

## minutes

Meeting POLICY COMMITTEE

Date Wednesday 18 January 2017

#### membership

Persons absent are marked with 'A'

#### COUNCILLORS

Alan Rhodes (Chairman) Joyce Bosnjak (Vice-Chairman)

David Kirkham Reg Adair Chris Barnfather John Knight **David Martin** Mrs Kay Cutts MBE Stephen Garner Diana Meale Glynn Gilfoyle Philip Owen **Kevin Greaves** John Peck JP Stuart Wallace Alice Grice Stan Heptinstall MBE Muriel Weisz

Richard Jackson

#### **ALSO IN ATTENDANCE**

Councillor Roy Allan Councillor Kate Foale
Councillor Alan Bell Councillor Liz Plant

Councillor Nicki Brooks Councillor Yvonne Woodhead

Councillor Steve Carroll

#### **OFFICERS IN ATTENDANCE**

Anthony May Chief Executive

David Pearson Adult Social Care, Health & Public Protection

Colin Pettigrew Children, Families and Cultural Services

Adrian Smith Place

Carl Bilbey Martin Done Keith Ford

Jayne Francis-Ward

Mark Knight Cathy Munro Marjorie Toward Michelle Welsh Resources

## **OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE**

Stuart Young East Midlands Councils

### **MINUTES**

The Minutes of the last meeting held on 14 December 2016, having been previously circulated, were confirmed and signed by the Chairman.

#### **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

The following temporary changes of membership, for this meeting only, were reported:-

- Councillor David Martin replaced Councillor Jason Zadrozny;
- Councillor Alice Grice replaced Councillor Jim Creamer.

## **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST BY MEMBERS AND OFFICERS**

None.

# SCHOOL AND EARLY YEARS FUNDING - AGREEMENT OF THE LOCAL FUNDING FORMULA FOR 2017-18

**RESOLVED: 2017/001** 

That the recommendations of the Schools Forum, as outlined in Appendix 1 to the report, to distribute available funding between Nottinghamshire schools, academies and early year providers in 2017-18, be approved.

#### MODERN SLAVERY AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING STATEMENT

During discussions, Members requested that this issue and Child Sexual Exploitation be included within the future Members' induction training programme.

**RESOLVED: 2017/002** 

- That the statement attached as Appendix A to the report, which demonstrates the Council's commitment to ensuring that there are no victims of slavery or human trafficking employed directly by the Council in its commissioned services or supply chains, be agreed.
- That Policy Committee receives annual updates measuring performance, identifying any new risks and reporting on progress at the end of the financial year.

#### THE WORK OF EAST MIDLANDS COUNCILS

The Chair welcomed Stuart Young, Executive Director of East Midlands Councils, to the meeting.

**RESOLVED: 2017/003** 

That the work and activities of East Midlands Councils be noted.

## **COMMERCIAL DEVELOPMENT UNIT 2017**

**RESOLVED: 2017/004** 

- 1) That the following services be included in the first cohort of the commercial development programme:
  - a. Brooke Farm
  - b. Procurement
- 2) That a report be brought back to Policy Committee in May 2017 with the recommendations about the next steps for each of these service areas.

## MIDLANDS ENGINE TRADE MISSION TO CHINA

**RESOLVED: 2017/005** 

- 1) That the Chief Executive be authorised to develop a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Nottinghamshire County Council and the Provincial Government of Zhejiang.
- 2) That the Chief Executive be authorised to make an application to the Cross-Government Prosperity Fund to help meet further costs and visits.
- 3) That associated costs (of no more than £40,000 by the end of 2017/18) be met from the Economic Development budget.
- 4) That Economic Development Committee be authorised to agree future milestones and targets, and monitor progress through quarterly reporting up to 31 March 2018.

#### **WORK PROGRAMME**

**RESOLVED: 2017/006** 

That the work programme be noted.

The meeting closed at 11.50 am

**CHAIRMAN**