Children and Young People's Overview and Scrutiny Sub-Board Action Tracker

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30/1/23	24	That the Cabinet be recommended to approve the revised Corporate Parenting Strategy as set out in the submitted report subject to the following:	Report submitted to the Cabinet on 21 March 2023
		1. amend paragraph 1.2 to read 'wider partnership';	
		2. to include photos and membership of the whole of the Corporate Parenting Board and not just the Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Children's Services in the forward to show that this was their collective responsibility;	
		3. to include reference to the housing needs for care experienced young people and reference to the Torbay's Housing Crisis Review recommendations set out below:	
		to consider paying private landlords more than the standard one month deposit (normally the equivalent to one month's rent) to encourage them to rent properties to care experienced young people to give them more confidence they will not be left out of pocket once the young person has moved on;	
		to request that provision of new accommodation for care experienced young people should be a priority	

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		for TorVista Homes and other registered housing providers;	
		 to explore options to enable more care experienced young people to remain longer term with their foster carers; 	
		 to explore options for Banding in Devon Home Choice to see if care experienced young people can be given a higher priority and what processes are in place; and 	
		to request that officers look at good practice from other local authorities when refreshing the Affordable Housing Supplementary Planning Document (SPD) to see how we can encourage the development of more larger family homes, single units, units for care experienced young people or units to assist adults with a disability to live independently; and	
		4. page 12 of the Strategy to be amended to reflect that The Circle and My Voice participation groups are no longer facilitated by Torbay Youth Trust and have been brought back inhouse.	
30/1/23	25	that the Sub-Board requests that Children and Family Health Devon be invited to attend their next meeting to provide an update on what they were doing to resolve the lack of a CAMHS support for the Youth Justice	Complete – they have been invited to the next meeting and confirmed attendance.

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		Service to ensure that provision of at least one day a week is commissioned as soon as possible as well as responding to overall issues in connection with the lack of access for young people to CAMHS services; and	
		2. that the Children and Young People's Overview and Scrutiny Sub-Board supports the proposal for Youth Provision at the One World Café.	An email was sent to the TDA and Cabinet Member for Economic Regeneration, Tourism and Housing – Councillor Swithin Long expressing the Sub-Board's support on 2 February 2023.