CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

20 NOVEMBER 2018

SCRUTINY OF PORTFOLIO HOLDER FOR EARLY INTERVENTION AND EARLY YEARS

REPORT OF HEAD OF LEGAL AND GOVERNANCE

1 Purpose

1.1 To speak to the Portfolio Holder for Early Intervention and Early Years about work that is taking place within that Portfolio, including performance against Council Plan objectives.

2 Action required

2.1 The Committee is asked to use the information provided at the meeting by the Portfolio Holder for Early Intervention and Early Years to inform questioning and review performance.

3 Background information

- 3.1 On 9 November 2015 the Council Plan was formally approved by Full Council and this guides the Council's services and approach to support the delivery of its key priorities for the City over the subsequent four years to 2019. The local authority is currently in the last year of the Plan.
- 3.2 Overview and scrutiny has a role in scrutinising performance and progress against the Council Plan and therefore a programme of sessions with Portfolio Holders has been established. The majority of these sessions are carried out by the Overview and Scrutiny Committee but the Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee leads on scrutiny of issues within the remit of the Portfolio Holder for Early Intervention and Early Years.
- 3.3 Councillor David Mellen is the Portfolio Holder for Early Intervention and Early Years. He will be attending the meeting to discuss progress against Council Plan objectives within the remit of his Portfolio and performance and future plans for the Portfolio.

4 <u>List of attached information</u>

- 4.1 None
- 5 <u>Background papers, other than published works or those</u> disclosing exempt or confidential information
- 5.1 None

6 Published documents referred to in compiling this report

6.1 Nottingham City Council Plan 2015-2019

7 Wards affected

- 7.1 All
- 8 Contact information
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