

Children and Young People Committee

Decision Statement

Meeting: Tuesday 17 January 2017

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Decision review deadline: Tuesday 24 January 2017 at 5.00pm

Decisions which are not called-in may be implemented on or after:
9.30am on Wednesday 25 January 2017



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. [see note on decision review below].

Item	Topic	Decision
1.	Apologies for Absence and Declarations of Interest	<p>Apologies for absence were received from Councillors D Brown (substituted by Cllr F Yeulett), Cllr M Loynes and R Beeson.</p> <p>Councillor L Nethsingha declared a personal interest in Item 3: Petitions as the parent of a child attending Chesterton Community College.</p>
2.	Minutes and Action Log	<p>It was resolved to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Approve the minutes of the meeting held on 6 December 2016 as a correct record; 2. Note and comment on the action log.

3.	Petitions	A petition was received relating to Chesterton Community College.
4.	Capital Project: Centre for Research and Engagement in Arts, Technology and Education (CREATE)	<p>It was resolved to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Endorse the proposals in principal, subject to further detailed work; 2. Request that a revised report be submitted to a meeting of CYP Spokes in February 2017 and circulated to all members of the Committee for comment. Subject to Spokes' approval the report would be submitted to the General Purposes Committee in March 2017.
5.	Review of Secondary Provision in Fenland	<p>It was resolved to endorse the conclusions of the Phase 2 consultation to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provide a new secondary school in Wisbech in response to the identified need for additional places for children aged 11-16 year either on land east of the town, north and south of Sandy Lane or land to the north west of the town at Dowgate Road allotments, subject to completion of a more detailed feasibility study; 2. Make provision in the capital programme of £23m in 2019/20 for a new secondary school in Wisbech to open in September 2020; 3. Approve officers working with the Brooke Weston Trust as the sponsor of the Thomas Clarkson Academy (TCA) to manage the potential demand for the additional places needed in Wisbech prior to the opening of the new secondary school in the town; 4. Make provision in the capital programme for the one form of entry (FE) (150 place) expansion of both Cromwell Community College, Chatteris and Sir Harry Smith Community College, Whittlesey in response to the anticipated rising demand for places within their respective catchment areas; 5. Make the provision of a new secondary school in March, dependent on the major housing allocation sites identified in the Local Plan coming forward.

6.	Educational Performance in Cambridgeshire 2016	It was resolved to: 1. Note and comment on the report.
7.	Free School Proposals	Standing item. There were no proposals to discuss.
8.	The Future Pattern of Primary School Provision in Histon and Impington	It was resolved to: 1. Endorse the strategy for securing the expansion of primary school places in Histon and Impington in permanent accommodation by September 2019, the elements of which are: i. The relocation of the current Infant School to a new site and expansion of its age range to serve children aged 4-11 to provide a total of 420 places (two forms of entry (FE)); and ii. The expansion of the Junior School on its current site and expansion of its age range to serve children aged 4-11 to provide a total of 420 places (2FE), with the accommodation necessary to provide 630 places (3FE) to meet future demand; 2. Give approval to progress work on a formal proposal to relocate Histon and Impington Infant School from its current site to the Buxhall Farm site and extend its age range to become an all-through primary school in consultation with the Cambridge Primary Education Trust (CPET); and 3. Note and endorse the identified need for an additional £10m capital investment to secure the delivery of the education strategy, resulting in a total allocation in the Council's capital programme of £16m; 4. Ask officers to engage with Histon and Impington Parish Council, which has indicated its willingness to play a positive role in enabling the strategy to be implemented successfully.
9.	Business Planning	It was resolved to note a verbal update from the Interim Executive Director for Children, Families and Adult Services.

10.	Schools Funding 2017-18	It was resolved to: 1. Approve the transfer of funding between the Schools Block and High Needs Block; 2. Approve the local schools funding formula for primary and secondary schools as set out in Appendix A to the report, prior to submission to the Education Funding Agency (EFA).
11.	Finance and Performance Report	It was resolved to review and comment on the report.
12.	Agenda Plan, Appointments to Internal Advisory Groups and Panels or Partnership Liaison and Advisory Groups and the Committee Training Plan.	It was resolved to: 1. Note the Committee Agenda Plan.
8.	Date of Next Meeting	It was resolved that the Committee would meet next on Tuesday 28 February 2017 at 2.00pm at Shire Hall, Cambridge.

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 the Council may submit a request for a review of a decision by the General Purposes Committee;
 - b. At least 24 elected members of the Council may submit a request for a review of a decision by the Full Council;
 - c. 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.
- (c) Full details of the decision review process, including those decisions which may not be subject to review, are set out in the Decision Review Procedure Rules at Part 4.5 of the Constitution.

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