Record of Decisions

Corporate Parenting Strategy

Decision Taker

Mayor on 24 September 2015

Decision

That the Corporate Parenting Strategy set out in Appendix 2 to the submitted report be approved.

Reason for the Decision

To ensure the Council meets its statutory requirements to enact its Corporate Parenting responsibilities within the Children Act 1989.

Implementation

This decision will come into force and may be implemented on 7 October 2015 unless the callin procedure is triggered (as set out in Standard Orders in relation to Overview and Scrutiny).

Information

The submitted report set out the Corporate Parenting Strategy as recommended by the Corporate Parenting Board. The Strategy delivers the Council's statutory responsibilities in respect of Corporate Parenting. Corporate Parenting refers to the collective responsibility of the Council to take strategic responsibility for providing the best possible care and protection for our children looked after.

The Mayor considered the recommendations of the Council made on 24 September 2015 and his decision is set out above.

Alternative Options considered and rejected at the time of the decision

None

Is this a Key Decision?

No

Does the call-in procedure apply?

Yes

Declarations of interest (including details of any relevant dispensations issued by the Standards Committee)

None

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Signed:

Mayor of Torbay

Date: 29 September 2015