

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

1 December 2020 at 1.00 pm

Contact: Hannah Williams - Council Business Unit, Democratic Services (01443 424062)

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

1. DECLARATION OF INTEREST

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

Note:

- 1. 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 the minutes of the meeting held on 21st September 2020.

(Pages 5 - 10)

3. TROS GYNNAL PLANT (TGP) CYMRU

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

(Pages 11 - 22)

4. MISKIN ANNUAL REPORT 2019-20 AND THERAPEUTIC FAMILIES TEAM ANNUAL REPORT 2019-20

To receive the report of the Group Director, Community and Children's Services, which provides the Corporate Parenting Board with the Miskin Annual Report 2019-20 and Therapeutic Families Team Annual Report 2019-20.

(Pages 23 - 80)

5. 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."

6. INDEPENDENT SECTOR PLACEMENTS

To receive the report of the Group Director, Community and Children's Services, which provides the Corporate Parenting Board with an update and overview on RCT Children's services commissioning and monitoring of external placements for children looked after.

(Pages 81 - 88)

7. REGULATION 73 REPORTS

To receive the report of the Group Director, Community & Children's Services, updating members on the Regulation 73 visits and the current position within RCT's Residential Children's Homes and the impact of the current Covid-19 Pandemic on service delivery to children and young people.

(Pages 89 - 112)

8. SOCIAL SERVICES QUARTERLY COMPLAINTS & COMPLIMENTS

To receive the report of the Group Director, Community & Children's Services providing the Corporate Parenting Board with an overview of the operation and effectiveness of the statutory Social Services complaints procedure.

(Pages 113 - 128)

9. CHILD PRACTICE REVIEW

To receive the report of the Group Director, Community and Children's Services, which provides the Corporate Parenting Board Members (CPB) of the contents and recommendations, of a concise Child Practice Review (CPR); conducted by Cwm Taf Morgannwg Safeguarding Children Board (CTMSB).

(Pages 129 - 132)

Circulation:

County Borough Councillors:

Councillor C Leyshon (Chair) Councillor G Hopkins (Vice-Chair) Councillor J Rosser Councillor J James Councillor S. Rees-Owen Councillor R Yeo Councillor E Griffiths

Officers:

Gio Isingrini, Group Director Community & Children's Services Christian Hanagan, Service Director of Democratic Services & Communication Cara Miles, Childcare Solicitor Ann-Marie Browning, Head of Children's Looked After Service Annabel Lloyd, Service Director, Children's Services Ceri Jones, Head of Access & Inclusion Jayne Thomas, Complaints & QA Manager, Social Services

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