

# Blackpool Council

3 April 2018

To: Councillors Collett, Critchley, O'Hara, Owen, Rowson, D Scott, Mrs Scott, Stansfield and L Taylor.

Co-opted Members: Mrs Frances McErlane and Mr Sam Johnson.

The above members are requested to attend the:

## **RESILIENT COMMUNITIES AND CHILDREN'S SCRUTINY COMMITTEE**

Thursday, 12 April 2018 at 6.00 pm  
in Committee Room A, Town Hall, Blackpool

### **A G E N D A**

#### **1 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Members are asked to declare any interests in the items under consideration and in doing so state:

(1) the type of interest concerned either a

- (a) personal interest
- (b) prejudicial interest
- (c) disclosable pecuniary interest (DPI)

and

(2) the nature of the interest concerned

If any member requires advice on declarations of interests, they are advised to contact the Head of Democratic Governance in advance of the meeting.

#### **2 MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING HELD ON 08 FEBRUARY 2018** (Pages 1 - 6)

To agree the minutes of the last meeting held on 8 February 2018 as a true and correct record.

**3 PUBLIC SPEAKING**

To consider any applications from members for the public to speak at the meeting.

**4 EXECUTIVE AND CABINET MEMBER DECISIONS** (Pages 7 - 12)

To consider the Executive and Cabinet Member decisions within the remit of the Resilient Communities and Children's Scrutiny Committee.

**5 FORWARD PLAN** (Pages 13 - 18)

To consider the content of the Council's Forward Plan, April 2018 – July 2018, relating to the portfolio of the Cabinet Secretary.

**6 SCRUTINY WORKPLAN** (Pages 19 - 32)

The Committee to consider the Workplan, together with any suggestions that Members may wish to make for scrutiny review.

**7 KEY PRIORITY REPORT: COMMUNITY** (Pages 33 - 40)

To present performance against the Community suite of indicators for the period 1st April 2017 to 31st December 2017.

**8 COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT** (Pages 41 - 50)

To present an update from the Community Engagement team on Resident Engagement, Staff Engagement, Blackpool Fairness Commission and Future Engagement.

**9 CHILDREN'S SERVICES UPDATE REPORT** (Pages 51 - 56)

To inform the Committee of the work undertaken by Children's Services on a day to day basis and to update on the progress and implementation of developments.

**10 LOOKED AFTER CHILDREN AND CHILD PROTECTION** (Pages 57 - 62)

To provide an overview of the status of Looked After Children and Child Protection in Blackpool.

**11 DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

To note the date and time of the next meeting of the Committee as Thursday, 07 June 2018, commencing at 6pm.

**Venue information:**

First floor meeting room (lift available), accessible toilets (ground floor), no-smoking building.

**Other information:**

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