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# **Corporate Parenting Committee**

The meeting will be held at 7.00 pm on 4 October 2016

Committee Room 1, Civic Offices, New Road, Grays, Essex, RM17 6SL

### Membership:

Councillors Bukky Okunade (Chair), Leslie Gamester (Vice-Chair), Chris Baker, Jan Baker, Martin Kerin, Susan Little, Sue MacPherson and Joycelyn Redsell

Natalie Carter, Thurrock Open Door Representative Christina Day, Children in Care Council Jackie Howell, Chair, The One Team, Foster Carer Association Sharon Smith, Vice Chair, The One Team, Foster Carer Association

#### Substitutes:

Councillors Ben Maney, Aaron Watkins and Kevin Wheeler

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Minutes

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To approve as a correct record the minutes of the Corporate Parenting Committee meeting held on 5 July 2016.

#### 3 Items of Urgent Business

To receive additional items that the Chair is of the opinion should be considered as a matter of urgency, in accordance with Section 100B (4) (b) of the Local Government Act 1972.

#### 4 Declaration of Interests

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