

Time began 9.00am
Time ended 9.13am

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE CABINET MEMBER MEETING 20 DECEMBER 2013

Present: Councillor Rawson

15/13 Apologies

There were no apologies.

16/13 Late Items Introduced by the Chair

There were no late items.

17/13 Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations.

18/13 Proposed School Admission Arrangements for Maintained and Voluntary Controlled Schools 2015-16

The Cabinet Member received a report of the Strategic Director of Children and Young People on Proposed School Admission Arrangements for Maintained and Voluntary Controlled Schools 2015-16. The report was presented by the Head of School Place Planning and Organisation.

It was reported that the Council was the Admissions Authority for all maintained and voluntary controlled schools within Derby City and, therefore, must comply with the statutory duty to consult on any changes to its admission arrangements on behalf of those schools before they are determined and published in the year proceeding admission.

It was further reported that for the academic year 2015-16 the consultation must be completed by 1 March 2014 and a decision taken on the proposed arrangements by 15 April 2014.

The Cabinet member noted that Derby's proposed admission arrangements, as set out in Appendix 2, would be consulted on from 3 January 2014 until 28 February 2014 with the following groups and partners:-

- Diocese of Nottingham Education Service
- Church of England Diocesan Board
- Parents
- Community groups
- Derby's own admission authority schools (including Academies and Free Schools)

- Derbyshire County Council
- Nottingham City Council

It was reported that a housing development at Fellow Lands Way, Chellaston, was approved by the Planning Control Committee on Thursday 7 November 2013 and that the development was in Chellaston Academy's normal area for secondary places. It was further reported that the school was full with no capacity for expansion and was consulting on removing the new development from its normal area. The Cabinet Member noted that the proposal was that the catchment area boundaries are changed so that the new housing falls within the catchment area of Noel Baker School for secondary places.

Resolved:

- 1. to agree the proposed admissions arrangements for Community and Voluntary Controlled infant, junior, primary and secondary schools for 2015-2016 as set out in Appendix 2, and the consultation arrangements to take place between 3 January 2014 until 28 February 2014; and**
- 2. To note the permanent increase in published admission numbers as set out in Annex 3.**

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