CHILDRENS AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Agenda Item 62

Brighton & Hove City Council

Subject: Children and Young People's Overview and

Scrutiny Committee (CYPOSC) Work Plan for

2009/10

Date of Meeting: Wednesday 25 March 2009

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Wards Affected: All

FOR GENERAL RELEASE

1. SUMMARY AND POLICY CONTEXT:

- 1.1 CYPOSC need to develop a Work Programme that should include a mixture of forward looking policy development issues, performance monitoring and post decision and implementation scrutiny.
- 1.2 Any work programme needs to be developed taking into account the full range of issues under the Terms of Reference (TOR). There also needs to be coordination with partner agencies and the Local Area Agreement (LAA) priorities.

2. RECOMMENDATIONS:

2.1 To consider and make suggestions for a CYPOSC 2009/10 Work Programme and discuss ideas at the next Pre-meeting.

3. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

3.1 CYPOSC is presented with the 2008/9 Work Programme with a summary of what recommendations the Committee made to each of the reports and the TOR for comment.

3.2 A list of broad strategic issues have been identified as priorities from Children's Services have been put forward for the 2009/10 work programme, that the Committee may want to consider.

4. CONSULTATION

4.1 No formal consultation was undertaken.

5. FINANCIAL & OTHER IMPLICATIONS:

Financial Implications:

5.1 No financial implications have been identified.

Legal Implications:

5.2 No legal implications are anticipated and no legal advice has been sought.

Equalities Implications:

5.3 Some of the items listed in the work programme have significant equalities implications and members should bear this in mind when considering the work programme.

Sustainability Implications:

5.4 Some of the items listed in the work programme have some sustainability implications and members should bear this in mind when considering the work programme.

Crime & Disorder Implications:

5.5 No crime and disorder implications have been identified.

Risk and Opportunity Management Implications:

5.6 No risk and opportunity management implications have been identified. Corporate / Citywide Implications:

5.7 In determining the work programme for CYPOSC, members should be aware of the Council's corporate priorities, particularly the priority to "reduce inequality by increasing opportunity".

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

Appendices:

- **1. Appendix 1** Work programme for 2008/9 and what action was taken
- **2. Appendix 2 -** Terms of Reference
- 3. Appendix 3 DRAFT Work Programme for 2009/10

Documents in Members' Rooms:

Not applicable.

Background Documents:

None