

# Safeguarding Sub (Community & Children's Services) Committee

Date: MONDAY, 7 JUNE 2021

**Time:** 2.30 pm

Venue: VIRTUAL PUBLIC MEETING (ACCESSIBLE REMOTELY)

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John Barradell
Town Clerk and Chief Executive

# **AGENDA**

# Part 1 - Public Agenda

#### 1. APOLOGIES

# 2. MEMBERS' DECLARATIONS UNDER THE CODE OF CONDUCT IN RESPECT OF ITEMS ON THE AGENDA

## 3. TERMS OF REFERENCE

To receive the Sub-Committee's Terms of Reference as agreed by the Community & Children's Service Committee on 30 April 2021.

For Information (Pages 5 - 6)

# 4. ELECTION OF A CHAIRMAN

To elect a Chairman in accordance with Standing Order 29.

**For Decision** 

#### 5. **ELECTION OF A DEPUTY CHAIRMAN**

To elect a Deputy Chairman in accordance with Standing Order 30.

For Decision

## 6. MINUTES

To agree the public minutes and non-public summary of the previous meeting held on 8 February 2021.

For Decision (Pages 7 - 14)

# 7. OUTSTANDING ACTIONS

To note the sub-committee's outstanding actions list.

For Information (Pages 15 - 16)

#### 8. GLOSSARIES

For Information (Pages 17 - 22)

# 9. MISSING FROM HOME, CARE AND EDUCATION REVIEW

Report of the Director of Community & Children's Services.

For Information (Pages 23 - 96)

#### 10. SHORT BREAKS STRATEGY

Report of the Director of Community & Children's Services.

For Information (Pages 97 - 118)

# 11. CORPORATE SAFEGUARDING POLICY

Report of the Director of Community & Children's Services.

For Information (Pages 119 - 136)

#### 12. QUALITY ASSURANCE FRAMEWORK - REVISED AND UPDATED

Report of the Director of Community & Children's Services.

For Information (Pages 137 - 170)

# 13. SERVICE DEVELOPMENT PLAN, CHILDREN'S SOCIAL CARE AND EARLY HELP

Report of the Director of Community & Children's Services.

For Information (Pages 171 - 180)

## 14. SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS AND DISABILITY (SEND) UPDATE

Report of the Director of Community & Children's Services.

For Information (Pages 181 - 186)

# 15. QUESTIONS OF MATTERS RELATING TO THE WORK OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE

# 16. ANY OTHER BUSINESS THE CHAIRMAN CONSIDERS URGENT

## 17. EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC

**MOTION**, that – under Section 100(A) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the following items on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Part I of the Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act.

For Decision

# Part 2 - Non-Public Agenda

#### 18. **NON-PUBLIC MINUTES**

To agree the non-public minutes of the previous meeting held on 8 February 2021.

For Decision (Pages 187 - 188)

19. CHILDREN AND FAMILIES SERVICE PERFORMANCE - MONTH 12 2020/21 (MARCH 2021)

Report of the Director of Community & Children's Services.

For Information (Pages 189 - 206)

- 20. NON-PUBLIC QUESTIONS ON MATTERS RELATING TO THE WORK OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE
- 21. ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT THE CHAIRMAN CONSIDERS URGENT AND WHICH THE SUB-COMMITTEE AGREE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED WHILST THE PUBLIC ARE EXCLUDED