

LEAD MEMBER FOR EDUCATION AND INCLUSION, SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS AND DISABILITY

DECISIONS made by the Lead Member for Education and Inclusion, Special Educational Needs and Disability, Councillor Bob Standley, on 9 May 2024 at Remote Meeting via Microsoft Teams

Councillor Kathryn Field spoke on item 4 (see minute 5)

1. DECISIONS MADE BY THE LEAD CABINET MEMBER ON 30 APRIL 2024

1.1 The Lead Member approved as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 30 April 2024.

2. DISCLOSURES OF INTERESTS

2.1 There were none.

3. URGENT ITEMS

3.1 There were none.

4. REPORTS

4.1 A copy of the report referred to below is included in the minute book.

5. POST-16 TRANSPORT POLICY STATEMENT 2024-2025

5.1 The Lead Member considered a report by the Director of Children's Services regarding the Post-16 Transport Policy Statement 2024-2025.

5.2 Following discussion with Members present, the Lead Member requested an amendment to the aims and objectives section of the Transport Policy Statement as set out in Appendix 3 of the report. Officers agreed to add clarity around available support on offer.

DECISIONS

5.3 The Lead Member RESOLVED to approve the Post-16 Transport Policy Statement (“the Statement”) for the 2024-25 academic year as set out in Appendix 3 of the report, subject to the amendment detailed at 5.2 above.

REASONS

5.4 The County Council has carried out its legal duty to consult on the Statement.

5.5 Following consultation, the proposed statement has been updated slightly from the draft statement to reflect further updates to contact details and to make clear that the bus fare concessions, as a result of Bus Service Improvement Plan (BSIP) funds, may change from April 2025.

5.6 Following publication, the County Council may update the Statement to update prices or other information considered necessary.