

Corporate Parenting Panel

Date Friday 29 March 2019

Time 9.30 am

Venue Committee Room 2 - County Hall, Durham

Business

Part A

Items during which the Press and Public are welcome to attend.

Members of the Public can ask questions with the Chairman's agreement

- 1. Apologies for Absence
- 2. Substitute Members
- 3. Minutes of the meeting held on Friday 15 February 2019 (Pages 3 8)
- 4. Declarations of Interest
- 5. Number of Looked After Children Verbal Update from Head of Children's Social Care
- 6. Ofsted Updates
- 7. Update from Investing in Children

Fostering and Adoption

- 8. Quarter Three 2018/19 Performance
 - a) Report of Corporate Equality and Strategy Manager (Pages 9 18)
 - b) Presentation (Pages 19 32)
- 9. Foster Carer Recruitment Updates
 - a) Report of Placement Efficiency Manager (Pages 33 36)
 - b) Presentation (Pages 37 44)
- 10. Such other business as, in the opinion of the Chairman of the meeting, is of sufficient urgency to warrant consideration.
- 11. Any resolution relating to the exclusion of the public during the discussion of items containing exempt information.

Part B

Items during which it is considered the meeting will not be open to the public (consideration of exempt or confidential information)

- 12. Update on Regionalisation of Adoption Services Presentation by Strategic Manager, Looked After and Permanence (Pages 45 50)
- 13. Regulation 44 Visits: Summary Report Report of Head of Children's Social Care (Pages 51 82)
- 14. Regulation 44 Representation Chair of the meeting
- 15. Such other business as, in the opinion of the Chairman of the meeting, is of sufficient urgency to warrant consideration.

Helen Lynch

Head of Legal and Democratic Services

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To: The Members of the Corporate Parenting Panel

Councillor P Brookes (Chairman) Councillor H Smith (Vice-Chair)

Councillors B Bainbridge, H Bennett, J Carr, J Charlton, J Considine, P Crathorne, J Grant, I Jewell, M McKeon, J Makepeace, O Milburn, C Potts, G Richardson, A Savory, E Scott, M Simmons, C Wilson

Co-opted Members

C Baines

M Baister

N Harrison

K Myers

W Taylor

Young person representative of the Children in Care Council (CiCC)

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