Flintshire County Council – Decisions taken by the Joint Education & Youth and Social & Health Care Overview & Scrutiny Committee on Thursday, 24 May 2018

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Part A – Items considered in public

A1	Appointment of Chair	That Councillor David Healey be appointed as Chairman for the meeting.
A3	Corporate Parenting Strategy	(a) That the proposed actions to publish a new Corporate Parenting Strategy, taking into account the proposed amendments suggested by Members, be endorsed;
		(b) That the proposed action for all Flintshire County Council staff to be responsible for delivering the Strategy be endorse;
		(c) That the proposed action to develop and implement a cross-portfolio action plan to deliver on the statements outline in the Strategy, be endorsed; and
		(d) That Corporate Parenting be raised at a future County Council meeting and Chief Officer Team, with the involvement of young people.

Corporate Parenting Strategy 2018-2023 Final draft

A4	Education Attainment of Looked After Children in Flintshire	(a)	That Members actively engage as Corporate Parents for Looked After Children, promoting awareness and challenging provision within Flintshire educational settings;
		(b)	That Members actively encourage all educational staff to promote the educational welfare of Looked After Children within Flintshire establishments at a 'whole school level'; and
		(c)	That a report on School Admissions be submitted to a future meeting of the Education & Youth Overview & Scrutiny Committee.
A5	Safeguarding of Children and Child Protection	(a)	That the information in relation to the Safeguarding of Children and Child Protections for the period 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018, be noted; and

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		(b) That due regard be taken to the partnership working taking place across portfolio areas to protect children and young people from harm.
A6	Additional Learning Needs and Education Tribunal (Wales) Act 2018	(a) That the report be noted; and
		(b) That an update report on local and regional implementation plans arising from the legislation be submitted to a future meeting of both Education & Youth Overview & Scrutiny and Social & Health Care Overview & Scrutiny Committees
A7	Flintshire Early Help Hub	(a) That the Committee congratulate officers on the work which had been undertaken on the Early Help Hub;
		(b) That the ongoing work and commitment to the Early Help Hub as part of a wider programme to support families experiencing trauma aligned to Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACE's) be supported; and
		(c) That the Committee support the collection of data and evidence to demonstrate the need for continued Families First funding from Welsh Government.
A8	Childcare Offer for Wales, Flintshire	(a) That the progress made to full roll out of the Childcare Offer in Flintshire be endorsed; and
		(b) That the proposed cross-country delivery plan be endorsed.
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