

Task and Finish Group – Engagement with Young People

REMINDER OF BACKGROUND

At the previous meeting of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee on 31st January 2022, the Committee agreed to establish a Task and Finish Group to consider how the Council engages with young people. This decision followed a Notice of Motion which was approved by full Council at the meeting on 27th January 2022, resolving to:

- Review the processes and methods it uses to engage, involve and consult with young people.
- Request that the Overview and Scrutiny Committee set up a Task and Finish Group to consider how the Council engages with young people.
- Make a report and recommendations to Cabinet about how to engage and communicate with young people in future.

The Task and Finish Group will be an informal and time-limited project aiming to gather evidence and produce recommendations. The Task and Finish Group will meet regularly over the next few months or as often as needed until the project is complete, with frequent contact with key officer contacts.

Membership of Task and Finish Groups should initially be agreed by the Overview and Scrutiny Committee.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Overview and Scrutiny Committee is asked to approve the following Membership of the Task and Finish Group:

Councillor A. Chambers
Councillor Chambers-Dubus
Councillor Gravells
Councillor O'Donnell
Councillor Radley

NEXT STEPS

A scoping session will shortly be arranged with the group and supporting officers to decide which Member will chair the group, and to outline what the focus of the group will be.