

CABINET**TUESDAY, 7 OCTOBER 2014****DECISIONS**

Set out below is a summary of the decisions taken at the Cabinet meeting held on Tuesday, 7 October 2014. The wording used does not necessarily reflect the actual wording that will appear in the minutes.

Members are reminded that, should they wish to call in a decision, notice must be given to Democracy Support Group no later than **4.00pm on Thursday 9 October 2014.**

If you have any queries about any matters referred to in this decision sheet please contact Jill Pickering (01904) 552061.

8. Rewiring Public Services: Business Case For Children's Services

Resolved: That Cabinet agree to:

- (i) Note that extensive engagement has taken place as agreed by Cabinet in July and the priorities that residents have expressed;
- (ii) Approve the 3 Children's Services business cases, as outlined in the report and Annexes.
- (iii) Agree that a further update on the organisational development plan be brought to Cabinet in November as part of our commitment to report regular progress.
- (iv) Examine any alternative proposals from staff to deliver Castlegate services that meet the timescales and savings targets outlined in the report.

- Reasons:
- (i) The phased approach will allow Children's Centres to become more sustainable, develop community capacity and support the long term vision for Whole Family Support;
 - (ii) The approach for Phase 2 of the transformation of Services to Young people will allow for the savings target to be achieved;
 - (iii) Support the closure of Castlegate and the re-provision of services from West Offices will build a sustainable model which has the flexibility to respond to schools needs.