

Education and Families Committee – 28 August 2017

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Item	Subject	Decision
1	Children's Services Performance Report – Three Month/First Quarter 2017/18	The Education and Families discussed the contents of the report, and made comments on progress against priorities to inform further activity within the remainder of this year, and the planning process for next and future years.
2	Management Accounts for Education and Families Committee: Projected Outturn at Quarter 1	The Education and Families Committee reviewed the Management Accounts showing the projected outturn position at Quarter 1, and agreed the actions set out by the Director of Children's Services to mitigate the estimated overspend.
3	Corporate Parenting Strategy	<p>The Education and Families Committee recommended approval of the Corporate Parenting Strategy to the Policy and Resources Committee.</p> <p>The Education and Families Committee recommended that the Council appoints the Chair of the Education and Families Committee, Councillor George Smith, as Chair of the Corporate Parenting Board, and nominated the following two elected members to be appointed to the Corporate Parenting Board:</p> <p>Councillor Theo Smith Councillor John Fraser</p>
4	Shetland's Autism Spectrum Disorder Strategy 2016-21: Action Plan Update	The Education and Families Committee noted the progress made in taking forward Shetland's Autism Spectrum Disorder Strategy 2016-2021 Action Plan, and delegated authority to provide future updates on an annual basis through the Children's Services Directorate Plan.
5	Shetland Child Protection Committee Annual Report 2016/17	The Education and Families Committee noted the Shetland Child Protection Committee Annual Report for 2016/17, as part of its scrutiny role under the approved Planning and Performance Management Framework.
6	Shetland's Integrated Children and Young People's Services Plan	The Education and Families Committee approved the Integrated Children's Services Plan.
7	Excellence and Equity in Scottish Education	The Education and Families Committee noted the key steps being taken to address the national Excellence and Equity agenda, and approved the draft National Improvement Framework Plan, due for publication on 1 September 2017 following completion of consultation with stakeholders.
8	Expansion of Early Learning and Childcare	The Education and Families Committee considered the first draft of the Strategic Delivery Plan, approved the initial Strategic Delivery Plan in order to meet the timescale for submission to the Scottish

		Government by 29 September 2017, and noted that a finalised version of the Strategic Delivery Plan would be submitted to the Education and Families Committee for final approval, including estimated costings in capital and revenue for the expansion.
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