

BRIDGEND COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL
CORPORATE PARENTING CABINET COMMITTEE

16 JANUARY 2013

REPORT OF THE CORPORATE DIRECTOR - CHILDREN

INFORMAL FORWARD WORK PROGRAMME – JANUARY 2013 – APRIL 2013

1. Purpose of Report

- 1.1 To seek approval for the proposed Informal Forward Work programme covering the period from January 2013 to April 2013.

2. Connection to Corporate Plan

- 2.1 The work of the Committee is linked to the “Young Voices” theme.

3. Background

- 3.1 The Cabinet Committee manages its business through the Formal and Informal Forward Work Programmes agreed regularly throughout the year. In March 2012, a projection of the topics to be covered was put forward and accepted by the Cabinet Committee for inclusion in the Informal Forward Work Programme. These have been added to in subsequent meetings.

4. Current Situation

- 4.1 The topics detailed in Appendix I have previously been accepted for inclusion in the Informal Forward Work Programme between January 2013 to April 2013. However, three further topics are being proposed for inclusion in the Informal Work Programme, these being;

- Independent Reviewing Service Annual Report.
- Bridgend County Borough Council Adoption Service Annual Report.
- The Educational Achievements of Looked After Children in Bridgend.

5. Effect upon Policy Framework and Procedure Rules

5.1 None.

6. Equality Impact Assessment

6.1 This has been considered but as there are no new or changed services policy / functions in this report, it is therefore not applicable at this time.

7. Financial Implications

7.1 None.

8. Recommendations

8.1 It is recommended that the Committee approves the Informal Forward Work Programme as appended to the report and considers whether it wishes to propose any other items for inclusion.

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Background Documents

Appendix 1