



Overview & Scrutiny Board

15 September 2020

Subject Heading:

Pre-Decision Scrutiny of a Cabinet Report
– Havering Corporate Parenting Strategy

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Policy context:

To support our community of Children
Looked After by the local authority and
those leaving care.

Financial summary:

The Corporate Parenting strategy will be
implemented from existing resources.

The subject matter of this report deals with the following Council Objectives

Communities making Havering
Places making Havering
Opportunities making Havering
Connections making Havering

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SUMMARY

In accordance with the pre-decision scrutiny protocol included in the agenda papers, the attached report is brought to the Overview and Scrutiny Board for scrutiny and comment prior to a final decision being made by Cabinet.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Board considers the Cabinet report and appendices and determines whether there are comments, amendments they wish to recommend to Cabinet or the individual decision maker.

REPORT DETAIL

The attached report on the Havering Corporate Parenting Strategy has been selected by the Board as a subject for pre-decision scrutiny. It is suggested that the Board discuss the proposals contained in the report and agrees any points, comments or, if appropriate, alternative recommendations it would like addressed when the report is presented to Cabinet on 16 September. These will be addressed by the Cabinet Member in his introduction to the report at the Cabinet meeting.

It should be noted that, unless the proposal is different from that which the decision-maker is subsequently required to consider, the pre-decision scrutiny of the subject prevents the opportunity for call-in once the decision is made by the Cabinet.

As per Appendices

Appendix A – Cabinet report

Appendix B – Equality and Health Impact Assessment

Appendix C – Havering Corporate Parenting Strategy