Corporate Parenting Board   **26 September 2016**

Report of the Group Manager for Quality Assurance

Inspection Briefing Report

Summary

1.   City of York Council has not yet been subject to the Ofsted Inspection of services for children in need of help and protection, children looked after and care leavers. All local authority Children's Services, including York, will be inspected under this framework by December 2017. Ofsted publish guidance to Local Authorities about the process of inspection and how their findings are determined. A brief Report is appended at Annex A for information of Panel.

Background

2.   The Report summarises information contained in the Inspection handbook: inspections of services for children in need of help and protection, children looked after and care leavers (Ofsted 06 October 2015, No. 130216)

Consultation

3.   No consultation was undertaken for the preparation of the Report appended (Annex A).

Options

4.   No options are presented to Members for their consideration.

Council Plan

5.   No reference is made or is necessary in relation to the Report appended (Annex A).

Implications

6. Implications for the Council are detailed as appropriate within the Report.

Risk Management

7. Risks for the Council are detailed as appropriate within the Report.

Recommendations

8. It is recommended that the City of York Council Corporate Parenting Board note the framework for Inspection by which City of York Council will be inspected by December 2017.

      Reason: To ensure that Members are kept updated on the framework for inspection.

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Wards Affected: List wards or tick box to indicate all   **All** √

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Annexes

Inspection Briefing – Annex A