

Record of Decisions

Children's Services - Sufficiency Strategy

Decision Taker

Cabinet on 13 July 2021.

Decision

That the Sufficiency Strategy 2021-2024 be approved.

Reason for the Decision

To provide an update on the progress of the Children's Services Sufficiency Strategy (2019) and present the updated 3 year sufficiency Strategy 2021/24.

Implementation

This decision will come into force and may be implemented on 26 July 2021 unless the call-in procedure is triggered (as set out in the Standing Orders in relation to Overview and Scrutiny).

Information

The Sufficiency Strategy was launched in November 2019. It was detailed in nature, based entirely upon local evidence and national research and set out challenging targets that if achieved would strongly support Torbay's ambition to become a good or better local children's service authority.

The new 3 year Sufficiency Strategy sets out, against the key strands, the progress that had been made and the 'next steps' that were required to ensure the delivery of a good quality service and living arrangements for our children.

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: _____
Leader of Torbay Council on behalf of the Cabinet

Date: _____