

Report to: Corporate Parenting Panel
Date of meeting: 27 January 2017
By: East Sussex Foster Care Association
Title: Annual Report of the East Sussex Foster Care Association (ESFCA)
Purpose: To inform the panel of the Annual Report of the ESFCA

RECOMMENDATION: The Panel is recommended to note the Annual Report

1 Background

1.1 East Sussex Foster Care Association (ESFCA) is an independent charity. It was launched in March 1993 in a direct response to the needs of the children/young people in public care across the county and the demands this place on their foster families.

Since its introduction, carers have designed a range of support, advice, advocacy, activities and training services for their fellow carers, families and the children in foster care throughout East Sussex.

2 Supporting information

2.1 The Annual Report of the East Sussex Foster Care Association is attached at Appendix 1.

2.2 Additional information submitted by the ESFCA is attached at Appendix 2.

3 Conclusion and reasons for recommendations

3.1 The Corporate Parenting Panel is recommended to note the contents of the report.

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Chair of the East Sussex Foster Care Association

Local Members: All

BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS: None