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To: Cllr David Healey (Chairman)

Councillors: Janet Axworthy, Sian Braun, Paul Cunningham, Carol Ellis, Gladys Healey, Joe Johnson, Tudor Jones, Dave Mackie, Ian Smith, Martin White and David Williams

Co-opted Members:

Lynn Bartlett, David Hytch, Rebecca Stark and Wendy White

11 December 2020

Dear Sir/Madam

NOTICE OF REMOTE MEETING EDUCATION, YOUTH & CULTURE OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE THURSDAY, 17 DECEMBER, 2020 at 2.00 PM

Yours faithfully

Robert Robins Democratic Services Manager

Please note: Due to the current restrictions on travel and the requirement for physical distancing, this meeting will not be held at its usual location. This will be a remote meeting and 'attendance' will be restricted to Committee Members. The meeting will be recorded.

If you have any queries regarding this, please contact a member of the Democratic Services Team on 01352 702345.

AGENDA

1 APOLOGIES

Purpose: To receive any apologies.

2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST (INCLUDING WHIPPING DECLARATIONS)

Purpose: To receive any Declarations and advise Members accordingly.

3 **<u>MINUTES</u>** (Pages 5 - 16)

Purpose: To confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 5th November, 2020.

4 EMERGENCY SITUATION BRIEFING (VERBAL)

Purpose: To update on the latest position and the risks and implications for Flintshire and service and business continuity.

5 **FORWARD WORK PROGRAMME AND ACTION TRACKING** (Pages 17 - 26)

Report of Education and Youth Overview & Scrutiny Facilitator

Purpose: To consider the Forward Work Programme of the Education Youth & Culture Overview & Scrutiny Committee and to inform the Committee of progress against actions from previous meetings.

6 **BLENDED LEARNING** (Pages 27 - 34)

Report of Chief Officer (Education and Youth) - Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Education

Purpose: To provide oversight of the work of schools, GwE and the Portfolio to maintain quality educational provision during the pandemic

7 ADULT COMMUNITY LEARNING (Pages 35 - 42)

Report of Chief Officer (Education and Youth) - Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Education

Purpose: To consider the new approach to delivery of our statutory responsibilities for Adult Community Learning

8 **RECOVERY STRATEGY UPDATE** (Pages 43 - 62)

Report of Chief Officer (Education and Youth) - Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Education

Purpose: To provide oversight on the recovery planning for the Committee's respective portfolio(s).

9 MID-YEAR PERFORMANCE INDICATORS FOR RECOVERY, PORTFOLIO AND PUBLIC ACCOUNTABILITY MEASURES (Pages 63 - 74)

Report of Education and Youth Overview & Scrutiny Facilitator - Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Education

Purpose: To review the levels of progress in the achievement of activities, performance levels and current risk levels as identified in the Council Plan.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ACCESS TO INFORMATION) ACT 1985 - TO CONSIDER THE EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

The following item is considered to be exempt by virtue of Paragraph(s) 14 of Part 4 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended).

The report contains commercially sensitive information belonging to a third party and the public interest in not revealing the information outweighs the public interest in revealing the information.

10 AURA: BUSINESS RECOVERY PLAN (Pages 75 - 94)

Report of Chief Executive and AURA Leisure and Libraries Managing Director - Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Education

AURA is an independent organisation and therefore the report is shown in their format for reporting.

Purpose: To report on the Business Recovery Plan for Aura.