

Decision Maker: Council

Date: 21st July 2014

Decision Type: Non-Urgent Non-Executive Non-Key

Title: CORPORATE PARENTING STRATEGY

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Ward: N/A

1. Reason for report

- 1.1 The Care Services PDS Committee at its meeting on 26th June 2014 considered a strategy setting out how the Council and its partners agencies intended to carry out their Corporate Parenting responsibilities for looked after children, young people and care leavers. The report, which is attached, is due to be considered by the Executive on 16th July 2014 for approval and reference to full Council for endorsement. If there are any changes to the proposed strategy agreed by the Executive these will be circulated before the Council meeting.
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2. **RECOMMENDATION**

Council is requested to endorse the Corporate Parenting Strategy 2014-16.

Corporate Policy

1. Policy Status: Existing Policy:
 2. BBB Priority: Children and Young People
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Financial

1. Cost of proposal: No cost:
 2. Ongoing costs: N/A
 3. Budget head/performance centre: N/A
 4. Total Current Budget for this Head: N/A
 5. Source of funding: N/A
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Staff

1. Number of staff (current and additional): N/A
 2. If from existing staff resources, number of staff hours: N/A
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Legal

1. Legal Requirement: Guidance
 2. Call-in: Not Applicable: Full Council decisions are not subject to call-in
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Customer Impact

1. Estimated number of users/beneficiaries (current and projected): N/A
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Ward Councillor Views

1. Have Ward Councillors been asked for comments? N/A
2. Summary of Ward Councillors comments: N/A

Non-Applicable Sections:	Finance/Legal/Policy/Personnel
Background Documents: (Access via Contact Officer)	See attached report