023.

2. Apologies for absence and declarations of interest

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor S Hoy, substituted by Councillor J Gowing, Councillors J King and M McGuire, and Canon A Read, the co-opted member representing the Church of England Diocese of Ely.

There were no declarations of interest.

3. Minutes – 25th April 2023 and minutes action log

The minutes of the meeting on 25th April 2023 were approved as an accurate record. The minutes action log was noted.

4. Petitions and public questions

There were no petitions or public questions.

Key decisions

5. Implementation of a Post 16 Provision Framework [KD2023/072]

It was resolved to:

- a) Approve Cambridgeshire County Council tendering a Post 16 Alternative Education Framework, and thereafter to make callofs from this framework.

- b) Delegate responsibility for awarding and executing contracts for the provision of Post 16 Alternative Education; starting on the 23rd August 2023 and ending on the 31st March 2024 and has extension periods of 2+ 2 + 1 with a value over 5 years of £10.2 million to align with the Children's External Placement Dynamic Purchasing System to the Director of Children's Services, in consultation with the Chair and Vice Chair of the Children and Young People Committee.

6. Draft Residential Services Strategy [KD2023/065]

It was resolved to:

- a) Endorse the Residential Services Strategy.

Decisions and monitoring

7. Finance Monitoring Report May 2023

It was resolved to:

- a) Review and comment on the report.
- b) Note and endorse the changes to the capital programme budgets from the Business Plan detailed in Appendix 1 for approval by Strategy and Resources.

8. Corporate Performance Report – Children and Young People Committee

It was resolved to note and comment on performance information and take remedial action as necessary.

9. Children, Education and Families – Directorate Risk Register

It was resolved to note the current Directorate Risk Register.

10. Children's Feedback and Complaints Annual Report 2022/23

It was resolved to:

- a) Consider the content of the report and appendix.
- b) Request a further report in 12 months.

11. Children and Young People Committee agenda plan, training plan and appointments to outside bodies and internal advisory groups

It was resolved to:

- a) Review the committee agenda plan attached at Appendix 1.
- b) Review the committee training plan attached at Appendix 2.
- c) Review the appointments to Outside Bodies within the Committee's remit at Appendix 3.
- d) Review the appointments to Internal Advisory Groups and Panels at Appendix 4.
- e) **Appoint Councillor A Bradnam as Chair of the Corporate Parenting Sub-Committee and Councillor M Atkins as Vice Chair for 2023/24.**
- f) Note the appointment of Cllr C Daunton to the Cambridgeshire Culture Steering Group on 9th May 2023.

Notes:

- (a) Statements in **bold type** indicate additional resolutions made at the meeting.
- (b) Requests for review of a decision can be made as indicated below:-
 - (i) At least nine members of the Strategy and Resources Committee to initiate a review of a decision taken by a Policy and Service Committee.
 - (ii) The request must be submitted in writing to the Monitoring Officer or Chief Executive before the expiry of three full working days from the date on which the decision notice was published.

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