

Meeting **CHILDREN AND FAMILIES ADVISORY PANEL**

Date and Time **TUESDAY 2 FEBRUARY 2016 AT 1.30PM**

Place **CHUTE ROOM, ELIZABETH II COURT SOUTH,  
THE CASTLE, WINCHESTER**

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## **AGENDA**

### **1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

To receive any apologies for absence.

### **2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

All Members who believe they have a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest in any matter to be considered at the meeting must declare that interest and, having regard to Part 3 Paragraph 1.5 of the County Council's Members' Code of Conduct, leave the meeting while the matter is discussed, save for exercising any right to speak in accordance with Paragraph 1.6 of the Code.

Furthermore all Members with a Personal Interest in a matter being considered at the meeting should consider, having regard to Part 5, Paragraph 4 of the Code, whether such interest should be declared, and having regard to Part 5, Paragraph 5 of the Code, consider whether it is appropriate to leave the meeting while the matter is discussed, save for exercising any right to speak in accordance with the Code.

### **3 MINUTES**

To confirm the Minutes of the meeting held on 6 October 2015.

### **4 CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS**

To receive any announcements the Chairman may wish to make.

### **5 THE ROLE OF SOCIAL WORKERS IN THE FAMILY COURT**

To receive a presentation from the Director of Children's Services on the Role of Social Workers in the Family Court.

### **6 FEEDBACK ON SEN INSPECTION**

To receive a report from the Director of Children's Services on the recent inspection of the SEN Service.

**7 UPDATE ON FOSTERING SERVICES**

To receive a report from the Director of Children's Services providing an update in relation to Fostering in the last year.

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