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Councillors: Janet Axworthy, Marion Bateman, Sian Braun, Geoff Collett, Paul Cunningham, Andy Dunbobbin, Patrick Heesom, Dave Hughes, Kevin Hughes, Tudor Jones, Dave Mackie, Ian Smith, Martin White and David Williams

Co-opted Member:

Lynn Bartlett, David Hytch, Rebecca Stark and Bernard Stuart

29 September 2017

Dear Sir/Madam

You are invited to attend a meeting of the Education and Youth Overview & Scrutiny Committee which will be held at 2.00 pm on Thursday, 5th October, 2017 in the Delyn Committee Room, County Hall, Mold CH7 6NA to consider the following items

AGENDA

1 APOLOGIES

Purpose: To receive any apologies.

2 <u>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST (INCLUDING WHIPPING</u> DECLARATIONS)

Purpose: To receive any Declarations and advise Members accordingly.

3 **MINUTES** (Pages 5 - 10)

Purpose: To confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held

on 28 July 2017.

4 SCHOOL TRANSPORT COMMISSIONING AND OPERATIONS UPDATE

Purpose: To receive a verbal update on School Transport

Commissioning and Operations

5 FINANCIAL FORECAST AND STAGE ONE OF THE BUDGET 2018/19 (Pages 11 - 28)

Report of Corporate Finance Manager, Chief Executive and Interim Chief Officer (Education & Youth) - Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Finance and Cabinet Member for Education

Purpose: To provide the Committee with the current financial forecast

position for 2018/19 and consult on the Stage 1 Council Fund

Revenue budget proposals for 2018/19.

6 REVISED REGIONAL MODEL FOR SECONDARY SCHOOL SUPPORT (Pages 29 - 36)

Report of Interim Chief Officer (Education and Youth) - Cabinet Member for Education

Purpose: To provide an overview of the new arrangements within the

Regional School Improvement Service to provide greater support to secondary schools that came into effect from

September 2017.

7 **LEARNER OUTCOMES 2017** (Pages 37 - 58)

Report of Interim Chief Officer (Education and Youth) - Cabinet Member for Education

Purpose: To inform Members of the validated learner outcomes for

Foundation Phase, Key Stage 2 and Key Stage 3 and to share the provisional learner outcomes at Key Stage 4. The report also compares Flintshire's performance to other Councils in

the North Wales region and across Wales as a whole.

8 SCHOOL ORGANISATION (Pages 59 - 80)

Report of Interim Chief Officer (Education and Youth) - Cabinet Member for Education

Purpose: To provide an update on Federation and other school

organisation proposals

9 **FORWARD WORK PROGRAMME** (Pages 79 - 86)

Report of Education and Youth Overview & Scrutiny Facilitator

Purpose: To consider the Forward Work Programme of the Education &

Youth Overview & Scrutiny Committee

Yours faithfully

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