



CABINET

4.00 pm WEDNESDAY, 24TH MARCH, 2021

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AGENDA

1. Apologies for absence

2. Declarations of Interest

Members are reminded of their personal responsibility to declare any personal and prejudicial interest in respect of matters contained in this agenda in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government and Finance Act 1992 relating to Council Tax, the Local Government Act 2000, the Council's Constitution and the Members Code of Conduct

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- (b) Where Members withdraw from a Meeting as a consequence of the disclosure of a prejudicial interest they must notify the Chair when they leave

OPEN SESSION

Strategic

- 3. Annual Equality Report 2019/20
To consider report of the Interim Chief Executive **5 - 46**

Portfolio

- 4. Future Commitment to Delivering Shared Regional Education Advisory Services For Children And Young People With A Sensory Impairment
To consider report of the Chief Officer Education **47 - 92**
- 5. National Fostering Framework - Regional Working
To consider report of the Chief Officer Social Services **93 - 102**

Information Reports

- 6. Direct Payments Scheme
To receive report of the Chief Officer Social Services **103 - 106**
- 7. Any Other Business Deemed Urgent by the Chair

COMPOSITION:

Councillors L Mytton (Chair)
C Davies (Vice-Chair)

Councillors A Barry, D Hughes, G Thomas and
T Rogers

together with appropriate officers

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