



RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

RECORD OF DECISIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE

DECISION MADE BY: Cabinet DATE DECISION MADE: 26th October 2017

Agenda Item: 5

**SUBJECT:
A REVIEW OF RHONDDA CYNON TAF'S FAMILIES FIRST PROGRAMME**

**Cabinet Members Present
County Borough Councillors:**

A.Morgan (Chairman), M. Webber, R.Bevan, A.Crimmings,
G.Hopkins, M.Norris, R.Lewis & C.Leyshon.

**Apology for Absence
County Borough Councillor:**

J.Rosser

**Other Councillor(s) in Attendance:-
S Bradwick, G Hughes, M Tegg & R Yeo**

1. DECISION MADE:

Agreed –

1. To note the information contained within the report.
2. To the proposed arrangements as outlined within the report for the implementation of the Resilient Families Service to deliver an improved Team Around the Family (TAF) model across RCT.
3. To authorise the Service Director, Public Health and Protection, to implement the report's commissioning proposals, specifically in relation to the Disability Focus, Parenting Support and Youth Support elements of the Families First grant.

2. REASON FOR THE DECISION BEING MADE:

The need to ensure that the re-commissioning of services will deliver a programme in line with Welsh Government's new Families First guidance, which supports the development and delivery of Rhondda Cynon Taf's new Resilient Families Service

3. LINKS TO CORPORATE PRIORITIES / FUTURE GENERATIONS – SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT.

As outlined within section 13 of the report the decision would contribute to:

- The Council's Vision of *'a County Borough that has high aspirations, is confident and promotes opportunity for all'*;
- Achieving a healthy, well educated, safe and skilled population;
- The preventative and early intervention action taken to reduce the number of people entering statutory services;
- The Social Services and Wellbeing Act and its fundamental principle of promoting people's independence to give them stronger voice and control;
- The Public Services Board area based approach to partnership working;
- The Sustainable Development Principle, specifically in relation to involving people, collaboration and prevention.

4. CONSULTATION UNDERTAKEN PRIOR TO DECISION BEING MADE:

As outlined within Section 10 of the report consultation has been undertaken with key stakeholders and existing providers.

5. PREVIOUS CONSIDERATION BY A COMMITTEE OF THE COUNCIL
None

6. PERSONAL INTERESTS DECLARED:
None

7. DISPENSATION TO SPEAK (AS GRANTED BY STANDARDS COMMITTEE):
N/A

8. (a) IS THE DECISION SUBJECT TO CALL-IN BY THE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE:

YES NO

Note: This decision will not come into force and may not be implemented until the expiry of 5 clear working days after its publication i.e. **3rd November, 2017** to enable it to be the subject to the Call-In Procedure in Rule 17.1 of the Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rules.

8. (b) IF NO, REASONS WHY IN THE OPINION OF THE DECISION-MAKER THE DECISION IS DEEMED EXEMPT OR NON APPLICABLE:

- I. COUNCIL FUNCTION (CALL IN IS THEREFORE NON APPLICABLE):-
Reason:.....**N/A**.....
- II. URGENT DECISION:-
Reason:.....**N/A**.....

8. (c) IF DEEMED URGENT - SIGNATURE OF MAYOR OR DEPUTY MAYOR OR HEAD OF PAID SERVICE CONFIRMING AGREEMENT THAT THE PROPOSED DECISION IS REASONABLE IN ALL THE CIRCUMSTANCES FOR IT BEING TREATED AS A MATTER OF URGENCY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PROCEDURE RULE 17.2:

N/A

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(Mayor)

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(Dated)



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(Proper Officer)

26th October, 2017
(Dated)