



RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNCIL

RECORD OF DECISIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE

DECISION MADE BY: Cabinet DATE DECISION MADE: 24 January, 2019

Cabinet Members Present:

Councillor A Morgan (Chair), Councillor M Webber (Vice-Chair),
Councillor A Crimmings, Councillor G Hopkins, Councillor M Norris,
Councillor J Rosser and Councillor R Lewis

Apologies for Absence:

Councillor C Leyshon and Councillor R Bevan

Other Councillor(s) in Attendance:-

Councillor G Caple
Councillor S Bradwick
Councillor J Bonetto

Agenda Item : 7

**SUBJECT: NATIONAL ADOPTION ANNUAL REPORT 2017/2018 AND THE VALE,
VALLEYS AND CARDIFF REGIONAL ADOPTION COLLABORATIVE ANNUAL
REPORT 2017/18**

1. DECISION MADE:

Agreed –

1. To note the contents of both the Annual Reports.
2. To receive further reports at future meetings.

2. REASON FOR THE DECISION BEING MADE:

In accordance with legislation, the need to present the National Adoption Annual report and the Vale, Valleys and Cardiff Regional Collaborative Annual report to Cabinet.

3. LINKS TO CORPORATE PRIORITIES/FUTURE GENERATIONS - SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT:

The National Adoption Service and Regional VVC Service makes a positive contribution towards the Council's Corporate Plan Vision of 'a County Borough that has high aspirations, is confident and promotes opportunity for all'; as it will deliver against the specific priorities of 'People - Promoting independence and positive lives for everyone and 'Place - Creating neighbourhoods where people are proud to live and work'.

It will also help the Council to meet three of the seven wellbeing goals that The Well Being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015' puts in place as follows: a more equal Wales; a healthier Wales and a Wales of cohesive communities.

4. CONSULTATION UNDERTAKEN PRIOR TO DECISION BEING MADE:

Consultation was undertaken by the National Adoption Service Wales and the Vale, Valleys and Cardiff Adoption Collaborative (VVC) in the preparation of the Annual Reports with children, young people, families, a variety of partner agencies and staff.

5. PREVIOUS CONSIDERATION BY A COMMITTEE OF THE COUNCIL:

[Children & Young People Scrutiny Committee](#) – 7th November, 2018.

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

Note: This decision will not come into force and may not be implemented until the expiry of 3 clear working days after its publication i.e. **30 January 2019** 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 EXEMPT OR NON APPLICABLE:

I. COUNCIL / SCRUTINY 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:

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(Mayor)

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(Dated)

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