

## RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL CYNGOR BWRDEIS TREF SIROL RHONDDA CYNON TAF

A virtual Meeting of the Corporate Parenting Board will be held on

7 May 2024 at 10.00 am

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### **ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION**

#### 1. DECLARATION OF INTEREST

To receive disclosures of personal interest from Members in accordance with the Code of Conduct

#### Note:

- Members are requested to identify the item number and subject matter that their interest relates to and signify the nature of the personal interest: and
- 2. Where Members withdraw from a meeting as a consequence of the disclosure of a prejudicial interest they must notify the Chairman when they leave.

#### 2. MINUTES

To approve, as an accurate record, the minutes of the last meeting of the Corporate Parenting Board held on 19<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

(Pages 5 - 8)

# 3. VISITS MADE TO FRONTLINE TEAMS BY MEMBERS OF THE CORPORATE PARENTING BOARD DURING THE 2023 - 2024 MUNICIPAL YEAR

To receive the report of the Chair which provides an update on the visits made to frontline teams by Members of the Corporate Parenting Board during the 2023-2024 Municipal Year.

### 4. CORPORATE PARENTING PLEDGE FOR RHONDDA CYNON TAF

To receive details of Cabinet's recent decision to approve the draft Corporate Parenting Pledge for Rhondda Cynon Taf and commitment to the Welsh Government's Corporate Parenting Charter: "A Promise from Wales."

(Pages 11 - 104)

### 5. TROS GYNNAL PLANT CYMRU

To receive the Tros Gynnal Plant (TGP) Cymru quarterly progress report.

(Pages 105 - 114)

### 6. VIRTUAL SCHOOL MODEL PILOT - INTERIM EVALUATION OF YEAR 2

To receive an update on the progress made during year 2 of the Virtual School (for CLA) Pilot.

(Pages 115 - 154)

### 7. RESIDENTIAL CARE TRANSFORMATION STRATEGY - A PROGRESS REPORT

To receive an update in respect of the delivery of the RCT Residential Care Transformation Strategy 2022-2027.

(Pages 155 - 160)

### 8. YOUNG CARERS ANNUAL REPORT 2023-2024

To receive an update on the work undertaken with young carers in RCT during the 2023-2024 Municipal Year.

(Pages 161 - 198)

### 9. TO CONSIDER PASSING THE FOLLOWING UNDER-MENTIONED RESOLUTION:

"That the press and public be excluded from the meeting under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act, 1972 (as amended) for the next item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 13 of Part 4 of Schedule 12A of the Act."

### 10. QUALITY OF CARE REVIEW (REGULATION 80) REPORT

To receive an update on the monitoring carried out under Regulation 80 of the Regulation and Inspection (Wales) Act 2016.

(Pages 199 - 302)

### 11. UPDATE IN RELATION TO THE CHILDREN LOOKED AFTER: RESIDENTIAL CARE STRATEGY 2022-2027

To receive an update in relation to the Children Looked After: Residential Care Strategy 2022 – 2027

(Pages 303 - 312)

#### 12. URGENT BUSINESS

To consider any items which the Chair by reason of special circumstances is of the opinion should be considered at the meeting as a matter of urgency.

### **Circulation:**

### **County Borough Councillors:**

Councillor G Caple (Chair)
Councillor R Lewis (Vice-Chair)
Councillor C Leyshon
Councillor J Bonetto
Councillor P Evans
Councillor S Hickman
Councillor S Rees

Councillor S Trask

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