| Report Title: | Cabinet Member Update Reports | | |
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| Date of meeting: | 28 January 2025 | | |
| Report to: | Overview and Scrutiny (Childrens Services and Safeguarding) | | |
| Report of: | Chief Legal and Democratic Officer | | |
| Portfolio: | Children, Schools and Families | | |
| Wards affected: | All | | |
| Is this a key decision: | No | Included in Forward Plan: | No |
| Exempt/confidential report: | No | , | |

Summary:

To submit the Cabinet Member – Children, Schools and Families report relating to the remit of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee for the period November 2024 to January 2025.

Recommendation(s): That the report be noted.

1. The Rationale and Evidence for the Recommendations

- 1.1 In order to keep Overview and Scrutiny Members informed, the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board has agreed for relevant Cabinet Member Reports to be submitted to appropriate Overview and Scrutiny Committees.
- 1.2 The most recent Cabinet Member report for Children, Schools and Families

2. Financial Implications

- 2.1 Any financial implications associated with the Cabinet Member report that are referred to in this update are contained within the report.
 - (A) Revenue Costs see above
 - (B) Capital Costs see above

3. Legal Implications

3.1 Any legal implications associated with the Cabinet Member report that are referred to in this update are contained within the report.

4. Corporate Risk Implications

4.1 Any legal implications associated with the Cabinet Member report that are referred to in this update are contained within the report.

5 Staffing HR Implications

5.1 Any staffing HR implications associated with the Cabinet Member report that are referred to in this update are contained within the report.

6 Conclusion

6.1 The Overview and Scrutiny Management Board has agreed for relevant Cabinet Member Reports to be submitted to appropriate Overview and Scrutiny Committees.

This report has therefore been submitted to comply with the decision of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board.

Alternative Options Considered and Rejected

No alternative options have been considered because the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board has agreed for relevant Cabinet Member Reports to be submitted to appropriate Overview and Scrutiny Committees.

Equality Implications:

There are no direct equality implications. Any equality implications arising from the consideration of any decisions contained in the update would have been/will be reported to members at the appropriate time.

(Please note that Council have agreed care experience should be treated like a protected characteristic.)

Impact on Children and Young People:

There are no direct children and young people implications. Any children and young people implications arising from the consideration of any decisions contained in the update would have been/will be reported to members at the appropriate time.

Climate Emergency Implications:

The recommendations within this report will have a Neutral impact.

There are no direct climate emergency implications arising from this report. Any climate emergency implications arising from the consideration of any decisions contained in the

update would have been/will be reported to members at the appropriate time.

What consultations have taken place on the proposals and when?

(A) Internal Consultations

The Cabinet Member Update Report is not subject to FD/LD consultation. Any specific financial and legal implications associated with any subsequent reports arising from the attached Cabinet Member update report will be included in those reports as appropriate.

(B) External Consultations

Not applicable.

Implementation Date for the Decision:

With immediate effect.

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Appendices:

The following appendix is attached to this report:

Appendix A – Education and Children's Social Care Update