

CORPORATE PARENTING PANEL

THURSDAY, 9 NOVEMBER 2023 at 10.00 AM
 In the COUNCIL CHAMBER, COUNTY OFFICES, NEWLAND, LINCOLN LN1 1YL

MEMBERSHIP

<u>Lincolnshire County Council:</u>	Councillors S P Roe (Chairman), A G Hagues (Vice-Chairman), Mrs N F Clarke, Mrs J E Killey, C Matthews, N Sear and M A Whittington
<u>Added Members (non-voting):</u>	Polly Coombes, Ann Wright, Elizabeth Bunney, Caroline Sanders and 1 Vacancy(Children In Care Council Representative)

AGENDA

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1	Apologies for Absence/Replacement Members	
2	Declarations of Interest	
3	Minutes of the previous meeting held on 7 September 2023	3 - 12
4	Announcements by the Chairman and Chief Officers	
5	Independent Reviewing Service Six Monthly Update Report (1 April 2023 - 30 September 2023) <i>(To receive a report by Richard Stone, Team Manager – Quality and Standards (Lead for Children in Care), which provides a six-monthly update on the Independent Reviewing Service)</i>	13 - 32
6	Regulation 44 Independent Visitors Report <i>(To receive a report from Richard Stone, Team Manager – Quality and Standards (Lead for Children in Care), which provides a six-monthly update on the Regulation 44 Independent Visiting Service)</i>	33 - 62

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| 7 | Fostering Quarterly Performance Report - Quarters 1 and 2
<i>(To receive a report from Emily McAllister, Team Manager – Quality and Standards, which provides an overview of the Fostering Service Performance from April to September 2023)</i> | 63 - 86 |
| 8 | Private Fostering Annual Report 2022-2023
<i>(To receive a report from Nicola Brangam, Fostering Team Manager - South, which invites the Panel to review the Private Fostering Annual Report 2022-23)</i> | 87 - 102 |
| 9 | Annual Report of the Regional Adoption Agency
<i>(To receive a report from John Harris, Head of Regional Adoption Agency, which invites the Panel to review the Annual Report of the Regional Adoption Agency)</i> | 103 - 130 |
| 10 | Lincolnshire Children in Care Council - Voices for Choices (V4C) Update Report
<i>(To receive a report from Ben Lilley, Practice Supervisor (Quality and Standards), which provides an overview of the activities and actions carried out to support Voices for Choices and the Big Conversation between April – August 2023)</i> | 131 - 144 |
| 11 | Corporate Parenting Panel Work Programme
<i>(To receive a report by Tracy Johnson, Senior Scrutiny Officer, which invites the Panel to consider its work programme)</i> | 145 - 150 |
| 12 | INFORMATION ONLY ITEMS | |
| 13 | Private Fostering Statement of Purpose 2022-2023
<i>(The Panel are asked to note the Fostering Statement of Purpose 2022-23)</i> | 151 - 166 |

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