

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

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| Decision Maker: | Cabinet |
| Date: | 20 July 2015 |
| Title: | Hampshire's Children and Young People's Plan 2015-2018 |
| Reference: | 6702 |
| Report From: | Director of Children's Services |

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1. The decision:

1.1 That Cabinet endorse and approve the Children and Young People's Plan for 2015-18 and ask the Director of Children's Services to note the issues raised by Cabinet.

2. Reasons for the decision:

2.1 The Children's Trust was developed to meet the requirements of the Children Act 2004. The formation of a Children's Trust and production of a children and young people's plan were statutory requirements. Statutory guidance on Children's Trusts has been withdrawn and regulations around children and young people's plans revoked reducing the requirements for local authorities. However, the 'duty to cooperate' and the requirements for each local authority of have a Children's Trust Board remain in place. Hampshire Children's Trust remains strongly committed to improving the lives of children, young people and families and has chosen to retain the use of a Children and Young People's Plan to share its vision and deliver its priorities.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

3.1 The refreshed Children and Young People's Plan establishes the vision and priorities for Hampshire's Children's Trust for a period of three years and provides a strategic framework for local activity.

4. Conflicts of interest:

4.1 Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker: None

4.2 Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted: None

5 Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel: none.

6 Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: not applicable.

7 Statement from the Decision Maker:

Approved by:

Date:

20 July 2015

**Chairman of the Cabinet
Councillor R Perry**