



MEETING: CABINET MEMBER - CHILDREN'S SERVICES
DATE: Tuesday 7 December 2010
TIME: 9.30 am
VENUE: Town Hall, Bootle (This meeting will also be video conferenced at the Town Hall, Southport)

DECISION MAKER: Councillor Moncur
SUBSTITUTE: Councillor P. Dowd

SPOKESPERSONS: Councillor Cuthbertson Councillor Preece

SUBSTITUTES: Councillor Doran Councillor Howe

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A key decision, as defined in the Council's Constitution, is: -

- any Executive decision that is not in the Annual Revenue Budget and Capital Programme approved by the Council and which requires a gross budget expenditure, saving or virement of more than £100,000 or more than 2% of a Departmental budget, whichever is the greater
- any Executive decision where the outcome will have a significant impact on a significant number of people living or working in two or more Wards

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AGENDA

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<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Subject/Author(s)</u>	<u>Wards Affected</u>
1.	Apologies for Absence	
2.	Declarations of Interest Members and Officers are requested to give notice of any personal or prejudicial interest and the nature of that interest, relating to any item on the agenda in accordance with the relevant Code of Conduct.	
3.	Minutes Minutes of the meeting held on 16 November 2010.	(Pages 5 - 6)
4.	Petition - Proposal to Consult on Closure of St Wilfrid's High School, Bootle To consider, in accordance with Rule 27 of the Council and Committee Procedure Rules of the Constitution, a petition signed by 929 residents regarding the proposal to consult on closure of St Wilfrid's High School, Bootle and supporting the alternative proposal being developed by governors of St. Wilfrid's and St. George of England High School, to develop a merged school on one site, using the best practice and specialisms of each school and called upon Sefton Council to support the proposal in principle and work with partners to develop an excellent school offering parents a choice of school in the Bootle and Litherland area.	
5.	2010 Annual Unannounced Inspection of Contact, Referral and Assessment Arrangements within Sefton's Children's Service Report of the Strategic Director - Children, Schools and Families	All Wards; (Pages 7 - 14)
6.	Schools Access Initiative: Additional Schemes Report of the Strategic Director - Children, Schools and Families	Cambridge; Derby; (Pages 15 - 20)

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| 7. | Sure Start Early Years and Childcare Grant: Quality and Access 2010/11: Update
Report of the Strategic Director - Children, Schools and Families | All Wards; | (Pages 21 - 24) |
| 8. | Sefton City Learning Centres: Capital Redevelopment Funding
Report of the Strategic Director - Children, Schools and Families | All Wards; | (Pages 25 - 30) |
| 9. | Outline Business Case for the Use of Thornton Site for Post 16 learners with Learning Difficulties and/or Disabilities
Report of the Strategic Director - Children, Schools and Families | Manor; | (Pages 31 - 36) |
| 10. | Post 16 Annual Travel Passes - Policy Review
Report of the Strategic Director - Children, Schools and Families | All Wards; | (Pages 37 - 50) |
| 11. | Skills Funding Agency (SFA)/ European Social Fund (ESF) Co-Financed Provision.
Joint report of the Strategic Director - Children, Schools and Families and the Planning and Economic Development Director | All Wards; | (Pages 51 - 56) |