

# Corporate Parenting Sub-Committee of the Children and Young People Policy and Service Committee

## Decision Statement



**Meeting Date: Wednesday 15 July 2020**

**Published: Friday 17 July 2020**

**Decision review deadline: Wednesday 22 July 2020**

**Implementation of Decisions not called in: Thursday 23 July 2020**

Each decision set out below will come into force, and may then be implemented at 9.30am on the fourth full working day after the publication date, unless it is subject of a decision review by eight members of General Purposes Committee. [see note on decision review below].

Item	Topic	Decision
1.	Notification of the Chair and Vice Chair for the municipal year 2020/21	The Sub-Committee was advised that on 6 May 2020 the Children and Young People Committee had been pleased to re-appoint Councillor Lis Every as Chair of the Corporate Parenting Sub-Committee and Councillor Anne Hay as Vice Chair for the municipal year 2020/21.
2.	Apologies for Absence	<b>Apologies for absence were received from Councillor A Costello (substituted by Councillor M Goldsack).</b>
3.	Declarations of Interest	<b>There were no declarations of interest.</b>
4.	Minutes of the meeting on 15 January 2020	<b>The minutes of the meeting on 15 January 2020 were approved as an accurate record. A paper copy would be signed by the Chairman when possible.</b>
5.	Action Log	<b>The Action Log was reviewed.</b>

6.	Petitions and Public Questions	<b>There were no petitions or public questions.</b>
7.	Proposals for future engagement with children in care and care leavers and the format of the Corporate Parenting Sub-Committee	<p>It was resolved to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Note the information within the report relating to the Participation Offer.</li> <li>b) Agree the proposed meeting changes to facilitate increasingly effective engagement with Children in Care and Care Leavers.</li> <li>c) Agree the new reporting format of a Corporate Parenting Scorecard</li> </ul>
8.	Participation Report	<p>It was resolved to:</p> <p>To comment and provide feedback on the range of consultation events and activities the Participation Service provide for children in care and care leavers.</p>
9.	Foster Carer Reporting to the Corporate Parenting Sub-Committee	<p>It was resolved to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Approve the attendance of the Cambridgeshire Foster Care Association chairperson or their representative at Corporate Parenting Sub-Committee meetings as an observer. They will be invited to make a contribution at the absolute discretion of the Chair.</li> <li>b) Agree to accept a report from the Cambridgeshire Foster Care Association at each of its meetings.</li> </ul>
10.	Corporate Parenting Performance Report	<p>It was resolved to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Note the content of the report</li> <li>b) Raise any queries with Lead Officers</li> </ul>

11.	Independent Reviewing Officer's Annual Report 2019/20	It was resolved to note and comment on the report.
12.	Sub-Committee Workshop and Training Plan	<b>It was resolved to review and note the Sub-Committee Workshop and Training Plan.</b>
13.	Agenda Plan	<b>It was resolved to note the agenda plan.</b>

**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:-
  - a. At least 8 elected members of General Purposes Committee to initiate a review of a decision taken by a Policy and Service Committee.
  - b. The request must be submitted in writing to the Monitoring Officer or Chief Executive before the expiry of 3 full working days after the decision has been published and shall specify the reason(s) why the decision should be reviewed.

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