Blackpool Council

6 November 2018

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

Co-opted Members Mr Sam Johnson and Ms Frances McErlane,

The above members are requested to attend the:

RESILIENT COMMUNITIES AND CHILDREN'S SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Thursday, 15 November 2018 at 6.00 pm in Committee Room A, Town Hall, Blackpool

AGENDA

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 13 SEPTEMBER 2018 (Pages 1 - 8)

To agree the minutes of the last meeting held on 13 September 2018 as a true and correct record.

3 PUBLIC SPEAKING

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

4 EXECUTIVE DECISIONS

(Pages 9 - 14)

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

5 FORWARD PLAN

(Pages 15 - 24)

To consider the content of the Council's Forward Plan, November 2018 – March 2019.

6 GREEN AND BLUE INFRASTRUCTURE STRATEGY

(Pages 25 - 86)

To inform and seek support from scrutiny on the production of a Green and Blue Infrastructure (GBI) Strategy.

7 BLACKPOOL SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN BOARD ANNUAL REPORT

(Pages 87 - 142)

To receive and consider the annual report of the Blackpool Safeguarding Children Board.

8 EDUCATIONAL OUTCOMES AND IMPROVEMENT STRATEGY

(Pages 143 - 150)

To inform Scrutiny Committee of the educational outcomes and improvement strategy in Blackpool.

9 CHILDREN'S SERVICES UPDATE REPORT

(Pages 151 - 172)

To inform Scrutiny 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 within the service.

10 SCRUTINY WORKPLAN

(Pages 173 - 182)

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

11 DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

To note the date and time of the next meeting as Thursday, 7 February 2019, commencing at 6.00pm.

Venue information:

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

Other information:

For queries regarding this agenda please contact Sharon Davis, Scrutiny Manager, Tel: 01253 477213, e-mail sharon.davis@blackpool.gov.uk

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