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NOTICE OF MEETING

CORPORATE PARENTING PANEL

Date & Time

Monday, 5 March 2012 at 2.30 p.m.

Venue at

Room 15, Priory House, Monks Walk, Shefford

Richard Carr
Chief Executive

PLEASE NOTE THE START TIME

To: The Chairman and Members of the CORPORATE PARENTING PANEL:

Elected Members (voting)

CLrs M A G Versallion (Chairman), Mrs A Barker (Vice-Chairman), D Bowater, N B Costin, Mrs S A Goodchild, Mrs D B Gurney, N J Sheppard and B Wells

[Named Substitutes:

CLrs: P N Aldis and I A MacKilligan]

Officers (voting)

Deputy Chief Executive/Director of Children's Services
Director of Social Care, Health and Housing

Carers (non-voting)

Only two of the four foster carers' co-opted representatives will be expected to attend at any one meeting.

AGENDA

1. **Apologies**

To receive any apologies for absence and notification of substitute Members.

2. **Minutes**

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting of the Corporate Parenting Panel held on 10 January 2012 (copy attached).

3. **Chairman's Announcements and Communications**

To receive any announcements from the Chairman and any matters of communication.

4. **Members' Interests**

To receive from Members declarations and the nature thereof in relation to:-

- (a) personal interests in any agenda item;
- (b) personal and prejudicial interests in any agenda item.

Reports

Item	Subject	Page Nos.
5	Children in Care Council Annual Report for 2011/12 To consider and comment on the Children in Care Council Annual Report for 2011/12 and the Looked After Children and Young People's Participation Work Programme for 2011/12. A presentation will be made outlining the key points contained in the Annual Report.	* 9 - 34
6	Looked After Children Placement Strategy To consider and comment on the Looked After Children Placement Strategy for 2011/12.	* 35 - 50
7	Quarter Three Report on the Fostering Service - October to December 2011 To receive an outline of activity in the Fostering Service during Quarter Three, with comparison to Quarters One and Two.	* 51 - 58