



COUNCIL MEETING

22 March 2018

MEMBERSHIP OF THE CORPORATE PARENTING OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY SUB COMMITTEE

Sheena Ramsey, Chief Executive

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1. Council is asked to approve an increase in the size of the membership of the Corporate Parenting Overview and Scrutiny Sub-Committee.

BACKGROUND

2. The Council on 15 May 2014 agreed changes to its decision making structures. These included provision for a Corporate Parenting Overview and Scrutiny Sub Committee with a membership of nine councillors. This is a Sub-Committee of the Families OSC and its membership is drawn from that Committee.
3. The membership of the Sub-Committee has been reviewed and it is considered that it should be increased to fifteen councillors to enable greater involvement of members in reviewing the Council's arrangements for ensuring that the Council fulfils its role as corporate parent.
4. The existing number of co-opted members on the Sub-Committee will not change.

RECOMMENDATIONS

5. Council is recommended to:
 - (i) approve the increase in the membership size of the Corporate Parenting Overview and Scrutiny Sub-Committee as outlined above; and
 - (ii) agree the revised membership of the Corporate Parenting Overview and Scrutiny Sub-Committee (which will be circulated prior to the meeting).