

Norfolk County Council

Date: **Monday 27 September 2021**

Time: **10.00 am**

Venue: **Council Chamber, County Hall, Martineau Lane,
Norwich NR1 2DH**

Supplementary Agenda

8.4. Report of the People and Communities Select Committee Page A2 **meeting held on 17 September 2021**

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Report of the People and Communities Select Committee meeting held on 17 September 2021

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1. Special Educational Needs (SEND): Performance Framework

- 1.1 The Committee received the regular report providing a range of performance data regarding services and provision for Special Educational Needs & Disability (SEND). Children's Services were reporting to Committee over a 2 year period (which began in November 2020) following recommendations by the Local Government & Social Care Ombudsman (LGSCO) in 2020 following their published investigation report. Subsequently it had been determined that this reporting, on the data set requested by the LGSCO, be expanded to take account of Norfolk's Area SEND Strategy and our Written Statement of Action response to the Area Ofsted/Care Quality Commission (CQC) SEND Inspection.
- 1.2 The Committee **RESOLVED**:
1. To **note** the ongoing content of the SEND performance framework and agree ongoing reporting at all subsequent meetings through to Summer 2022; complying with the outcome of the LGSCO report.
 2. To **agree** that the range of performance measures will directly assist with decision making regarding any policy changes needed over time as part of the range of SEND improvement programmes.

2. Care Quality and Market Position Task and Finish Group – record of work undertaken

- 2.1 The Committee received the report summarising the work completed by the Care Quality and Market Position Task and Finish Group, set up to undertake a deep dive into how care quality and market stability could be improved.
- 2.2 The Committee:
- **AGREED** that the Performance Review Panel further considers the findings of the task and finish group as part of its assurance and performance monitoring role.
 - **REQUESTED** further information to be brought back to a future meeting of the Committee.

3. Forward Work Programme

- 3.1 The Committee considered and **AGREED** the forward work programme.

Cllr Fabian Eagle, Chair
People and Communities Select Committee