

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
22 JANUARY 2019
NOTTINGHAM CITY SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN BOARD ANNUAL REPORT 2017/18
REPORT OF HEAD OF LEGAL AND GOVERNANCE

1 Purpose

- 1.1 To consider the work of the Nottingham City Safeguarding Children Board during 2017/18.

2 Action required

- 2.1 The Committee is asked to use the Annual Report and discussions with the Independent Chair of the Board to review the work and effectiveness of the Nottingham City Safeguarding Children Board during 2017/18.

3 Background information

- 3.1 It is a statutory requirement that the Nottingham City Safeguarding Children Board produce an Annual Report on the effectiveness of child safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children in the area. It aims to provide a transparent assessment of the performance and effectiveness of the Board and work to keep children and young people safe;
- 3.2 Every year, the Independent Chair of the Board presents its Annual Report to this Committee to enable it to undertake its scrutiny role in relation to the effectiveness of safeguarding arrangements for children and young people in the City;
- 3.3 A copy of the Annual Report is attached. The Independent Chair, Chris Cook, and Nottingham City Council's Service Manager of Safeguarding Partnerships, John Matravers, will be attending the meeting to present the report.

4 List of attached information

- 4.1 Nottingham City Safeguarding Children Board Annual Report 2017/18.

5 Background papers, other than published works or those disclosing exempt or confidential information

- 5.1 None.

6 Published documents referred to in compiling this report

- 6.1 None.

7 Wards affected

7.1 All.

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