

Children and Young People's Scrutiny Panel

MONDAY, 21ST JANUARY, 2013 at 17:00 HRS - CIVIC CENTRE, HIGH ROAD, WOOD GREEN, LONDON N22 8LE.

MEMBERS: Councillors Allison, Brabazon, Christophides, Newton (Chair) and Stewart

Co-Optees: Ms Y. Denny (Church of England representative),1 Catholic Diocese

vacancy, Mr E. Reid (Parent Governor) and Mrs M. Ezeji (Parent Governor).

AGENDA

1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

2. URGENT BUSINESS

The Chair will consider the admission of any late items of urgent business (late items will be considered under the agenda item where they appear. New items will be dealt with at item 14 below).

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

A Member with a disclosable pecuniary interest or a prejudicial interest in a matter who attends a meeting of the authority at which the matter is considered:

- (i) must disclose the interest at the start of the meeting or when the interest becomes apparent, and
- (ii) may not participate in any discussion or vote on the matter and must withdraw from the meeting room.

A member who discloses at a meeting a disclosable pecuniary interest which is not registered in the Members' Register of Interests or the subject of a pending notification must notify the Monitoring Officer of the interest within 28 days of the disclosure.

Disclosable pecuniary interests, personal interests and prejudicial interest are defined at Paragraphs 5-7 and Appendix A of the Members' Code of Conduct.

4. DEPUTATIONS/PETITIONS/PRESENTATIONS/QUESTIONS

To consider any requests received in accordance with Part 4, Section B, paragraph 29 of the Council's constitution.

5. MINUTES (PAGES 1 - 6)

To approve the minutes of the meeting of 11 December 2012 (attached).

6. CABINET MEMBERS QUESTIONS - CABINET MEMBER FOR CHILDREN

An opportunity for the Committee to question the Cabinet Member for Children, Councillor Ann Waters, on her portfolio.

7. BUDGET UPDATE 2012-13 (PAGES 7 - 10)

To update the Panel on the current budgetary position for Children and Young People's Services.

8. SCHOOL STANDARDS (PAGES 11 - 36)

To consider schools standards across the borough, including recent exam results.

9. SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT (PAGES 37 - 44)

To report on work by the Council to support school improvement.

10. SOCIAL WORK LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT (PAGES 45 - 52)

To report on the Council's approach to developing the professional skills and knowledge of its children's social work practitioners.

11. PROGRESS REPORT ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MUNRO REPORT (PAGES 53 - 68)

To consider and comment upon progress with the implementation of the Munro Report.

12. WORK PLAN (PAGES 69 - 70)

To consider the work plan for the Panel (attached).

13. NEW ITEMS OF URGENT BUSINESS

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